



## Aloha and Welcome

Kamehameha Highway
Repair and Repaint Karsten Thot Bridge
Public Information Meeting

Department of Transportation Highways Division

September 18, 2014 Wahiawa District Park





# Meeting Agenda

- Purpose of Tonight's Meeting
- Project Purpose and Need
- Project Overview
- Estimated Construction Schedule
- Construction Information Program
- Temporary Traffic Control
- Public Questions/Comments





# Purpose of Tonight's Meeting

- Provide the Community with an update and advanced notice of upcoming Karsten Thot Bridge construction
- Provide traffic control information including detour routes
- Allow for Community questions and comments





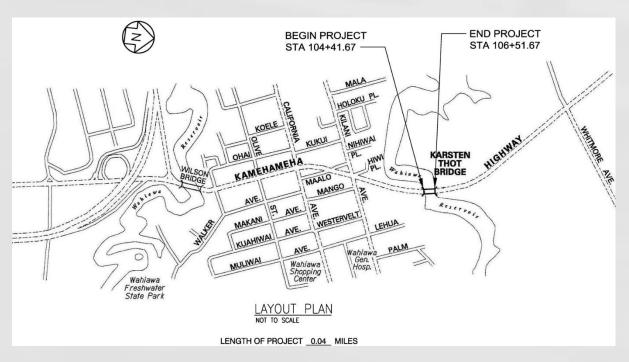
## **Project Purpose and Need**

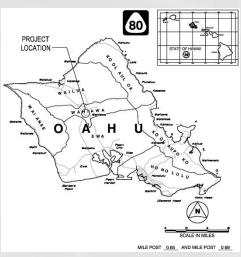
- Prolong the life expectancy of Karsten Thot Bridge
- Provide follow-up repair work to 2012 emergency repair project
- Improve vehicular safety
- Improve pedestrian and bicyclist safety





## **Project Overview**









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- Repair corroded structural steel
- Repair walkway and guard railings
- Paint and provide corrosion protection over the entire Bridge
- Maintain historical aesthetics of bridge in accordance with State Historic Preservation Division (SHPD)





#### **Estimated Construction Schedule**

Tentative start of construction: February 2015

Estimated project duration: ~ 13 months

Construction working days
 requiring traffic control: ~ 11 months





## **Construction Information Program**

- Contractor will send informational flyers with contact information (Hotline) at least 2 weeks prior to start of construction.
- Contractor will develop a web page that will link to the HDOT website and will contain the following information:
  - Project Scope of Work
  - Project Site Map
  - Phone Number of Contractor's 24/7 Hotline for Comments
  - Project Schedule
  - Traffic Control Road/Lane Closures and Detour Routes





#### **Coordinated Process**

- Other agencies that we will continue to communicate with during construction are:
  - State Department of Education
  - Schofield Barracks & Wheeler
  - Oahu Transit Services
  - Hawaii Transportation Association
  - Honolulu Police Department
  - Honolulu Fire Department
  - C&C of Honolulu Department of Transportation Services
  - C&C of Honolulu Department of Emergency Management Services





## **Temporary Traffic Control**

- Day Time (No Lane Closures)
- Night Time (Single Lane Closures)
- Night Time (Full Road Closure)



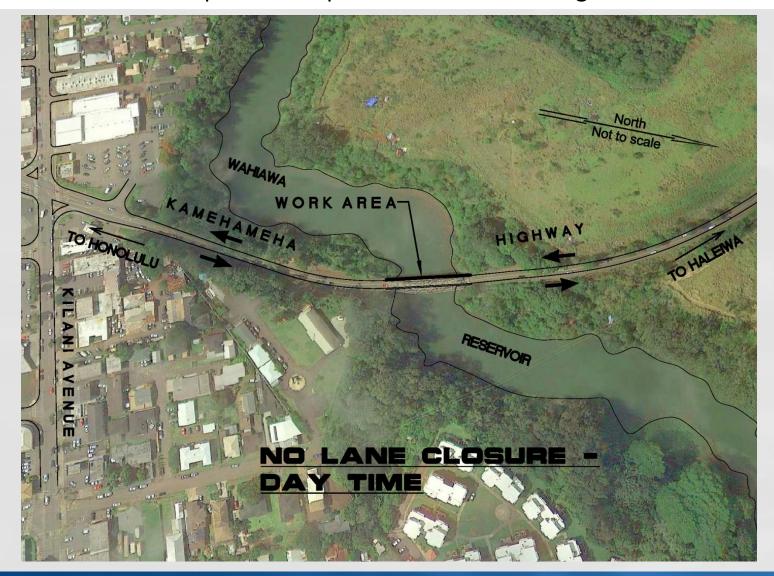


# Day Time (No Lane Closures)

- Height Restriction
  - Project scaffolding will require reducing the height clearance of Karsten Thot Bridge to 12 feet for the first half of project.
- Work Hours
  - 8:30 AM to 3 PM

