

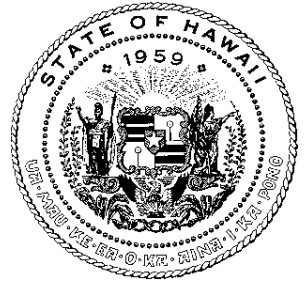


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# Community Update

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## Aloha Friends and Neighbors,

Happy New Year!

Thank you for the honor of serving you in the State House of Representatives. According to the Chinese zodiac, the year of the Monkey, will start on February 8, 2016. The year of the Monkey is ideal for a quantum leap in your life! Now is the time to shake things up, create change and innovate a new path. Join the Monkey's enthusiast energy when risks are rewarded and anything can happen. Even the most ambitious plans can succeed. In the year of the Monkey, it is fine to just make it up as you go along. However, do not be gullible and trust the wrong people or the wily Monkey will take all the peanuts and leave you only shells.

I am humbled to represent our community in the State House. I will continue to serve as vice-chair of the Higher Education committee, as well as a member of the Education, Labor and Public Employment, Transportation and Public Safety committees. I look forward to working with you and I welcome your thoughts and suggestions. Please feel free to contact me at my office at 586-6220 or at [repichiyama@capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:repichiyama@capitol.hawaii.gov).

My best wishes to you and your family for a safe and happy new year!

Sincerely,



## Opening Day

*This year's legislative opening day will be on  
Wednesday, January 20, 2016  
at 10:00am.*

*I would be honored if you and your family  
could join me to share this special occasion.*

*We will be serving light refreshments in  
room 327 after the conclusion of  
Opening Day Ceremonies.  
(approximately 12:00 noon)*

**Save the Date!**

## Aloha 'Aina Day



**Saturday, April 23, 2016**  
**Moanalua Elementary & Middle Schools**

Please save your recyclable waste and turn trash into cash  
for our student programs!  
More info to come soon!



## hawai`i public access room

### Voice your Concerns!

Did you know that the Hawaii is the only state legislature in the nation that has created a public access room for the citizens' use? For 20 years, the Hawaii Public Access Room has been dedicated to helping citizens participate in the Hawaii State Legislature by providing facilities, services and equipment to enhance their ability to participate in the legislative process. You are welcome here to track and affect legislation pending before the Hawaii State Legislature. Staff assistance is available in person, by telephone and by email.

**VISIT THEIR WEBSITE:** <http://hawaii.gov/lrb/par>

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**SESSION HOURS:** Mon-Fri 7:45am – 6:00pm

(Beginning January 20, 2016)

**EMAIL:** [par@capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:par@capitol.hawaii.gov)



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### Moanalua High School Mock Trials

Nine members of the Moanalua High School Mock Trial Team travelled to Raleigh, North Carolina to participate in the National High School Mock Trial Championship, the ultimate law-related education experience for the best and brightest high school students. Congratulations to our Moanalua High School Team for representing our state in the 2015 championship. Representative Ichiyama volunteered to be a scrimmage judge to help prepare the group for competition.

## Community Meeting Schedule

### Moanalua Gardens Community Association

7:00pm Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at Moanalua Middle School

### Moanalua Valley Community Association

6:30pm Wednesday, February 10, 2016 at Moanalua99 (Formerly 99 Ranch Market)

### Neighborhood Board # 18 (Salt Lake/Aliamanu/Foster Village)

7:00pm Thursday, February 11, 2016 at Oahu Veterans Center