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Waiakea High School to Receive Funding for an All-Weather Track and Field Facility

Honolulu- Construction for a brand new track and field at Waiakea High School will soon be underway. Waiakea High School received funding from the Department of Education for the design and construction of an all-weather track and field facility. The new track and field will replace the current facility, where frequent rain has caused safety concerns.

“The new all-weather track and field will not only provide a safe place where students can train and practice, but also encourage them to excel on the field and in the classroom,” said Senator Malama Solomon, who represents District 1 (Waimea, Hamakua, North Hilo, Rural South Hilo, and Hilo).

“I appreciate the governor for releasing the funding for this long-awaited track and field facility that students at Waiakea High will be able to use for years to come.”

The project will cost a little over \$2-million.

“This capital improvement project aims to immediately stimulate the economy and create jobs for local residents,” added Solomon.

The start date of the project has yet to be determined.

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