News Release
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County announces changes in Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the Department of Liquor Control

The County of Kaua‘i announces the following changes in Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for the Department of Liquor Control in order to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of the people of Kaua‘i from the potential spread of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19).

Effective, Monday, June 1, in-person meetings with staff will be allowed by appointment only. Appointments need to be made 24 hours in advance. Office hours will be from 6:45 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday to Thursday, during the COVID-19 emergency declaration.

It is recommended that all liquor license renewal applications be submitted via mail. All applications need to be submitted by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 30, 2020.

Any questions should be sent to liquor@kauai.gov or by calling 241-4966.

Managers testing will resume at a later date. When testing resumes, it will also be done by appointment only. Persons whose managers cards expired during the COVID-19 emergency will not need to be re-tested. Appointments will be necessary to come in and renew cards. Appointments will also be required for first time card applicants.

To view a copy of the emergency proclamation, visit the County of Kaua‘i’s website at www.kauai.gov/KEMA.
For more information and to sign up for daily updates from the state Department of Health relating to current COVID-19 information, visit https://health.hawaii.gov/news/covid-19-updates/.

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