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Ka Ipu Kukui Fellows Meet with Maui Senatorial Delegation

Honolulu- Ka Ipu Kukui Fellows today met with their Senatorial delegation, Senators J. Kalani English, Roz Baker and Gilbert Keith-Agaran. They also had the opportunity to meet with Lt. Governor Shan Tsutsui and other lawmakers.

This month, the Fellows are studying governance and they came to Oahu to observe the Legislative Session in the House and Senate Chambers and to tour the Hawaii State Capitol. While at the Capitol, the students were able to ask legislators tough questions regarding policies and other topics. They were also enthusiastic with the Hawaii State Senate's social media initiatives.

"I am so impressed with the quality of these young leaders," said Sen. J. Kalani English (District 7-Hana, East and Upcountry Maui, Moloka'i, Lana'i, Kaho'olawe). "Their insightful questions and willingness to engage with government is promising for the future."

"These young leaders have a promising future ahead of them and it was refreshing to hear their perspective on issues that concern them and our community," added Sen. Roz Baker, (District 6 - South and West Maui). "They all have the potential to impact our island and state in many positive ways."

Ka Ipu Kukui Fellows is a year-long program designed to train community-identified future leaders. It was conceived to promote and develop future leaders through a community-based program designed to address planning for Maui future.

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“The Ka Ipu Kukui Fellows is a wonderful program that’s been shaping our future leaders,” said Sen. Gilbert Keith-Agaran (District 5- Wailuku, Waihe‘e, Kahului). “The program provides them with educational opportunities that would take them to places outside of their day to day routine that will hopefully inspire them to be great leaders.”

(Photo Caption: Ka Ipu Kukui Fellows today met with their Senatorial delegation, Senators J. Kalani English, Roz Baker and Gilbert Keith-Agaran.)

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