

**NEIGHBORHOOD
BOARD
REPORT**

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Aloha Friends and Neighbors,

First of all, I would like to wish everyone a safe and fun summer. I hope you are able to enjoy it with your families. I also want to thank everyone for giving me the opportunity to represent District 39 in the Hawaii State House of Representatives. I am humbled by your continued support and it is my honor to serve you in our community. With the start of Hurricane season upon us, I have provided some tips and information on the back of this newsletter that will help prepare you for any such event.

Bill signing ceremony



Over the past month I have attended several bill signing ceremonies. The most recent was HB 560 which authorizes the Hawaii Housing Finance and Development Corporation and Hawaii Community Development Authority to develop programs that provide incentives for the development of housing projects that incorporate urban gardening programs.

Kapolei Middle School Po'okela Awards Ceremony



I was honored to attend Kapolei Middle School's Po'okela Awards and commencement ceremony. Congratulations to all the recipients!

State Budget Bill

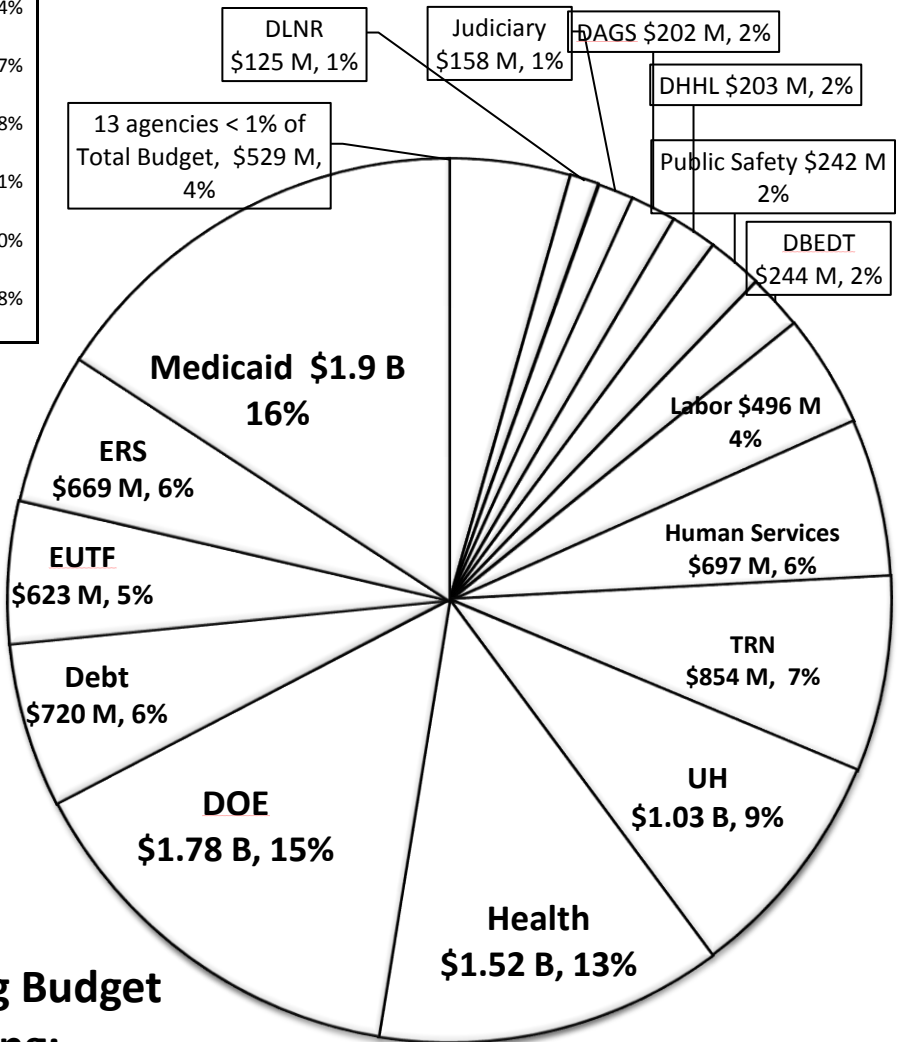
Departments Less Than 1% of Budget

Agriculture	\$ 45,903,133	0.38%
Attorney General	\$ 73,140,520	0.61%
Budget & Finance	\$ 81,104,412	0.68%
Commerce & Consumer Affairs	\$ 53,980,835	0.45%
Defense	\$ 115,558,293	0.96%
Libraries	\$ 33,750,855	0.28%
Charter Schools	\$ 64,425,165	0.54%
Governor	\$ 4,334,171	0.04%
Human Resources Development	\$ 20,572,428	0.17%
Legislature	\$ 33,248,365	0.28%
Lt. Governor	\$ 1,695,503	0.01%
Taxation	\$ 24,550,217	0.20%
OHA	\$ 9,721,851	0.08%

The State Budget responds to the pressing needs of Hawaii's people while carefully scrutinizing expenses and crafting an appropriate budget to ensure that the most significant priorities are met and to lend structural stability to the State's financial plan by, among other things:

