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Aloha Friends,

We've officially hit the halfway mark for the 2022 Legislative Session! The House of Representatives passed 517 Bills that have been sent to the Senate and will continue through the legislative process. As the legislative session continues, I encourage you to access the latest information by visiting the Legislature's website at: <http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov>.

It remains the greatest honor to serve as your voice in the Hawaii State House of Representatives. Please feel free to reach me at (808)586-8500, or rephar@capitol.hawaii.gov, should you have any questions or concerns.

With warmest aloha,

Sharon

KAPOLEI COMMUNITY WORKDAY

For the first time since the pandemic hit, our annual Kapolei Community Workday was held on Saturday, March 12, 2022. Thanks to E Ola Pono Ma Kapolei for organizing the event, and a special thank you to Michelle Park, Lolita Takeda, Jodi Akau, each site leader, Kapolei High School's Student Government Officers, JROTC, HOSA– Future Health Professionals, National Honors Society, Pono Lawai'a, Art Club and I'm so Hi Above the Influence, and all of our community volunteers! We spent the morning cleaning, sanitizing, gardening and painting at

- Kalaeloa Heritage Park
- Pu'u O Kapolei Ulu A'e Learning Center
- Hale Pono Ewa Beach – Boys and Girls Club
- Kapolei Regional Park
- Kapolei High School (KHS)
- Ka'uluokaha'i Community – KROC Center
- Kaupe'a Homestead
- Kanehili Community



TOP LEFT: Volunteers from Kanehili take a quick break from the clean-up.

TOP RIGHT: Aunty Ruth Kepo'o and Rep. Har clear the ground below a curbside tree in Kanehili.

BOTTOM LEFT: Rep. Har applies a final coat of paint to a concrete bench at KHS.

BOTTOM RIGHT: KHS students with Rep. Har, pause from painting to take a quick picture.

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FUNDS RELEASED FOR FT. BARRETTE RD

Great news! \$1.7 million dollars appropriated by the Legislature has been released by Governor Ige for the continued widening and resurfacing of Ft. Barrette Road. The funds will be used for the portion of Ft. Barrette from Kama'aha Avenue to the intersection of Farrington/Kamokila/Makakilo Drive. I am pleased that my efforts to secure this needed funding have come to fruition for this road project, that will significantly improve our quality of life in Kapolei!



KAPOLEI CLEAN AND GREEN DAY — APRIL 16TH



WE'RE BACK! Our annual Kapolei Clean and Green Day recycling event will be held on Saturday morning, (time to be determined), April 16th, at the Kapolei High School parking lot (91-5007 Kapolei Parkway, Kapolei, HI 96707). Take advantage of this opportunity to clear your home of clutter while recycling and supporting KHS. Acceptable items include: **computers, printers, scanners, TV's (one per car), HI-5 beverage containers, cell phones, printer cartridges, batteries (all kinds), eye glasses, hearing aids, usable clothing, pet food, towels, and blankets.** We will also accept donations of canned goods for the Hawaii Food Bank.



SIGN UP FOR OUR WEEKLY E-BLAST

Each week, I send out a community eblast with up-to-date information regarding events in our community (i.e. road closures, free classes, new store openings, community events, etc.) To sign up, visit <http://eepurl.com/N1vcf> and fill out the form. As always, your email address will be kept confidential.