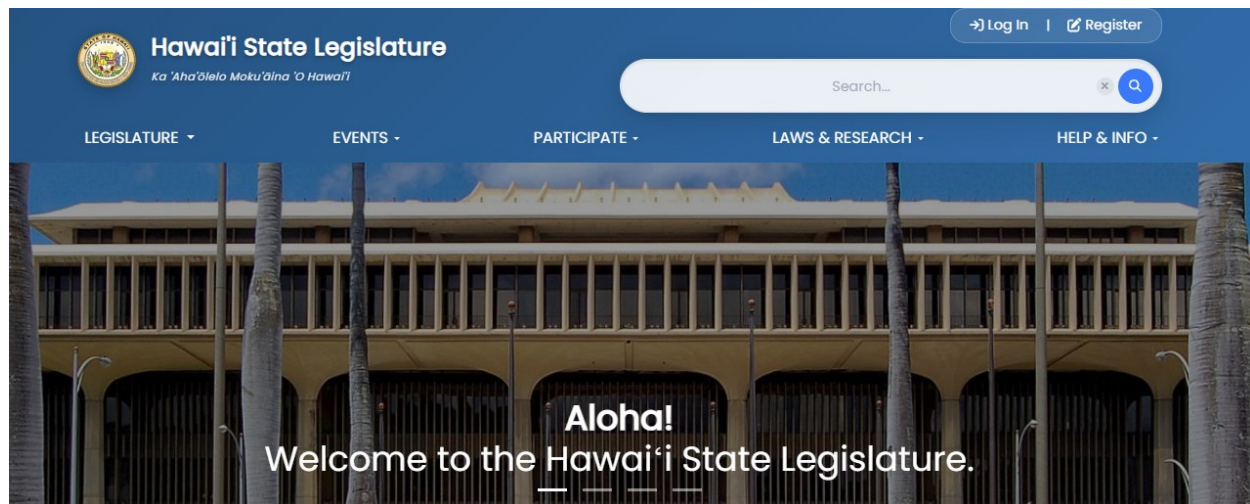


Website Guide

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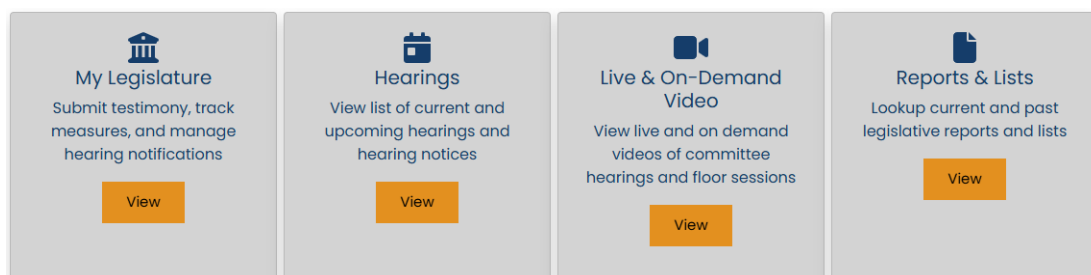


Welcome to the Hawaii State Legislature website, <https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>. As you navigate the site, you can **return to the homepage at any time by clicking on the Hawai'i state seal or the "Hawai'i State Legislature" title** in the upper left-hand corner.

Use the [Log In](#) & [Register](#) links at upper right of the website to register and log in to your account to use interactive features (submit testimony, hearing notification, and measure tracking). See page 6 for more info!



The web design uses a **tab structure** with dropdown menus to allow you to quickly navigate the site. See pages 2-3 for more details on what you'll find under each of the tabs. There are **shortcut buttons** to frequently used content:



- **My Legislature** provides you with a shortcut to the interactive features of the website, allows you to edit your account, and offers the "Find Your Legislator" feature.
- **Hearings** is a shortcut to the list of upcoming scheduled hearings, as well as a search tool for finding past hearings.
- **Live & On-Demand Video** brings you to links for the House and Senate YouTube channels, where you can watch current and past events.
- **Reports & Lists** is an easy shortcut to one of the "go to" pages of the website – where you can find bills and other measures by year, and various lists and reports. It's also got a great search feature!



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Tabs

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The tab options at the top of the website allow you to quickly find what you're looking for. The tabs provide drop-down menus that appear by clicking on each tab. Read more for a description of what you'll find on each:

LEGISLATURE ▾

HOUSE

House Members

SENATE

Senate Members

COMMITTEES

FIND YOUR LEGISLATOR

Legislature

House and **Senate**: Easy access to legislators, leadership, special committees, and other links the chambers have provided, as well as the House or Senate journal (which documents all the activity on the chamber floor).