Providing \$980,506,000 for much-needed capital improvement projects across Hawaii, including:

- \$454,009,000 for DOE school improvements, upgrades, and renovations;
- \$233,094,000 for UH to address facility improvements, upgrades, and renovations; and
- \$1,275,747,000 for DOT to address airport, highway, and harbor capital-improvement needs



FY14 Statewide Operating Budget
All Means of Financing:
\$12,020,095,452

Investing in our future

District 39 was awarded several CIP projects this session including;

\$880,000 to **Honowai Elementary School**- plans and design of a new eight classroom building
\$1,000,000 to **Campbell High School**- plans and design for electrical upgrades to existing facilities
\$3,000,000 to **East Kapolei Middle School**- plans, design, construction and equipment for a new middle school
\$700,000 to **Mauka Lani Elementary School**- design and construction for campus wide electrical upgrades

The Governor also released the following money to our schools;

\$625,000 to **Kaleiopuu Elementary School** – Design and construction of a second emergency evacuation ramp through the back of the campus
\$550,000 to **Kaleiopuu Elementary School** – Construction to upgrade the electrical system to provide adequate power infrastructure to support technology-based curriculum

Shanxi China Delegation Visit

On May 29th my office helped coordinate a visit by a delegation from Shanxi Province in China. Informal discussions were held to stress the importance of maintaining good relations between Hawaii and Shanxi Province and future opportunities for growth in educational exchanges, tourism, business opportunities and cultural exchanges.

I would like to give a special mahalo to my staffer, Kent Jiang, for all his hard work planning this visit.



Announcements

School Supply Drive

Please help support area schools by dropping off school supplies at

Kunia Wal-Mart

On Sunday, July 28th beginning at 8am

Sponsored by Village Park Community Association

Future Schools in our district

Plans have begun for two new schools in Kapolei. East Kapolei high school is planned to be built on the corner of Kualakai parkway and Farrington Highway near the UH West Oahu campus.

East Kapolei Middle School is planned for a site along Kualakai Parkway near the Kroc center.



5-7 Day Suggested Emergency Food Supply for Two People
Department of Emergency Management
City and County of Honolulu
808-723-8960 ♦ www.oahuDEM.org



- Milk – Non-Fat Dry** 2 boxes (12 1-qt envelopes)
- Canned Meat, Poultry, Fish**
 - Tuna 2 cans
 - Beef Stew 2 cans
 - Chili with Beans 3 cans
 - Salmon 2 cans
 - Vienna Sausage 3 cans
 - Spam 3 cans
 - Corned Beef Hash 3 cans
 - Corned Beef 3 cans
 - Deviled Ham 3 cans
 - Pork and Beans 3 cans
 - Chunked Chicken 2 cans
 - Assorted Condensed Soups 6 cans
 - Condensed Cream of Mushroom Soup 3 cans
- Canned Fruits and Vegetables**
 - Assorted Fruits (peaches, pears, etc.) 12 cans
 - Assorted Vegetables (peas, carrots, etc.) 7 cans
 - Assorted Fruit Juices 3 6-packs
 - Seedless Raisins 2 boxes
- Cereals and Baked Goods**
 - Instant Hot Cereal 2 boxes, assorted flavors
 - Cold Cereal (corn flakes, bran, etc.) 2 boxes
 - Soda Crackers 3 pkg
 - Hilo Cream Crackers 3 pkg
 - Rice 3 lbs
 - Cookies 2 pkg
- Sugar and Sweets**
 - Granulated Sugar 1 lb
 - Hard Candy or Gum As desired
 - Jelly 2 jars
- Miscellaneous**
 - Instant Orange drink 2 bottles
 - Instant Coffee 2 bottles
 - Instant Tea 2 bottles
 - Non-Dairy Creamer 1 bottle
 - Salt 1 small shaker
 - Pepper 1 small shaker
 - Peanuts 2 jars
 - Mustard 2 jars
 - Catsup 1 bottle
 - Soda 2 6-packs
 - Peanut Butter 2 jars
 - Cooking Oil 1 pint
- Water (drinking and sanitation)** 14 gallons
- Disposable plates, forks, spoons and knives**
- Disposable hot and cold cups**
- Paper napkins or towels**
- Non-electric can opener**
- Trash bags**
- Butane stove with 5-7 day supply of butane fuel**
- Matches or butane lighter in waterproof container**
- Heavy duty aluminum foil**
- Gallon and quart size freezer type zip lock bags**
- Small pot/cooking set or camping set**



Develop a 5-7 Day Disaster Supplies Kit- Along with the food/drink checklist that is printed above. Your kit should also contain enough of the following items to last for 5-7 days:

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| Radio | Dust Mask | Baby Formula and Diapers |
| Flashlight or portable lamps | Sanitation | Pet Food and Water |
| Spare Batteries | Tools | Whistle |
| First Aid Kit | Prescription Medication | |