



NEIGHBORHOOD BOARD INFORMATION SHEET October 2019

MAIN BREAK REPORT:

On September 5, 2019, there was an 8-inch water main break at 1507 Hoohulu Street in Pearl City.

GENERAL WATER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Imagine a Day Without Water- October 23.

The Board of Water Supply (BWS), City and County of Honolulu's Department of Environmental Services (ENV), Facility Maintenance (DFM) and Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency (Resilience Oahu) are working together to encourage Oahu residents to Imagine A Day Without Water on Wednesday, October 23. This one-day national observance aims to educate people about the importance of water in their lives and to raise awareness about the need to invest in water infrastructure. Join us on October 23 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Tamarind Park or Kapolei Hale. Visitors will play games, win prizes, and receive educational handouts.

Participants can also enter our social media photo contest by posting a picture that illustrates a Day Without Water. The grand prize winner will select either a 35 or 55-gallon rain barrel or an unthirsty plant with a bag of Granulite Brand fertilizer and an eco-friendly basil planter. For more information about the event and photo contest, please visit the BWS's website at www.boardofwatersupply.com/oahuwater or pick up a flyer before you leave this evening.

Board of Water Supply Facilities Tour Program

The Board of Water Supply (BWS) offers public education programs to help the community understand and learn about our water resources. One of our outreach programs include "group tours" of the Halawa Xeriscape Garden (60 persons maximum) and Waihe'e Tunnel (30 persons maximum). The Halawa Xeriscape Garden is located in Halawa Valley's Central Park Industrial Area and promotes outdoor water conservation. The Waihe'e Tunnel Tour will awaken your senses with a walk inside the 1,500-foot dike tunnel that provides water to Windward Oahu. These tours are scheduled to start on December 15 and are available by appointment only. Please register by calling 808-748-5041 or email tours@hbws.org. Provided tonight is a handout containing information about the Board of Water Supply's Facilities Tour Program.

Comments/Questions: