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ART with HART



"Connecting Communities" is the theme of a 210-foot mural painted this past weekend on a building at the future home of HART's Pearlridge Station.

Dozens of student volunteers representing the Boys and Girls Club of Ewa Beach and Radford, Aiea and Waipahu high schools turned what had been a graffiti-marred eyesore along Kamehameha Highway into something special. The students gave up their weekend to grab paint buckets and brushes and create a design that the community can now be proud of.

Nearly two dozen community groups, businesses and organizations partnered with HART to help sponsor the anti-graffiti initiative.

Check out a video of the mural painting project on HART's YouTube channel [here](#).

HART plans to continue these community service projects at other properties along the rail route as the need arises.



KIM REAPPOINTED TO BOARD



HART Board Member Damien Kim

The Honolulu City Council has reappointed Damien Kim to a new five-year term as a member of the HART Board of Directors.

Kim chairs the Board's Project Oversight Committee. He was originally appointed to the Board in 2011 for a three-year term.

Kim is an electrician who serves as the business manager and financial secretary for the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 1186, where he manages the IBEW's \$500 million trust fund.

Additionally, Ford Fuchigami, the recently-named Interim Director of the state Department of Transportation, will serve as an ex-officio voting member of the Board of Directors.

Fuchigami succeeds Glenn Okimoto, who has taken a position with the University of Hawaii.

TRAFFIC ALERT



EWA

Farrington Highway between Kualakai Parkway (North-South Road) and Old Fort Weaver Road is open again in both directions. Rail construction work continues in the area and motorists will need to take a slight detour along Old Fort Weaver Road near Kahi Mohala.

Left turns from Farrington Highway onto Fort Weaver Road northbound will be restricted 24/7 through July. Drivers using Farrington Highway eastbound will need to take a detour onto Leoku Street and Leolua Street to access Fort Weaver Road.

H-1 WAIAWA INTERCHANGE

Two inside lanes of the southbound H-2 freeway near the H-1/H-2 merge will be closed from Tuesday, May 27 to Thursday, May 29 between 9 p.m. and 4 a.m.

WAIPAHAU

The eastbound lanes of Farrington Highway from Kahualii Street past Waipahu High School will be closed Thursday, May 29 from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m.

The inside lanes of Farrington Highway in both directions and the intersection of Aniani Place fronting Waipahu Intermediate School will be closed from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.

Westbound lanes of Farrington Highway near Mokuola Street will be closed from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 7 p.m. and 6 a.m.

A section of Ala Ike Street near Leeward Community College will be closed from Tuesday,

May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 8 p.m. and 7 a.m.

PEARL CITY

Two westbound lanes and one eastbound lane along Kamehameha Highway between Kuala Street and Kuleana Road will be closed from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 8 p.m. and 7 a.m. Left turns at the Acacia Road intersection will be restricted between 10 p.m. and 5:30 a.m.

Eastbound lane left turns at the Waimano Home Road intersection will be detoured to Puu Momi Street after 8 p.m.

Westbound traffic will be diverted to the eastbound side of the highway between Puu Poni Street and Kuleana Road from 8 p.m. to 5:30 a.m.

AIEA

The left eastbound lane of Kamehameha Highway near Pearl Kai Shopping Center and near Best Buy is closed 24/7.

Double lane closures on Kamehameha Highway between Lipoa Place and Pali Momi Street from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 8 p.m. and 7 a.m. One lane in each direction will remain open.

The right eastbound lane of Kamehameha Highway between the Moanalua Freeway on-ramp and Salt Lake Boulevard will be closed 24/7 until further notice.

Alternating lanes closures will take place along the inside and outside lanes of Kamehameha Highway in the same vicinity between 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. and between 7:30 p.m. and 5:30 a.m. from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30. One lane of traffic in each direction will remain open.

DOWNTOWN/KAKAAKO

Left lanes of Nimitz Highway in both directions between Sumner Street and Punchbowl Street and Halekauwila Street in both directions between Richards Street and South Street will be closed from Monday, May 26 to Thursday, May 29 between 8:30 p.m. and 4 a.m.

Kona Street in both directions from Pensacola Street to Piikoi Street and two lanes of Kona Street eastbound from Piikoi Street to Keeaumoku Street will be closed from Monday, May 26 to Thursday, May 29 between 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.

Left lanes of Queen Street in both directions between Cummins Street and Pensacola Street will be closed from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Intermittent lane closures will take place from Tuesday, May 27 to Friday, May 30 between 8:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. at the following locations:

The left eastbound and westbound lanes of Halekauwila Street between Punchbowl Street and South Street

The right lane of Kaaahi Street between Kaamahu Place and Kaaahi Place

The right lane of Pensacola Street westbound between Hopaka Street and Waimanu Street

The right lane of Waimanu Street westbound between Queen Street and Pensacola Street

The left lanes of Piikoi Street between Kona Street and Kapiolani Boulevard

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