



DISABILITY AND COMMUNICATION ACCESS BOARD

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Disability and Communication Access Board Standing Committee on Parking Meeting

November 17, 2025
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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

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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 Committee members are able to review testimony prior to the meeting, we request written testimony be submitted 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting date and time.

Written testimony may be submitted by one of the methods listed below:

- By email to: dcab@doh.hawaii.gov
- By U.S. Postal Mail:
Attn: Executive Director, 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. Roll Call/Introductions
- III. Public Testimonies Submitted – Review
 1. Concern with requiring medical certification for renewal of a long term placard.
 2. Phone call – concern with physician who would not certify applicant with a prosthetic leg due to interpretation of person with a disability as defined in §291-51 Hawaii Revised Statutes.
- IV. Approval of Meeting Minutes for September 8, 2025.
- V. Old Business
 - A. Concern with availability of appointments at City and County of Honolulu issuing locations and change in policy to no longer assist people without internet access.
 - B. County Memorandums of Agreement (MOA) – Parking Program.
 - C. Maui County [Parking Ambassadors Program](#).
 - D. Public Education Efforts
 1. How to Design an Accessible Parking Space Brochure.
 2. Proposed procedure to send warning letters to vehicle owners who use fraudulently manufactured or altered placards.
 - E. State Capitol Building, Parking, and Accessibility Concerns.
 - F. State Legislation - Update
 1. [Senate Bill 1008 House Draft 1 Conference Draft 1](#) - Relating to Parking. Authorizes the counties to adopt ordinances to enforce the accessible parking space requirements for parking spaces reserved for persons with disabilities and electric vehicles.
 2. Bill 2026-0016 HB HMSO-1 - Relating to Parking. Prohibits the issuance of a citation for encroachment into an access aisle by a vehicle with a disability parking permit unless an oral complaint is made to a law enforcement officer or 911 dispatcher by a person who also has a valid disability parking permit and whose access was directly impeded.

Requires a law enforcement officer to verify the validity of the complainant's disability parking permit before issuing a citation.

VI. New Business

A. Review of DCAB Legislative Position Statements for Parking Related Bills and Resolutions.

- **Support** legislation that would allow permittees who qualify for a Disabled Paid Parking Exemption Permit to receive the parking fee exemption through a special license plate.
- **Support** legislation relating to efforts to issue citations for illegal parking in accessible parking spaces consistent with the penalty amounts provided under Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapter 291, Part III.
- **Support** legislation regarding methods for members of the public to report the use of an expired disability parking placard to obtain parking privileges or a vehicle parked in an access aisle while displaying a disability parking placard or special license plates.
- **Support** legislation enforcing accessible parking design requirements.
- **Support** 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.
- **Support** legislation to amend the meter fee exemption from “2.5 hours or the maximum time the meter allows” to “4.5 hours.”
- **Support** legislation to increase the minimum number of parking spaces for persons with disabilities or study the issue.
- **Support** legislation to establish a disability travel placard.

B. Disability Parking Placard Issuance Statistics for Quarter 1 Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

C. Email Notification to Permittees of Pending Parking Permit Expirations for Quarter 1 Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

D. Procurement of Disability Parking Placards and Month/Year Decals.

E. Death Records Crossmatch and Disability Parking Permit Retrieval.

F. Webpage for Reporting Placard or Access Aisle Abuse - Number of Submissions.

G. Webpage for Reporting Non-Design Compliant Accessible Spaces - Number of Submissions.

H. Draft Survey of Disability Parking Permittees.

- I. Concern with parking lots only accepting payment via QR code.
- J. Review of Smart Parking Systems
 - 1. [Italy's Smart Parking](#)
 - 2. [Gtechna Smart Parking](#)
- K. Review of Article - Fraud in the Israeli parking program for persons with disabilities.
- L. Tax credit for businesses who provide accessible parking spaces.
- VII. Open Forum: Public comment on issues not on the agenda for consideration on a future Committee agenda.
- VIII. Next Meeting
- IX. Adjournment

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

The agenda and meeting materials for this meeting are available for inspection at the DCAB 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/>.