

**ADA Coordinator Activities
October 2007**

ADA - Title II & S. 504

- Disability Rights Hawaii complained Hilo Public Safety Building was inaccessible. Police provided Program Access. Followed up with Police that carrying the person with disability is not permitted;
- Provided information re Service Animals to Driver's Licensing Division, Finance;
- Responded to inquiry from Engineering Division, Public Works re installation of traffic signals where no sidewalk;
- Responded to inquiry from Highways Division, Public Works re sidewalk that is 36 ½ " width;
- Forwarded request for additional accessible parking near pool entrance at Kona Community Aquatic Center to Director Parks and Recreation;
- Forwarded complaint about broken sidewalks Kinoole St. to Public Works;
- Ordered copies of Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines (ADAAG) for Public Works and Parks and Recreation;
- Sent County Clerk information re how to check satellite offices for accessibility;
- Responded to inquiry from Planning re requirements for placement of accessible parking spaces;
- Forwarded design standards from Traffic Division on Accessible On-Street Parking spaces to the Disability and Communication Access Board for review and comment;
- Asked Public Works to fix broken detectable warning at corner of Aupuni Street;
- Followed up with person who complained about not enough accessible parking at Café Pesto;
- Forwarded complaint re debris on sidewalk under banyan tree to Public Works;
- Informed complainant that State would clean curb cut at Borders in Hilo;
- Went to Kona Community Aquatic Center to inspect site where person requested installation of handrails;
- Sent DCAB information regarding County Council hearing of testimony on Bills 51 and 151;
- Attended DCAB workshop on Emergency Preparedness;
- Met with representatives from Department of Parks and Recreation, Department of Land and Natural Resources, and Volcanoes National Park to discuss draft guidelines for Outdoor Recreational Areas;
- Met with Corporation Counsel and Traffic Division Head to discuss accessible on-street parking;
- Visited Paaulo Senior Nutrition Center to review accessibility.

Title I

- Responded to inquiry re reasonable modification for employee using medical marihuana;
- Responded to inquiry re employee unable to qualify for Commercial Driver's License;
- Provided job information to an applicant who was deaf in alternate format;
- Responded to inquiry from County Department re scheduling of job interviews in an inaccessible room.

Title III

- Referred Main Street Pahoa to Hawaii Disability Rights regarding issues of non-compliance of private businesses;
- Referred person who fell at Hilo Farmers' Market to Hawaii Disability Rights.

Other ADA Activities

- Attended National Conference of ADA Coordinators in Salt Lake City, Utah;
- Attended Aging and Disability Resource Center Meeting.