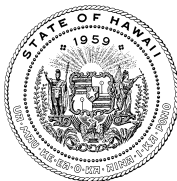


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- Governor Green's Monthly Newsletter – Ke Ala Hou (A New Path Forward)**
Ke Ala Hou link:
<https://governor.hawaii.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/03/Ke-Ala-Hou-Newsletter-March-2025.pdf>
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- He'eia State Park update:** Banquet hall at He'eia State Park reopened March 1 now that it has a new vendor to operate it. Nonprofit Halau Nohona Hawai'i has a revocable, month-to-month permit. The Hawai'i Dept. of Land and Natural Resources Division of State Parks is evaluating future management options and partnerships like adding educational opportunities, estuary stewardship and to ensure that He'eia State Park is also known as Kealohi Point, a venerated cultural feature of Kāne'ohe Bay. To prepare for the reopening of the banquet hall, DSP received 300 new chairs and 40 tables. A DSP caretaker opens the entrance gate each morning and supports service of the comfort station. A contracted service will maintain the grounds. The Puakea Foundation, will continue its longstanding curatorship agreement in its halau wa'a onsite. It will continue wa'a restoration and education programs that will now include paddling training and workshops. DLNR's Division of Conservation and Resources Enforcement (DOCARE) is establishing a new field station at the park and installed an office trailer to support law enforcement operations on the windward coast. In December, someone broke into the banquet hall, damaged glass and stole expensive tools and materials owned by former operator Kama'aina Care. DSP picnic tables and benches have been stolen. In February, two arson fires were extinguished in the park.
- State Foundation on Culture and the Arts event:** On April 11, the State Foundation on Culture and the Arts will be holding another First Friday Flash Fresco. Capitol Modern Artist-in-residence Solomon Enos will be painting lei on a construction barrier at the State Capitol. The public is also encouraged to come help paint. The free public event will be from 4 to 7 p.m. to coincide with The Hawai'i State Legislature's annual Art at the Capitol event, also sponsored by SFCA, during which participating offices open after hours for visitors to view SFCA Art in Public Places Collection artworks and enjoy live music and

dance performances. If you'd like to add to the painting, wear clothing you don't mind getting dirty and look for Enos at the construction barrier near the Father Damien statue, which faces Beretania Street. He will provide the paint, the brushes, and the instruction.

4. **DAGS engineering and building construction inspector jobs:** Pay range is about \$6,000 to \$16,000 a month at all experience levels. Most jobs are fast-tracked. To apply, DAGS job listings are at <https://ags.hawaii.gov/employment/>. For more details about the jobs, go to <https://ags.hawaii.gov/blog/main/dags-looks-to-fill-engineering-and-building-construction-inspector-jobs-across-state/>.