

'Ewa Monthly Report for May 2019 CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 9

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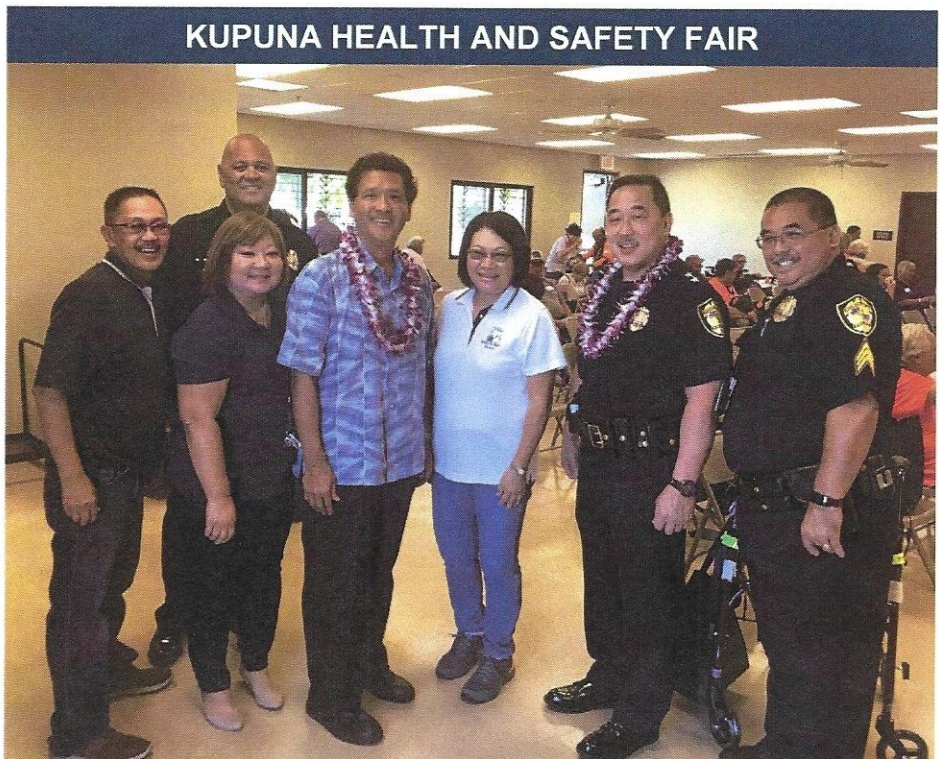
Message from Councilmember Ron Menor

Congratulations to all of the students who received their diplomas at the **University of Hawaii - West Oahu spring commencement ceremony** on May 4. Best wishes to all of the graduates as they begin the next chapter of their lives.

Congratulations also to the **James Campbell High School (JCHS) varsity softball team** which defeated Leilehua High School to capture the OIA Division I championship. This is the Sabers' seventh OIA championship.

On May 5, I attended the annual **JCHS Aloha Concert** at the Pearl City Cultural Center. The students put on a wonderful production and I was impressed by their performances. The JCHS band program also recognized **Ewa Makai Middle School band teacher John Iyoki** who will be retiring at the end of the school year. Many of the students who performed were former students of Mr. Iyoki and it was a heartfelt sendoff to their former mentor.

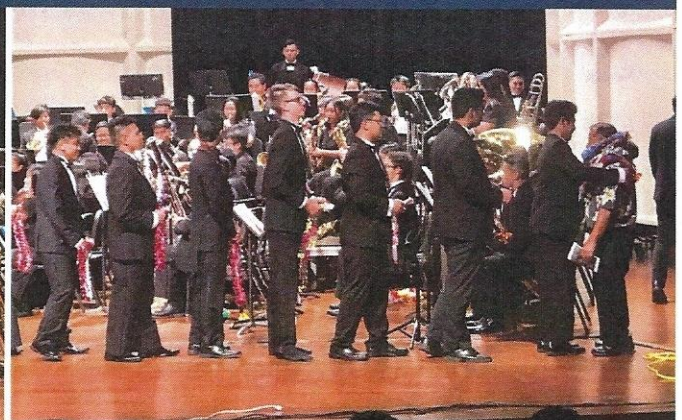
Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your City Councilmember. For more details about my activities as your councilmember, please log on to: facebook.com/CouncilmemberRonMenor. If you are ever in need of assistance, you may contact me at any time at 768-5009 or via email at: rmenor@honolulu.gov. **And to all of our mothers, Happy Mother's Day!**
Mahalo!



KUPUNA HEALTH AND SAFETY FAIR

Councilmember Menor attended Weed & Seed Hawaii's annual Kupuna Health and Safety Fair on April 26 at Ewa Mahiko Gym. Each year he delivers a brief welcome to the kupuna in attendance and donates tangerines to the event. This free event connects kupuna with various senior services and workshop opportunities. Presentations were given on topics ranging from emergency preparedness to tactics to prevent identity theft. Pictured from left, Ewa Beach McDonald's General Manager Richard Quiamzon, Weed & Seed Executive Director Gale Bracerros, Corporal Roland Pagan, Debbie Luning, Assistant Chief Darren Chun, and Sergeant PJ Lee.

2019 JAMES CAMPBELL HIGH SCHOOL ALOHA CONCERT



(Left photo) The James Campbell High School (JCHS) band program held its annual Aloha Concert on May 5 at the Pearl City Cultural Center. The production, entitled Music From Our Hearts, featured performances from the school's jazz, concert, and symphonic bands as well as saxophone and clarinet ensembles. (Right photo) Student performers took turns giving leis to Ewa Makai Middle School band teacher John Iyoki. Mr. Iyoki, who will be retiring at the end of the year, taught many of the JCHS band members when they were students at Ewa Makai Middle School.

