

MAJOR MILESTONES IN COMMERCIAL HARBOR MODERNIZATION: DEDICATION OF KAPALAMA CONTAINER TERMINAL PHASE 1 & GROUNDBREAKING OF PHASE 2

The Hawaii Department of Transportation (HDOT) dedicated the Kapalama Container Terminal (KCT) Phase 1 and broke ground on Phase 2 of the project designed to improve cargo handling capabilities at the hub of Hawaii's commercial harbor system in a small ceremony Monday, March 1, 2021.

KCT Phases 1 & 2 are the centerpiece of the Harbor Modernization Program, which developed capital improvement projects to meet the needs of the shipping industry in partnership with HDOT, the Hawaii State Legislature, and the Hawaii Harbor Users Group (HHUG). KCT Phase 1 was completed on schedule and as budgeted with a cost of \$174 million.

Construction of the new Kapalama Container Terminal is financed by revenue collected from harbor user fees, not traditional taxpayer money. For more project information please visit <http://www.kctinfo.com/>



House Transportation Committee Chair Henry Aquino, Pasha Senior VP Michael Caswell, HDOT Deputy Director for Harbors Derek Chow, HHUG Executive Director Gary North, Pasha President and CEO George Pasha IV, Gov. David Ige, HDOT Director Jade Butay, Kiewit Project Manager Kyle Nakamura, Senate Transportation Committee Chair Chris Lee, and Kahu Kordell Kekoa prepare to break ground on KCT Phase 2.

