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Aloha Friends and Neighbors!

The North Shore is home to many amazing artists, and my office is fortunate to feature art by Heather Brown, Mark Howard, Clark Little, and Laurie Kasten. During the annual Art at the Capitol Event, many of the offices at the state capitol building are open to the public for community members to enjoy the art that line our walls, and I am always excited to show people the spirit of the community I represent through the art by our North Shore artists. Mahalo to the North Shore artists who allow me to share their art with everyone who visits my office!

Looking for something to do with the family? The Haleiwa Arts Festival is happening on July 13 and 14 at Haleiwa Beach Park from 10 am to 6 pm. This a great opportunity to support local artists! For those who are looking for keiki-friendly art activities, contact the Waialua Public Library at (808) 637-8286 for dates and times for arts & crafts.

Art comes in many different forms, whether through paintings or sculptures, song and dance, and poetry or motion pictures—they all have an inspiring effect on all of us. Waimea Valley's Concert Summer Series kicks off again! In addition to promoting music, Waimea Valley's Screen on the Green features a free movie shown on the main lawn! Please check [waimeavalley.net](http://waimeavalley.net) for dates and prices for the concerts as well as the schedule for the films.

Art affects us all positively: relieves stress, encourages creative thinking, boosts self-esteem, and makes children better students for life. Take some time to enjoy the art that our beautiful community has to offer!

As always, please feel free to contact me if you have questions or concerns about any happenings in our community. Call me at (808) 586-9490, email [RepMatsumoto@capitol.hawaii.gov](mailto:RepMatsumoto@capitol.hawaii.gov), or visit [Rep-Matsumoto.com](http://Rep-Matsumoto.com).