House Members and **Senate Members**: Alphabetical listing of legislators by chamber with contact information.

Committees: View just the House committees, just the Senate, or both. Select a committee for contact information for chair, vice chair, and committee membership. Also, provides committee contact information.

Find Your Legislator: Enter an address and find the representative and senator who represent that area.

Upcoming Hearings: View upcoming hearings and informational briefings. Also find past events and hearings. (This page is also a shortcut on the homepage.)

Order of the Day: View the day's chamber session agenda, or search for the agendas for a past date. Also, quick links to YouTube coverage of the sessions.

Live and On-Demand Video: Brings you to links for the House and Senate YouTube channels. (There's also a shortcut to this webpage on the homepage.)

Legislative Calendar: This is where you'll find the calendar for the current Regular Session, which shows all the legislative deadlines.

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ORDER OF THE DAY

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MEASURE TRACKING

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PUBLIC ACCESS ROOM

Participate

(find more information about some of these features on page 6)

Submit Testimony: Log in to the website and enter the bill number you'd like to testify on – then just fill out the form, indicate whether you'll also be offering oral testimony in person or via zoom, and write or attach your written testimony.

Hearing Notification: Don't miss a chance to testify! Log in and subscribe by bill number and/or by committee to receive an email when a hearing is scheduled.

Measure Tracking: If you're following more than one or two bills, measure tracking will save you time and help you stay on top of things. Just log in, create a list, enter the bills you're interested in, and generate a report.

Contact Legislators: Contact information for PAR, the clerks, the Legislative Reference Bureau (LRB) library, and webmaster. Also, links to contact lists of legislators.

Public Access Room (PAR): A link to PAR's website, lrb.hawaii.gov/par. The PAR website provides resources to help you learn more about the legislative process and how to participate. On PAR's [Current Legislature](#) page you can find helpful handouts (for example, a list of office managers, the "Which Deadlines Apply to My Bill?" chart, and handouts listing leadership and committees).

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Laws & Research

Hawaii Revised Statutes: Access the codified laws of the state of Hawai'i. (Note: To search within the HRS, use the primary search box at the top right corner of the website.)

Session Laws: Find any act since statehood through this handy feature. Also provides indexes by year, if you're not sure of the act number.

Reports and Lists: A wealth of information to be found here – everything from lists of all of the measures being considered, to measures by package or introducer, to vetoed items. And a great search feature! Use the drop down menu at the top of the page to select past years. (There's also a shortcut to this webpage on the homepage.) More information on searching for bills on page 7.

Special Studies: Links to special studies and information on special legislative committees and task forces. (For other reports, use "Reports and Lists.")

Legislative Info: Links to assorted documents.

Budget: This is where you'll find budget worksheets by year.

Grant-in-Aid: Find the grant-in-aid application, review applicants' submissions, and view awardees. Current year application usually appears in December/January.

Archives: Looking for a bill from a previous session? This is where you can input the

bill number and find the status sheet. Alternatively, you can use the subject search in past years from Reports & Lists.

[2025] Document Index: Current year document index, allows access to the backend of the more user-friendly lists available elsewhere on the website.

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Help & Info

Testimony and Login: Assistance for some common problems encountered in using the interactive features of the website, and where to go for assistance. Also, ADA assistance.

FAQs: Provides some general information and answers frequently asked questions.

Maps & Directories: Floor maps, chamber seating maps, and helpful directories.

Legislative Glossary: A list of commonly used acronyms as well as a dictionary of legislative vocabulary. Note also the link to HRS abbreviations available at top of page.

RSS Feeds: A quick guide to Real Simple Syndication (RSS) feeds available on the website.

Public Access Room (PAR): Another link to the Public Access Room (PAR) website (also available under the "Participate" tab), lrb.hawaii.gov/par. PAR provides a variety of resources to help you participate effectively in the legislative process.

Contact Us: Contact information for PAR, the clerks, the Legislative Reference Bureau (LRB) library, and webmaster. Also, links to contact lists of legislators.

Measure Status Page

To find a measure's status page, enter the measure number in the search box at capitol.hawaii.gov/
See the next page for descriptions of the features noted below with circled letters.