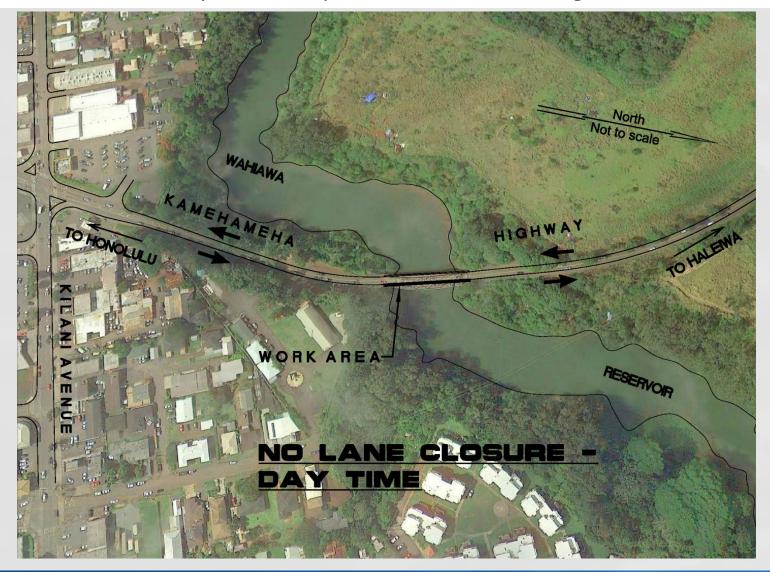














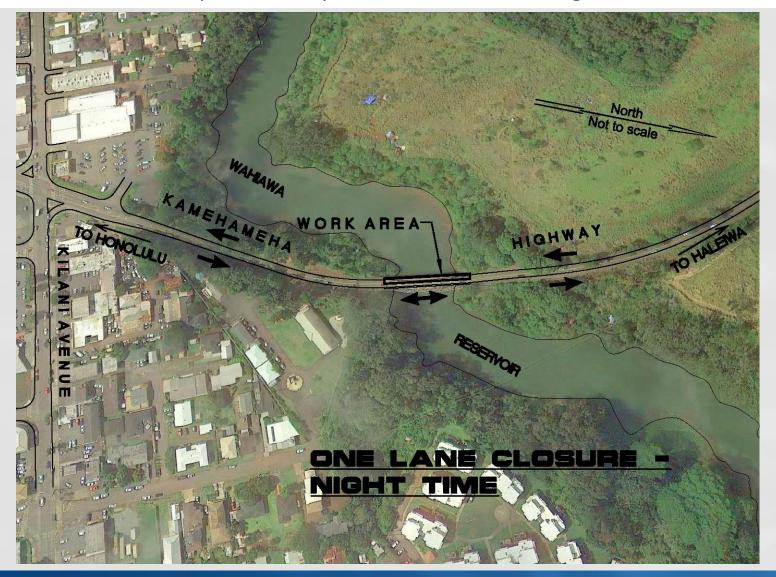


# Night Time (Single Lane Closures)

- Two-way, One-lane Operations
- Height Restriction
  - Project scaffolding will require reducing the height clearance of Karsten Thot Bridge to 12 feet for the first half of the project.
- Work Hours
  - 9 PM to 5 AM

