



DOWNTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD NO. 13

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DOWNTOWN NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 2010
PAUAHI COMMUNITY CENTER
171 NORTH PAUAHI STREET
7:00 P.M.

Reminder of order and decorum: Persons wishing to speak on agenda items must raise their hand and, when recognized, address the Chair. Each member of the audience is entitled to speak once for up to two minutes on any agenda item unless otherwise directed by the Chair. Guests please sign in.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INTRODUCTION OF BOARD MEMBERS

III. PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS

- A. Honolulu Fire Department
- B. Honolulu Police Department
- C. Neighborhood Citizen's Patrols

IV. COMMUNITY CONCERNS (3 minutes each)

- A. Hawaii Pacific University
- B. Honolulu Culture and Arts District
- C. Safe Haven
- D. Honolulu Rail Transit
- E. Chinatown Business & Community Association
- F. Public (2 minutes each for issues not on the agenda)

V. ELECTED OFFICIALS

- A. City and County
 - 1. Mayor and City Council
 - a. Chinese New Year's street closures, Friday, February 5 for Lion Dance Blessings and Saturday, February 6 for Night In Chinatown, including possible board action
- B. State
 - 1. State Senators and State Representatives

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Privatization of TheBus stops (5 minutes)
- B. Park benches for Fort Street Mall (5 minutes)

VII. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Aloha Tower Development Corporation - presentation on revised plans for Irwin Park and the Aloha Tower area. (10 minutes)
- B. Neighborhood Commission Budget proposals: Reduce number of board meetings per year to nine or fewer; replace newsletters with 'Olelo; extend board terms to four years; redistricting the boards; provide member with CDs of plan and guidebook instead of paper copies. (10 minutes)
- C. Worm pilot program for food waste disposal for Chinatown merchants (5 minutes)
- D. City Council Resolution 09-364 on requesting City to prepare and fund special area plan for Chinatown.
- E. Legislative items for upcoming legislative session (30 minutes). Issues include: urination bill, third convictions for johns, ambulance noise, temporary task force to work on noise control, criminals' pictures being posted, prostitution within 1000 feet of school, vector control for Chinatown, removal of one percent



art funding for State building contracts, increase in state excise tax, state taking transit tax receipts, State move to keep the transient accommodations tax instead of following current procedure and giving to the counties. (15 minutes)

VIII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. DECEMBER 3, 2009 REGULAR MEETING

IX. BOARD REPORTS

A. Chair's Report

- a. Neighborhood Commission Executive Secretary resigning
- 1. Other liquor license applications or street closures
 - a. Request by 39 Hotel to remain open until 4am denied
- 2. Future agenda items
 - a. Liquor Commission notification of Board
 - b. City and County budget proposals
- 3. Neighborhood Commission
- 4. Queen's Medical Center Plan Review Use
- 5. Office of Information Practice reports

B. Treasurer's Report

C. City and County Affairs

D. Oahu Metropolitan Planning Organization (OMPO)

X. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. The next regular meeting is scheduled for February 4, 2010, Pauahi Community Center, 171 North Pauahi Street at 7:00 p.m.
- B. The Neighborhood Citizen's Patrol meets each Tuesday on the Diamondhead side of Kukui Plaza at 8:00 p.m. Please consider joining the patrol and supporting its efforts as they express their service and pride in our Downtown/Chinatown community.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

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