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SB3234 SD2 HD1 CD1



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Measure Title: RELATING TO TRAFFIC SAFETY.
Report Title: DOT; Safe Routes to School; Pedestrian Safety Improvements; Appropriation (\$)
Description: Appropriates funds to the Department of Transportation to install pedestrian safety improvements at sites abutting school properties, with consideration for other sites. (CD1)
Companion: [HB2415](#)
Package: None
Current Referral: TRN, FIN
Introducer(s): LAMOSAO, CHANG, RHOADS, Elefante, McKelvey, Richards, San Buenaventura, Wakai
Act: [262](#)

All Versions of this Measure
[SB3234_CD1](#)
[SB3234_HD1](#)
[SB3234_SD1](#)
[SB3234_SD2](#)
[SB3234](#)

Committee Reports
[SB3234_SD1_SSCR2260](#)
[SB3234_SD2_SSCR2789](#)
[SB3234_HD1_HSCRI227-26](#)
[SB3234_HD1_HSCR2067-26](#)
[SB3234_CD1_CCRI15-26](#)

Testimony
[SB3234_TESTIMONY_TRS_02-10-26](#)
[SB3234_SD1_TESTIMONY_WAM_02-25-26](#)
[SB3234_SD2_TESTIMONY_TRN_03-17-26](#)
[SB3234_HD1_TESTIMONY_FIN_04-07-26](#)

Measure Status History
Sort by Date

Date	Chamber	Status Text
7/15/2026	H	Act 262, on 07/15/2026 (Gov. Msg. No. 1365).
7/15/2026	S	Act 262, 07/15/2026 (Gov. Msg. No. 1365).
5/8/2026	S	Enrolled to Governor.

Hearing Notices

TRS	2/10/26 3:02P CR 229 & Videoconference	Agenda YouTube
WAM	2/25/26 10:57A CR 211 & Videoconference	Agenda YouTube
	3/03/26 10:15A	Agenda

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Senate Jobs

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Lt. Governor Sylvia Luke
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Akaku Maui Community Television

Measure Status Page

Measure status pages offer access to up-to-date and relevant information.
Read more about the areas identified by circled letters on the preceding page.

- A** **Most Current Version of Measure**
Click on the bill number at the top left of the page to view the **current version** of the measure. It will appear in a web-based (html) format. For a **downloadable PDF**, click the Adobe Acrobat icon next to the number.
The measure is identical in both versions. However, the PDF version includes the printed measure's **page and line numbers**, which is helpful when following the discussion at committee hearings or discussing the legislation with others.
- B** **Subscribe & Submit Testimony**
A shortcut to **Subscribe** (to receive hearing notices) and **Submit Testimony** appears on each bill's status page. You will need to create an account to be able to use these options.
Please note that you can submit testimony **only when the bill is scheduled for a hearing and while the committee is accepting testimony**.
- C** **Measure Title/Report Title/Description/etc.**
This top section provides key information about the measure, including its **title, report title (keywords), and description**. The description may change as the bill moves through the process.
A companion bill (an identically introduced bill in the other chamber at the start of session) may be noted but there may be identical bills that are not listed. If the bill is part of a legislative package, it will be noted.
The bill's **current referral** reflects its most recent committee referral in the current chamber.
The **legislator(s) who introduced the measure** are also listed:
- The first name is considered the **author** of the bill.
 - Other names listed alphabetically in **ALL CAPS** are **primary introducers**.
 - Names listed alphabetically in **upper and lower case** are **co-sponsors**. Contact PAR if you have questions!
- If the bill has been **enacted**, the **Act Number** will be listed with a link to the governor's message (GM) and the signed or stamped enacted legislation.
- D** **All Versions of this Measure**
Links to current and previous versions of the bill are listed with the most recent version at the top.
- E** **Committee Reports**
Links to Committee Reports are listed chronologically, from oldest to most recent. Committee reports can be helpful in summarizing **changes made to the measure from one version to the next**. They also may include a more detailed discussion of the measure and additional considerations raised by the committee.
- F** **Testimony**
Links to the **written testimony** submitted for each hearing. Each PDF file can be searched (use **Control + F** on your keyboard to search for words).
Reviewing previously submitted testimony can be helpful when **preparing your own testimony** or understanding **issues and areas of discussion raised during previous hearings**.
- G** **Hearing Notices**
This section lists all **hearing notices** for the measure. Click "**Agenda**" to view the hearing notice, including the date, time, location, and agenda items. Click the **YouTube icon** to watch the proceedings **live or after the fact, as a recording**.
- H** **Status Text**
Actions taken on the measure are recorded here as they occur as a **timeline** for the measure. An **S** next to the date indicates a **Senate action**. An **H** next to the date indicates a **House action**. You can click **Sort by Date** to reverse the order of events, to bring the **most recent actions first** or start with the earliest action.
- I** **Links**
At the bottom of the website you'll find helpful links to other websites. Take a moment to see what's there.

