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HAWAII STATE COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN  
PUBLIC MEETING & EXECUTIVE SESSION  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 2021, 12:00 PM –1:15 PM  
VIRTUAL MEETING VIA ZOOM

*In light of the evolving COVID-19 situation, protecting the health and welfare of the community is of utmost concern. As such, this will be a virtual meeting and written and verbal testimony will be accepted. If you would like to testify virtually via Zoom, please email [ctrinh@dhs.hawaii.gov](mailto:ctrinh@dhs.hawaii.gov) for more information by Noon on Friday, April 16, 2021.*

*If you are only interested in attending, please register here and the Zoom invitation will be sent directly to you: <https://tinyurl.com/yff7773m>. Mahalo!*

- I. PUBLIC NOTICE, CALL TO ORDER, ESTABLISH QUORUM (2 Minutes)
- II. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE JANUARY 19, 2021 MEETING (5 Minutes)
- III. PUBLIC COMMENT (20 Minutes)
  - A. *Verbal or written testimony should be requested via email to [ctrinh@dhs.hawaii.gov](mailto:ctrinh@dhs.hawaii.gov) by Noon on Friday, April 16, 2021.*
  - B. *Due to the timing of this meeting, public comments may be addressed at the next Commission meeting.*
  - C. Presentation by Tanya Smith-Johnson, Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies (10 mins)
  - D. Presentation by Amanda Shaw and Leela Bilmes Goldstein, PhD, Women's Fund of Hawai'i (10 mins)
- IV. REPORTS (22 Minutes)
  - A. Executive Director's Report (5 mins)
    1. Legislation
    2. Budget
    3. Anti-Racism and Diversity Equity and Inclusion Update
  - B. Chair's Report (5 mins)
    1. Legislative Policy: Vote on Sunshine Law & Delegation to Staff
    2. Transition Planning
  - C. State Commissioners' Reports and Updates (12 mins)
    1. Stacey Moniz, Maui Commissioner - (4 mins)
      - a) Continue discussion from August 26 & November 12, 2020, January 19, 2021: Plan for event on Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women's event on May 5th, 2021
      - b) Ma'i Movement partnership
        - (1) Support for county proclamations
        - (2) Ma'i Movement awareness events in May
    2. Cyd Hoffeld, Hawai'i Commissioner - (4 mins)
      - a) Update from Hawai'i Committee on the Status of Women
      - b) The Status of Women in Hawai'i County Report

3. Edie Ignacio-Neumiller (4 Minutes)

- a) Collaboration with Chair of the Fairfax, Virginia Commission for Women, Lisa Sales, regarding legislation that impacts violence against women and gender equality
- b) High School Essay Contest for Women’s History Month

V. EXECUTIVE SESSION: The Commission anticipates going into Executive Session to discuss the perpetuation of HRS 92-5 (a)(2) and HRS 367-2.5 (24 mins)

VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS (1 min)

VII. ADJOURNMENT (1 mins)

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