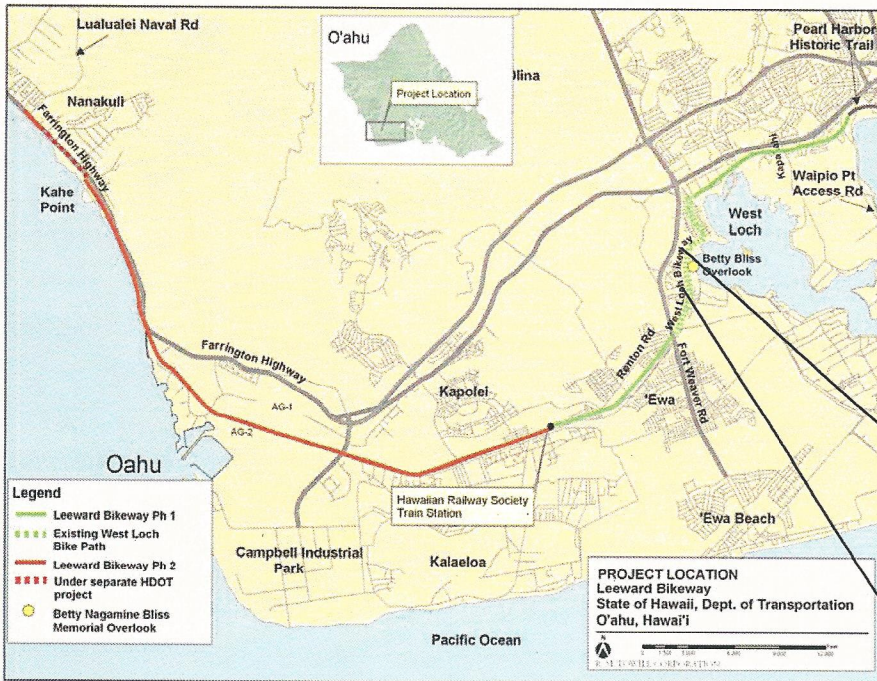




Pearl Harbor National Wildlife Refuge Hono`uli`uli Unit Betty Nagamine Bliss Memorial Overlook



Originally designed as a component of the Leeward Bike Path, the public overlook/board walk will provide educational and recreational opportunities for the public.

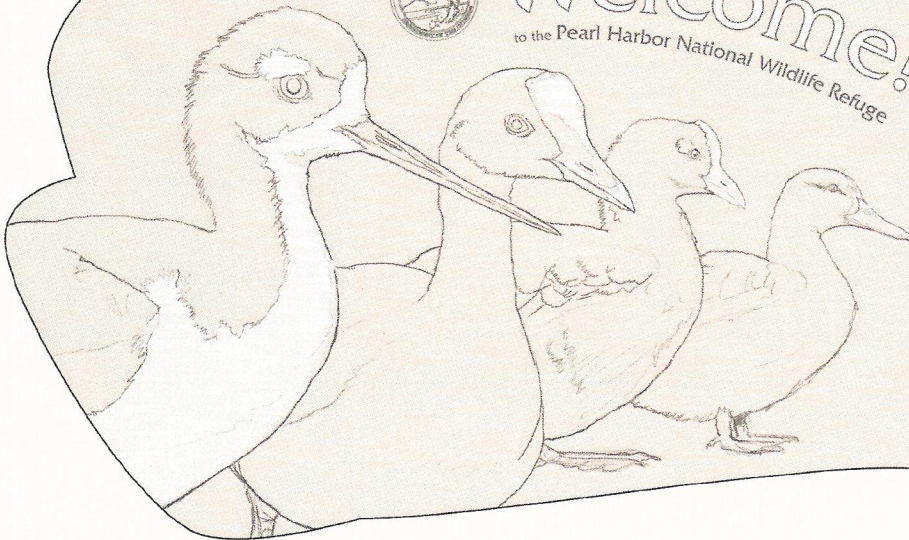
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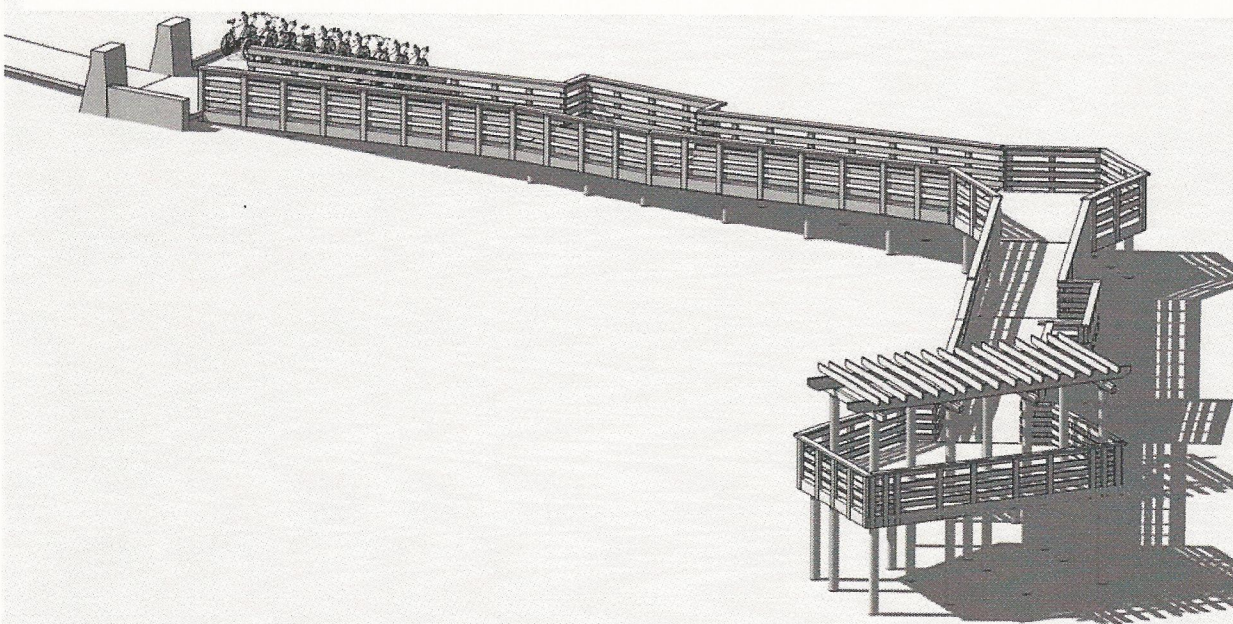
Welcome!

to the Pearl Harbor National Wildlife Refuge



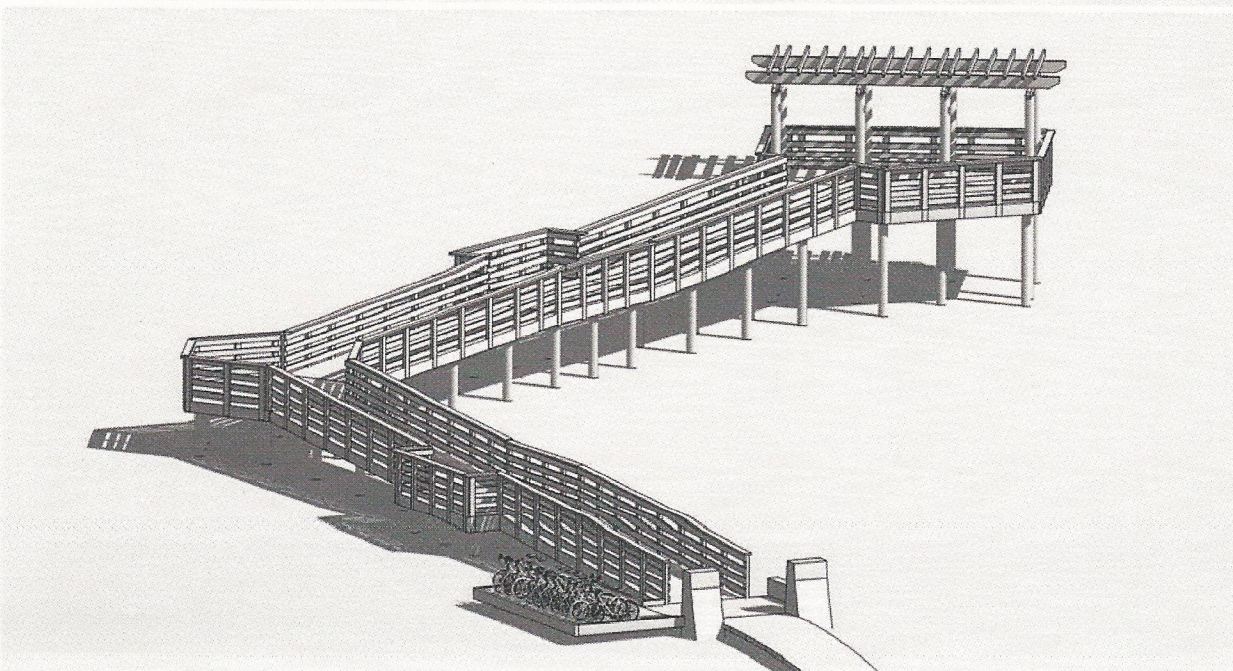
What is this pond just beyond the fence? This is the Honouliuli Unit of Pearl Harbor National Wildlife Refuge. You can see this wetland home of these four endangered Hawaiian birds from the overlook at the end of this path. Come on up and learn how one Honolulu teacher's tenacity led to the creation of this site by the State of Hawaii, the Federal Avalation Administration, and the U.S. Navy. Who says one person can't make a difference!

