



DISABILITY AND COMMUNICATION ACCESS BOARD

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Disability and Communication Access Board

Standing Committee on Parking Meeting

May 12, 2022

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

AGENDA

The Disability and Communication Access Board will be meeting remotely using interactive conference technology. The public is welcome to participate as follows.

Public In-Person Meeting Location

Kamamalu Building
1010 Richards Street, Room 118
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Participate Virtually via Zoom

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Public Testimony

Oral testimony - Members of the public may present comment or testimony on each agenda item.

Written Testimony - To ensure the public as well as its Board members receive such testimony in a timely manner, written testimony should be submitted 24 hours prior to the scheduled meeting date and time. Any written testimony submitted after such time cannot be guaranteed to be distributed in time for the meeting. Written testimony may be submitted by one the methods listed below:

- By email to: dcab@doh.hawaii.gov
- By U.S. Postal Mail:
Kirby Shaw, Disability and Communication Access Board, 1010 Richards Street, Room 118, Honolulu, HI 96813
- By facsimile to: (808) 586-8129

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.
 - Raise hand to speak unless called upon.
 - Identify yourself before speaking.
- II. Introductions
- III. Written Public Testimonies Submitted - Review
- IV. Approval of Meeting Minutes of March 10, 2022
- V. Old Business
 - A. Parking Placard Issuance Statistics – Update
 - B. Email Notification to Permittees of Pending Parking Permit Expirations – Update
 - C. Procurement of Parking Placards and Decals – Update
 - D. Death Records Crossmatch and Parking Permit Retrieval – Update
 - E. Public Education Efforts
 1. Webpage for Reporting Placard or Access Aisle Abuse - Number of Submissions Update
 2. Webpage for Reporting Non-Design Compliant Accessible Spaces - Number of Submissions Update
 - F. Legislation – Update
 1. HB 1448 - Relating to Traffic Fines: Authorizes the respective counties to impose and collect fines for violations of the Statewide Traffic Code, in addition to the fines imposed by the State under Chapter 291C, HRS.
 2. HB 1575/SB 2445 - Relating to Physician Assistants: Expands the scope of practice for physician assistants.
 3. SB 3121 - Relating to Funding for Persons with Disabilities - Relating to Funding for Parking for Disabled Persons: Creates an accessible parking special account within the disability and communication access board special fund. Increases the state vehicle registration fee by \$1, to be deposited into the accessible parking special account. Requires all costs associated with the statewide parking program for persons with disabilities to be appropriated from the accessible parking special account beginning July 1, 2023.

G. Van Accessible Spaces

1. User Guide Distribution to First Time Applicants by Counties
2. Suggested Additions for Plan of Action:
 - (a) “8.3.5 Explore possible legislation to reserve van accessible spaces for use by permittees who use a wheelchair or scooter and/or use a vehicle with a side mounted lift or ramp. **(Priority 2)**”
 - (b) “8.4.3 Provide public education efforts aimed at consumers, operators of parking facilities, and the public on the importance of keeping van accessible spaces available for vehicles with side mounted lifts or ramps whenever possible. **(Priority 1)**”
3. Public Education Options: “Park with Aloha” theme, direct email or survey, voluntary signs for van accessible spaces, public service announcements in various media, encourage van accessible space to be located farthest from entrance with an exception of spaces that share an 8 foot wide access aisle.
4. Administrative Rules Options: Require updated signage for van accessible spaces, require van accessible space be located farthest from entrance with the exception of spaces that share an 8 foot wide access aisle.
5. Hawaii Revised Statutes Options: Wheelchair user placard with restrictions on use of van accessible spaces, wheelchair user placard with self certification of ramp or lift equipped vehicle (RLEV) and restrictions on use of van accessible spaces, restriction on use of van accessible spaces based on vehicle having a ramp or lift, requiring more accessible spaces or van accessible spaces than required under Federal Law.

VI. New Business

- A. Review and Amend Draft Plan of Action FY 22 – Parking.
- B. Discussion of Plastic Parking Placards and Possible Alternatives to Reduce DCAB’s Plastic Waste Stream.

VII. Open Forum: Public comment on issues not on the agenda for consideration on a future Committee agenda.

VIII. Next Meeting

IX. Adjournment

If you require an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or other accommodation to participate in the meeting, please contact Cindy Omura at (808) 586-8121 or email, dcab@doh.hawaii.gov by Monday, May 9, 2022. Requests made as early as possible will allow adequate time to fulfil your request.

Upon request, this notice is available in alternate formats.

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