

Weekly AIS Update – City Center August 12, 2012 through August 18, 2012

***No trench work occurred during this period.

Outreach & Consultation

- Website and social media posts of City Center Traffic Update on 8/10 for the week of August 12 – 18 to www.HonoluluTransit.org.



City Center AIS Field Work Traffic Update | Week of Aug. 12, 2012

The Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation (HART) wants to inform drivers that archaeological survey work continues next week in the urban Honolulu area for the rail transit project.

Motorists are advised of lane closures related to the survey work being conducted in the Pearl Harbor, Airport and Kaka'ako areas. Work will require lane closures during non-peak traffic hours.

For the safety of both the work crews and motorists, the public is advised to proceed with caution through these areas. Drivers should anticipate possible traffic delays or use alternate routes during work hours, and provide a safe distance between themselves and the construction workers and equipment.

Work for the week of Sunday, August 12, through Saturday, August 18, will take place at the following locations between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.:

- Queen/Waimanu Street between Kamakee Street and Pensacola Street
- Kona Street between Kamakee Street and Piikoi Street

The City is conducting the archaeological survey work along the urban Honolulu section of the Honolulu rail transit route to identify potential archaeological, historical and cultural resources. The archaeological work will aid rail project staff in their design of the elevated rail guideway.

Contractors Cultural Surveys Hawaii Inc. and Royal Contracting Co. are conducting the fieldwork. The survey work will be completed before rail construction begins in the urban Honolulu area, as specified under the rail project's programmatic agreement relating to cultural and historic resources.

- Media Advisory Traffic Update distributed to local media on 8/10 for the week of August 12 – 18.
- Notice to Motorists ad in the Honolulu Star-Advertiser on 8/15 for August 15 – 25.

A screenshot of a "Notices to Motorists" sign. The sign has a white background with a blue header containing three identical boxes, each with the text "Notices to Motorists" in white. Below the header, the text reads: "NOTICE TO MOTORISTS The Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transportation has begun work on an Archaeological Inventory Survey of the City Center section for the Honolulu Rail Transit Project. Work continues to commence during the week of August 13, 2012 and will require mobile lane closures during non-peak traffic hours. Work will be performed in the following areas:" followed by a bulleted list of three areas: "Kamehameha Highway from Salt Lake Boulevard to Aolele Street between 8:30am and 3:30pm.", "Dillingham Boulevard from Middle Street to Kaahā Street between 8:30am and 3:30pm.", and "Queen Street from Kamakee Street to Waimanu Street between 8:30am and 3:30pm." Below the list, it states: "The public will be notified of detours and change of access via traffic control signs. Special duty police officers will be used when needed to direct traffic at affected areas. Motorists are advised to anticipate possible traffic delays or use alternate routes." At the bottom, it provides contact information: "For more information and updated work schedules, call the project's 24-hour hotline at (808) 566-2299 or visit www.HonoluluTransit.org. (SA443105 8/15/12)".

Note: Traffic announcement weeks start on Sunday and end on Saturday.