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## Working Together for Our Community



*Aloha Neighbors & Friends,*

As the 2015 Legislative Session gets into full swing, my number one priority is serving *you!* I want to hear your thoughts and opinions on issues that may be voted on in upcoming hearings and floor sessions. To best represent your interests, I need your participation!

*I consider it a great honor to represent your interests and I greatly look forward to your responses!*

**Please mark your answers to the following questions in the boxes to the right,** then cut out the card and mail it to my office. You may also e-mail your responses to [RepMatsumoto@Capitol.Hawaii.gov](mailto:RepMatsumoto@Capitol.Hawaii.gov). For more information, please visit [RepMatsumoto.com](http://RepMatsumoto.com).

## Community Participation Survey

- Should **local farms** be able to sell products to consumers directly from their farms?
- Should the use of **recreational marijuana** be legal in Hawaii?
- Are you in favor of the State setting up distribution centers for **medical marijuana** patients?
- Should the labeling of food products containing **genetically modified organisms** (GMOs) be mandatory under State Law?
- The **general excise tax** was increased in 2007 by 0.5%

to fund the **Honolulu Rail Transit Project**. This increase is set to expire in 2022. Should this tax be extended or made permanent to provide continued funding?

- Should development of **affordable housing** along the rail line be a priority?
- Should the State prohibit the use of **e-cigarettes** in locations where tobacco use is currently banned?
- Should Hawaii designate **safe places for youth**, where children can seek shelter without parental notification or consent?
- Should **death with dignity**, also known as physician-assisted suicide, be legal in Hawaii?
- Which of these **hot topics** do you think is the most important issue for the Hawaii Legislature to address:
- What do you think would increase **Hawaii voter turnout**?

## Your Survey Responses

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**Thank you for your participation!** If you have any additional comments, please add them below:

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