DISABILITY AND COMMUNICATION ACCESS BOARD
Ka ʻOihana Hoʻokaʻaʻike no ka Poʻe Kīnānā

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Notice of Meeting

Standing Committee on Transportation
December 1, 2026
11:00 a.m.

Physical Meeting Location:

Kamamalu Building
1010 Richards Street, Room 111A and 111B
Honolulu, HI 96813

Virtual Location:

Use the meeting link below. If the hyperlink does not work, copy and paste the URL into your web browser.

Meeting Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86748312720

Meeting ID: 867 4831 2720

Join by Phone:

Dial 1-646-568-7788 and enter meeting ID: 867 4831 2720

HOW TO TESTIFY:

Written testimony – There is no deadline for submission of testimony, however, to ensure the public as well as Committee members are able to review testimony prior to the meeting, we request written testimony be submitted no later than 9:00 a.m. one business day prior to the scheduled meeting date and time.

- **To Submit by Email:** Email the Standing Committee on Transportation at dcab@doh.hawaii.gov. Please include TESTIMONY in the subject line.
- **To Submit by U.S. Postal Mail or Hand-Delivery:**

  Attention: Standing Committee on Transportation – Testimony
  Disability and Communication Access Board
  1010 Richards Street, Room 118
  Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

- **To Submit via facsimile:** (808) 586-8129

Oral testimony will be accepted via the remote testimony link or in-person at 1010 Richards Street, Room 111A and 111B, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813.

Testimony or comments presented by members of the public during the Committee meetings shall be limited to three (3) minutes per agenda item. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), a reasonable amount of additional time shall be afforded to persons with a communication disability to present testimony or comments, if needed. Any person who needs additional time to present testimony or comments is encouraged to contact the DCAB office in advance of the meeting. This rule shall be placed at the beginning of all Committee meeting agendas.

Members of the public may present comment or testimony during Committee meetings on each agenda item. Public comment or testimony, if any, shall be presented on each agenda item before the Committee deliberates on the item. After all public comment or testimony is presented, the Committee shall deliberate on the agenda item without further comment or testimony from the public unless further public comment or testimony is requested by the Committee.

HOW TO REQUEST ACCOMMODATION:

If you need an auxiliary aid/service or other accommodation due to disability, contact Joyy Young or Scott Castor at (808) 586-8121 or dcab@doh.hawaii.gov as soon as possible. Requests made as early as possible have a greater likelihood of being fulfilled.

Upon request, this notice is available in alternate/accessible formats.

MEETING MATERIALS AND OTHER INFORMATION:

The agenda and meeting materials for this meeting are available for inspection at DCAB's office located at 1010 Richards Street, Room 118, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 and on DCAB's website at: https://health.hawaii.gov/dcab/dcab-agendas-and-minutes/.

If the remote connection (via Zoom) is lost, the meeting will be recessed for up to thirty (30) minutes to restore communication. If the connection is lost, we will attempt to restart the meeting again with the same link. If the Committee is unable to reconvene the meeting because neither audiovisual communication nor audio communication can be reestablished within thirty (30) minutes, the meeting will be automatically terminated.

If you have trouble entering the meeting, please contact Scott Castor at (808) 586-8121.

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

Review Remote Meeting Procedures

- This meeting is being recorded.
- A quorum of Committee members is required to be visible on screen.

- If quorum is not achieved at the beginning of the meeting, the meeting will be cancelled within fifteen (15) minutes after the scheduled start time and update any posted notices or calendar accordingly.
- If a Committee member leaves the meeting permanently at any time, the Committee member shall notify the Chairperson. If this results in a lack of quorum, the meeting will adjourn at that time.
- If a Committee member leaves the meeting temporarily, the Committee member shall notify the Chairperson. If this results in a lack of quorum, the Chair shall call a recess. If the Committee member does not return within ten (10) minutes, the meeting will be adjourned.
- Raise hand to speak unless called upon.
- Identify yourself before speaking however public testifiers may use an alias to maintain anonymity.

II. Roll Call

III. Statement from Public and Written Testimonies Submitted

IV. Approval of Minutes for October 13, 2026

V. New Business

A. Air Transportation/Airports

1. Discussion on DCAB's request for the Department of Transportation to form a Travelers with Disabilities Advisory Committee.

2. Proposed legislation to require all state airports to display emergency and safety videos that include American Sign Language (ASL) and to provide free, on-demand interpreting services through a mobile app, including ASL interpretation for deaf travelers and visual interpretation assistance for blind travelers.

B. Pedestrian Mobility and Built Environment

1. Federal Legislation H.R. 1703 – Choices for Increased Mobility Act. This requires Medicare to establish separate billing codes for carbon fiber and titanium frames wheelchair frames by Jan. 1, 2028, allowing consumers to pay only the cost difference when selecting an ultralightweight frame.

2. City and County of Honolulu – Bill 58 Relating to Shared Micromobility Vehicles. Allows the City to remove Shared Micromobility Vehicles (SMV) from City property and roadways in the Waikiki Special District without prior notice to SMV operators.

3. Proposed legislation – Increase the Disabled Paid Parking Exemption period from 2.5 hours or the maximum time the meter allows to 4.5 hours.

4. Proposed legislation – Increase the required number of accessible parking and van access available parking spaces, and/or require wider spaces.

5. Proposed legislation – Requiring county directors of finance to add a deaf or hard of hearing designation to driver's licenses and state identification cards for individuals with a hearing loss of 41 decibels or greater, as certified by a qualified otolaryngologist, audiologist or other licensed medical professional.

C. Water Transportation and Harbors

1. County of Maui – Bill 152. Amending Title 11, Maui County Code (Public Transit), to establish a County-Operated Ferry System.

VI. Open Forum

Public comment on issues not on the agenda for consideration for the Committee's agenda at the next meeting.

VII. Next Meeting

VIII. Adjournment