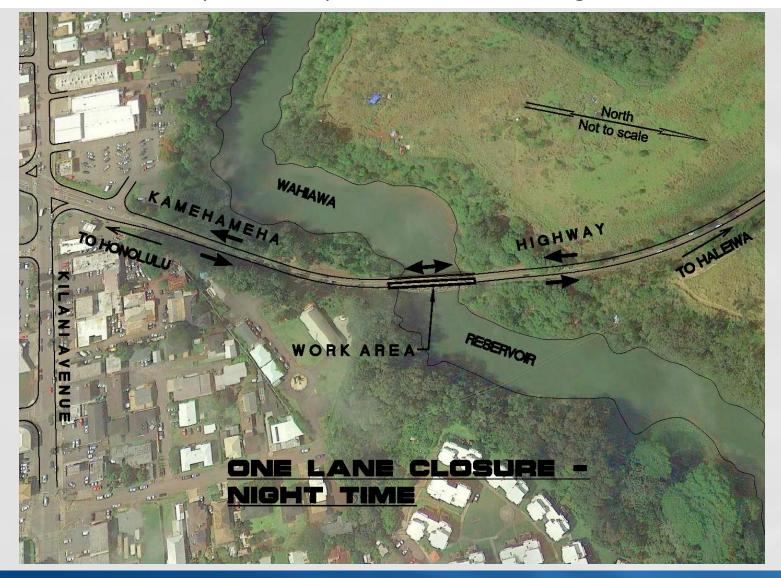














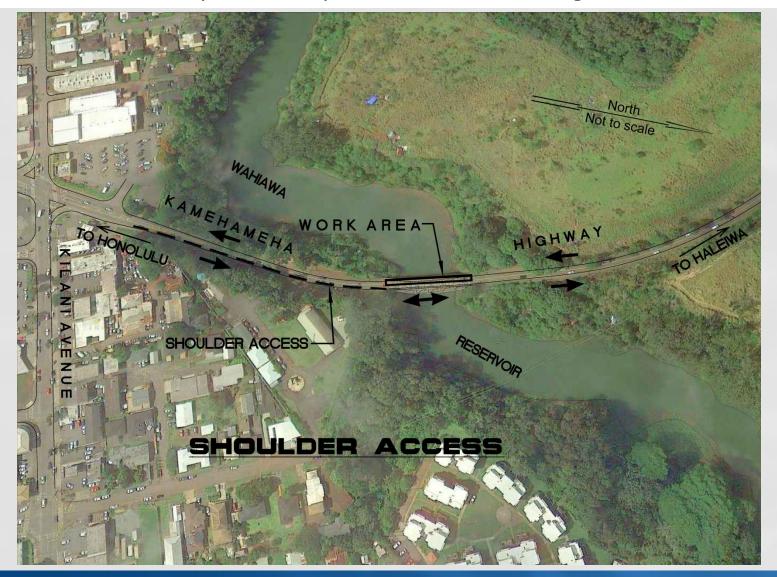


#### **Shoulder Access**

- Day Time & Night Time (Single Lane Closures)
  - Shoulder access will be provided along one side of Kamehameha Highway. Pedestrians will be diverted at the Kamehameha Highway/Whitmore Avenue and Kamehemeha Highway/Kilani Avenue intersections.
  - Lane will be narrowed to provide shoulder access adjacent to northbound Kamehameha Highway between Kilani Avenue and the Karsten Thot Bridge.
- Night Time (Full Road Closure)
  - Shoulder access will be closed.









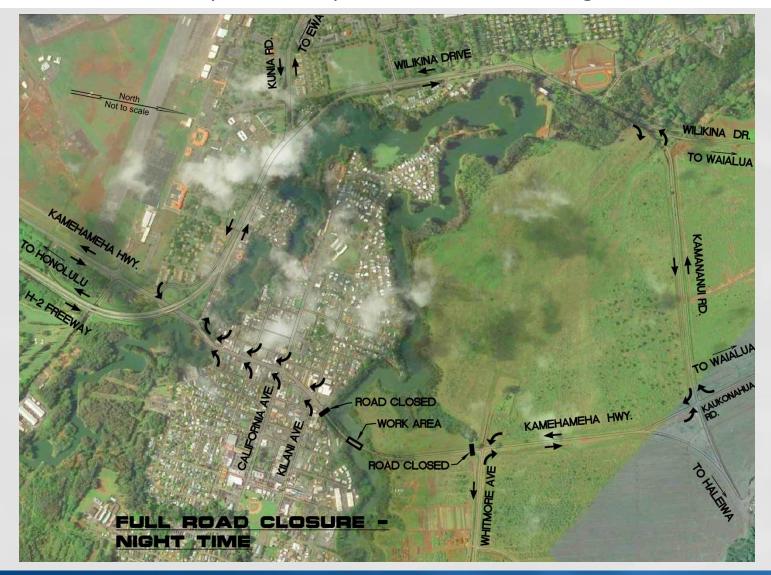


# Night Time (Full Road Closure)

- During the closure of the Karsten Thot Bridge, access between Honolulu and North Shore will be provided by Wilikina Drive.
- Limited to the setup/removal of scaffolding
  - Six nights total
    - Three nights at beginning of top side work
    - Three nights at end of bridge top side work
- Work Hours
  - 9 PM to 4 AM











# Public Questions/Comments





## Mahalo

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