Log In and...

Get Hearing Notices, Submit Testimony, Track Measures

The [Log In](#) & [Register](#) links are in the upper right corner of <https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.



Submit Testimony

The **Submit Testimony** feature makes it easy to submit testimony on a measure. You can upload a file containing your written testimony or type it directly into the form's comment box. You may also sign up to provide oral testimony in person or via Zoom. **Remember:** all written testimony is public and will be posted online – don't include anything you don't want to share.

HOW TO

1. Select **Submit Testimony** from the **Participate** tab drop-down menu (or use the **My Legislature** shortcut on the homepage).
2. Enter the **measure number** you want to testify on. The hearing information and submission form will appear.
3. **Complete the form** by indicating:
 - Whether you **support** or **oppose** the measure
 - Whether you're testifying as an **individual** or **organization**
 - Whether you are submitting **written testimony only** or also requesting to testify **in person** or **via Zoom**
4. **Upload your testimony** using the **"Choose File"** or **"Browse"** button, or type your comments directly into the "Testimony/Comments" box.
5. Review your details, then click **"Submit."**



Hearing Notifications

The **Hearing Notifications** feature lets you receive email alerts of hearings for specific measures or committees. It's a great way to make sure you don't miss the chance to testify!

HOW TO

1. Select **Hearing Notifications**. You'll see two sections: **Subscribe by Measure** and **Subscribe by Committee**.
2. **Subscribe by Measure:**
 - Enter the bill or resolution number in the box on the left. Click **"Add."**
 - Repeat for each measure you want to follow.
3. **Subscribe by Committee:**
On the right side, check the box next to each committee whose hearing notices you want to receive. Scroll down to view all available committees.
4. Click **"Save and Exit"** near the top of the page to finalize your selections. Return at any time to update or cancel subscriptions.



Track Measures

If you're following more than a couple of bills, **Track Measures** comes in handy. It lets you create custom tracking lists and generate reports that keep all your measures organized.

HOW TO

1. Select **Track Measures**. You'll arrive at a page where you can create, modify, or view tracking reports.
2. **Create a List:**
Enter a name in the box and click **"Create List."** You can create multiple lists if you wish, though most users need only one. Once you create your list name will appear below.
3. **Add Measures:**
Click **"Show List"** next to your list's name. Your list name will appear in the right-hand column. Enter a bill number and click **"Add a Measure."** Repeat for all measures you want to track.
Tip: Add multiple measures at once by typing each separated by commas. Optional: Click **"Add Notes"** to add notes to any item. *New 2026:* you'll automatically receive hearing notices for any measures on your measure tracking list.
4. **Generate a Report:**
Click **"Generate Report."** The report displays each measure with its description, current status, and links to its status sheet and latest draft. The report is **sortable**—click any column header to reorder the list (especially useful for finding the most recent activity or viewing measures in numerical order). You can **export** reports in Excel or database formats for sharing.
Print Tip: Use landscape **orientation** for best results. Save it as a **.pdf file** if you want to attach a report to an email.

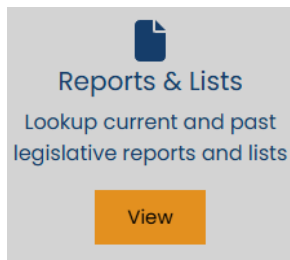
Primary Search Box

In the upper right corner of the [capitol website](#), you have access to a powerful search engine. To find bills, resolutions, and other

measures enter the measure number (no need for periods, spaces, or draft numbers – for example, “HB123” or “SCR25”) or search by keyword.

After your initial search and you get to the search results screen, you can also limit your search by content type, or filter by years, content type, chamber, introducer, and other filters depending on content type. Look for the Help box near the search box on the full [Primary Search](#) page for more information.

Reports and Lists Page



There's a wealth of information available on the "Reports and Lists" page. Click on the [Reports and Lists](#) shortcut button on the homepage or select it using the “Laws & Research” tab’s drop-down menu.

When it opens, you will see the heading **Deadline Tracking**. On the right is a long list of reports that are just a click away – take a moment and see what’s there. Using these as the session progresses will give you access to searchable and sortable lists of measures that have survived significant deadlines. It’s a great way to keep up with what's still viable.

Note: This page's features are available back to 2013. Select the year here.

