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Aloha Friends and Neighbors!

At the end of the 2018 Legislative Session, the Governor's Final Approval or Veto deadline was July 10, 2018. This year, the Governor signed 220 bills into law and vetoed 8 bills.

For more information on the bills signed by the Governor, new acts, and bills that were vetoed, please visit: governor.hawaii.gov/2018-bills



Spectrum Internet Assist Program

Qualified households may now access reliable, high-speed Internet through the Spectrum Internet Assist program for \$14.99 per month!

- High-speed 30 Mbps Internet with no data caps
- Internet modem included
- No contracts required
- Add in-home WiFi for \$5 more per month

To qualify for the program, a member of the household must be a recipient of one of the following programs:

- The National School Lunch Program (NSLP); free or reduced cost lunch
- The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) of the NSLP
- Supplemental Security Income (age 65 and above only)

WiFi

State designated hotspots offering 1 hour of free Wifi service.

The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA) through its Cable Television Division (CATV) recently announced that the first wave of free public Wifi hotspots offering one (1) hour of free service per device, per day, are now active or underway at various locations on the islands of Kauai, Maui, Molokai, and Oahu.

Under Decision and Order No. 366, which approved the transfer of Oceanic Time Warner (OTWC) to Charter Communications, DCCA required Spectrum/OTWC to provide at least 1,000 new public Wifi access points (or hotspots) in its cable franchise areas throughout the state, within four years of the close of the transaction, which occurred in May 2016. With respect to these hotspots, Spectrum/OTWC is required to deploy 100 in public parks, civic and other community centers, and other open areas and gathering places as directed by DCCA, in consultation with Spectrum/OTWC.

Spectrum/OTWC to date has installed approximately 1,400 new hotspots in compliance with the state's requirements. DCCA is diligently working to identify additional public access locations to designate the remaining allocated hotspots. Addresses and exact mapped locations of the state designated and active hotspots can be viewed on the CATV Broadband web page at: <http://cca.hawaii.gov/broadband/dcca-designated-wifi-hotspots/>



Mililani running back, Darius Muasau has accepted a 2019 scholarship offer from the University of Hawaii's Rainbow Warriors. (Image: Star-Advertiser / SPET. 2017)

The Heisman Trophy campaign for Mililani High graduate, McKenzie Milton recently kicked off with the launching of a website detailing the exploits of the University of Central Florida quarterback.

The hashtag for Milton is #Hisman and the website, www.MiltonForHisman.KZ (Image: UCF Knights)



Alyssa Tobita, Mililani alum, triumphed former world ranked no. 18, Alexandra Stevenson. Recently, however, the Tobita and her Australian doubles partner, Tallulah Farrow, lost to Japan's Misaki Doi and America's Jessica Pegula. Great job in the tournament, Alyssa! (Image: U.S. Tennis Association Hawaii Pacific)

COMMUNITY EVENTS

July 28

Summer Movies Nights at Mililani Shopping Center, 6 PM - 10 PM

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Oahu SPCA is hosting an adoption event at PetSmart Mililani from 10 AM to 1 PM

August 4

Poi Dogs & Popoki Central Oahu Pet Walk - 5 PM at Town Center of Mililani

August 10

The Compassion Experience: An immersive event from Compassion International. Step into true stories that start in poverty and end in hope. Visit <https://cts.compassion.com/events/1082> for more information.

August 11

Musical Performance by Michael Cheape at Town Center of Mililani, 6 PM - 8PM

August 17 & 18

Mililani Hongwanji Bon Dance, 6 PM to 10:30 PM

Connect with Me!

Want to learn how to get involved at the Capitol? My office is planning a Talk & Tour where we'll teach you how a bill becomes a law and how you can make your voice heard by submitting testimony to issues that matter to you.

Interested? Send us an email or give my office a call, and we'll be sure to reserve a spot for you! Bring your family, kids, and friends if they want learn more about our legislative process.

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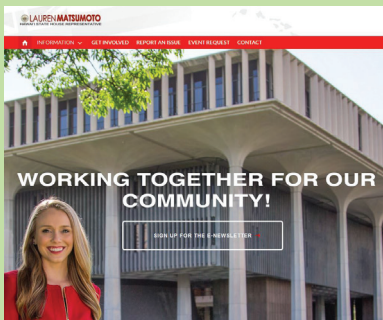
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