UPDATE ON COMMUNITY CONCERNS

The following is an update on several of the many community issues that Councilmember Menor has been addressing:

Renton Road Damage

Board Member John Rogers requested that the City consider restricting heavy work trucks from driving along Renton Road as these vehicles have damaged the road on multiple occasions. Councilmember Menor submitted a Request for Investigation and Service Report (RISR) requesting the City consider Board Member Roger's suggestion. He will continue to monitor this issue.

Asing Community Park Sprinklers

Board Member Jason Locke reported that the sprinkler system at Asing Community Park had been damaged and that the grass in the area had dried out. Councilmember Menor submitted a RISR asking the City to repair the sprinkler system as soon as possible. He will provide an update when this work has been completed.

Ewa Mahiko District Park Gym

On April 26, Councilmember Menor conducted a site inspection at Ewa Mahiko

District Park Gym and observed areas that need to be repaired. He has submitted a RISR requesting that the City address the following issues: a leaking HVAC system that has created water damage in numerous areas; a leak in the roof above the basketball court that has damaged the floor and the lighting system; damaged light fixtures above the basketball court; and clogged ventilation slats around the basketball court that are restricting air flow into the gym.

Councilmember Menor will push for the City to have these repairs completed and provide any necessary updates.

Ewa Mahiko District Park

Councilmember Menor previously met with members of the Ewa Beach Little League regarding needed improvements at Ewa Mahiko District Park which is used by the league for practices and games. In an effort to address their concerns, Councilmember Menor has inserted funds in the City Budget for these improvements. These monies will be used to install bleachers and a storage container at the park.

Upcoming Meetings

Committee Meetings

Council committee meetings will be held at Honolulu Hale, Room 205, as follows:

Tuesday - May 21, 2019

- Parks, Community Services, & Intergovernmental Affairs: 9 am
- Business, Econ Dev, and Tourism: 10:30 am
- Executive Matters & Legal Affairs: 1 pm

Wednesday - May 22, 2019

- Budget: 9 am
- Public Infrastructure, Technology, & Sustainability: 1 pm

Thursday - May 23, 2019

- Zoning, Planning, & Housing: 9 am
- Transportation: 1 pm
- Public Safety & Welfare: 2:30 pm

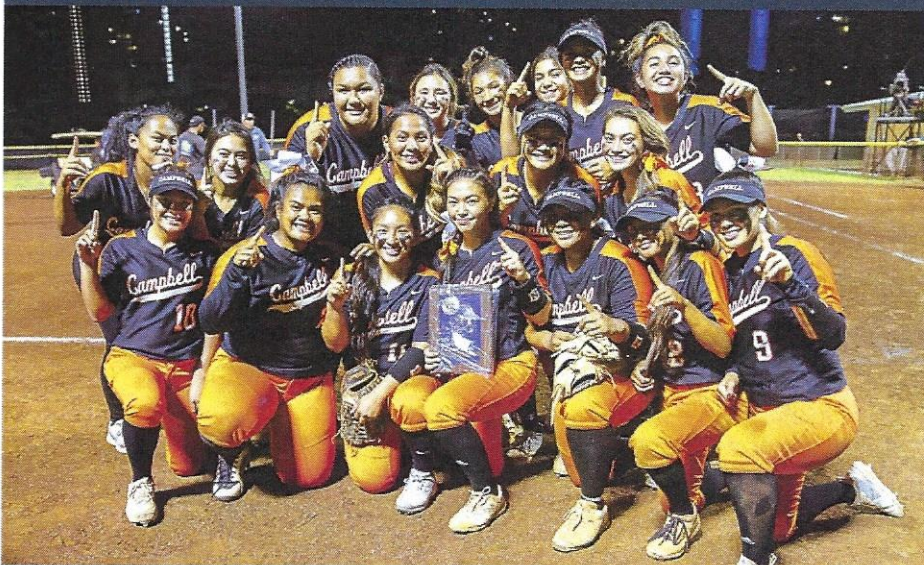
Council Meeting

Wednesday - June 5, 2019

Honolulu Hale, 530 South King Street
Third Floor Council Chambers

- Morning Session: 10 am
- Afternoon Session: 1:30 pm

OUT 'N ABOUT IN THE COMMUNITY



(Top photo) The James Campbell High School varsity softball team posed for a photo after defeating Leilehua High School to capture its seventh OIA championship on April 20. **(Bottom photo)** UH - West Oahu held its 2019 spring commencement ceremony on May 4. More than 340 students received their diploma at the end of the spring term.

Useful City Contact Information

- For concerns regarding refuse collection and bulky items:
 - ⇒ Wahiawa baseyard (Kunia Camp, Mililani, Waipio Acres) 768-3200
- To dispose of household trash and residential waste material: 226-2996 (Ewa Convenience Center)
- To report an abandoned vehicle: 733-2530
- To report a pothole: 768-7777 (City street) or 536-7852 (State road) or email: www1.honolulu.gov/dfm/road/pothole.htm
- To file a complaint with the City's complaint office: 768-4381 or email: complaints@honolulu.gov
- To report sidewalks that are cracked or uplifted: 768-8159
- For concerns regarding park maintenance: 675-6030
- For concerns regarding bus and handivan operations: 768-8300
- For concerns regarding motor vehicle registration and drivers' licensing: 532-4324 or 532-4325
- Barking dogs: HPD (911) or the Hawaiian Humane Society (946-2187)
- Crowing roosters: 799-7791
- For complaints regarding public trees: 971-7151
- For complaints regarding satellite city halls: 532-7747
- For permits at City campgrounds: 768-3440
- For updates/ traffic advisories on Honolulu's rail transit project: 566-2299