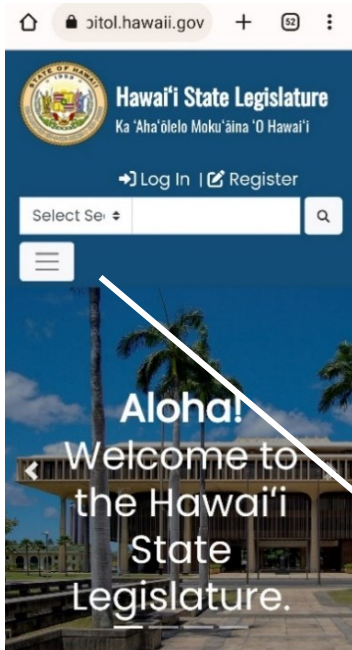
Next, scroll down the list of headings on the left.

There's a lot here! You'll be able to find reports based on committee referrals, who's introduced legislation, measures by package, and much more.

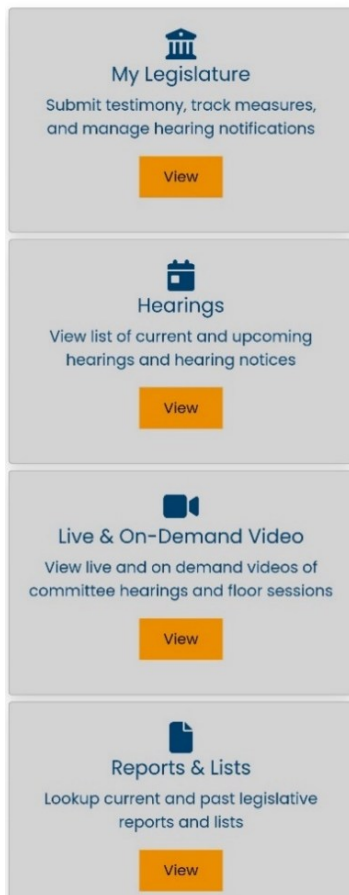
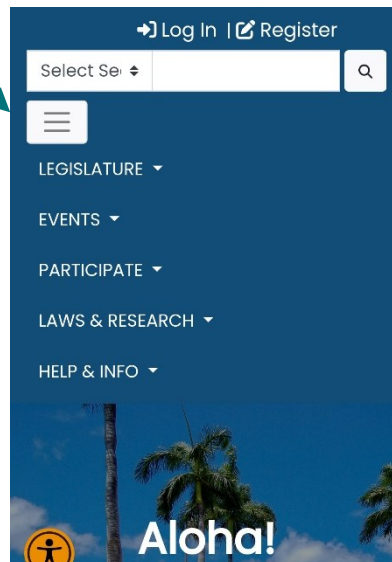
A useful feature for finding bills is **Subject Search**. Enter a word or phrase exactly as you think it appears in a measure's title, report title (keywords), or description.

On Your Phone

The Legislature's website is also available on your cell phone! The phone-configured version of the website has the same functionality but is narrow and longer, so you may need to scroll to get the full picture.



On the phone-configured website, click on the 3 lines icon to expand the menu – you'll see the same options as the tab view from the desktop-configured site.



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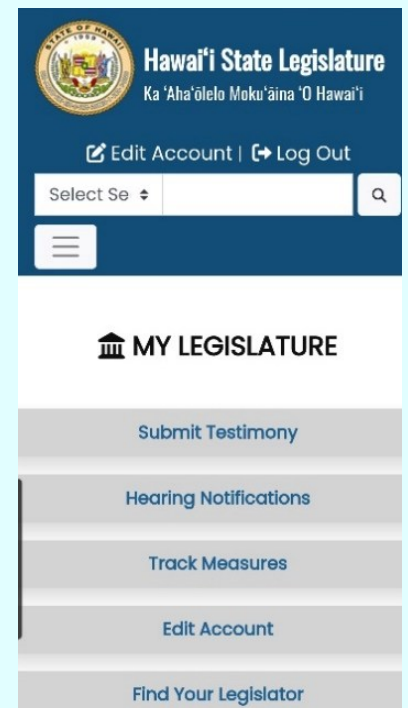
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When you **Log In**, links to the interactive features appear.

Tip: Keep scrolling!

For **Hearing Notifications**, you can scroll down to see the "Subscribe by Committee" section underneath "Subscribe by Measure."

Similarly, when in the **Track Measures** feature, after you click "Show List" you will need to scroll down to see your list, and to click on "Generate Report" to bring up the report.



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