Do you know the Hawaiian names for these four birds? Even if you do—go up and meet the neighbors.



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Invasive Mangrove Removal scheduled for September-October 2013



Construction of the Overlook is scheduled to start in October 2013

Interpretive Panel Installation is scheduled for March 2014



Pearl Harbor National Wildlife Refuge Purpose



The purpose of the Pearl Harbor National Wildlife Refuge is for the protection and management of endangered waterbirds and endangered plants.



View from Overlook



Alae ke'oke'o (Hawaiian Coot)



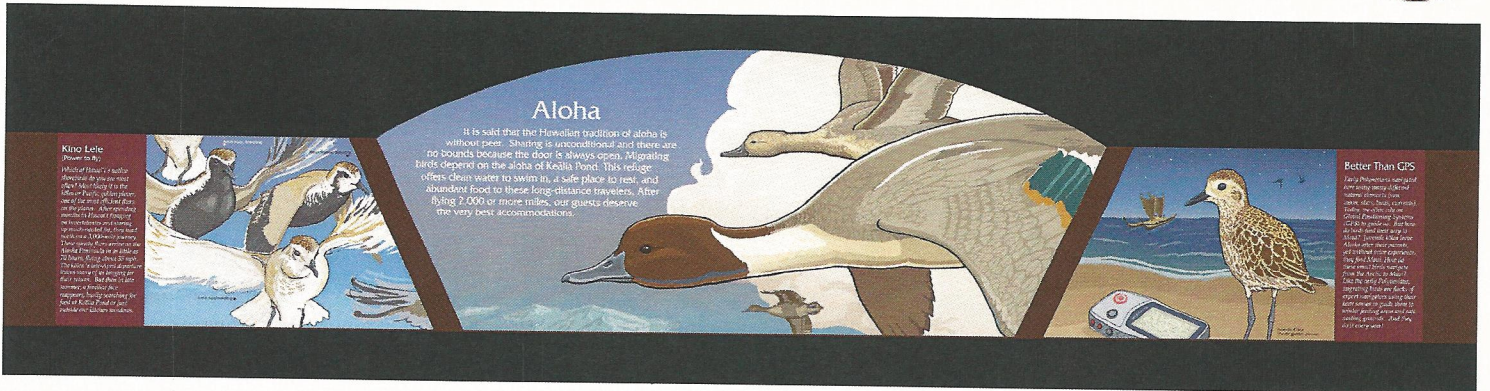
Alae 'ula (Hawaiian Moorhen)



Ae'o (Hawaiian Stilt)



Education, Outreach and Community



Interpretive panels will tell many stories and are being done with assistance from the National Park Service. Themes will include:

- The Betty Nagamine Bliss Story: how McKinley High School teacher Betty Nagamine Bliss spoke for the birds and convinced the government to set aside habitat that became the Pearl Harbor National Wildlife Refuge;
- The Refuge purpose and information about the endangered native waterbirds;
- Hawaiian history and culture; and
- U.S. Navy and World War II history related to Pearl Harbor

