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Hope Treatment Services to manage Adolescent Treatment and Healing Center

HANAMĀ'ULU – County officials are announcing that Hope Treatment Services will manage operations for the Adolescent Treatment and Healing Center (ATHC).

“Mahalo to our County of Kaua'i Housing and Purchasing staff for their diligence and work during the RFP process to choose a vendor that will manage operations for the ATHC,” said Mayor Derek S. K. Kawakami. “This project would not be possible without the vision of Mayor Baptiste and Mayor Carvalho, the work of the Blue Ribbon Panel, and the input and engagement of the Hanamā'ulu community. I applaud Hope Treatment Services and wish them the best of luck moving forward.”

“We are excited and are looking forward to working with the community with helping our youth,” said Stanley Perpignan, program director for Hope Treatment Services.

A grand opening for the center is being planned for the first week of December.

Located on a 5.8-acre parcel donated by Grove Farm, the center has the capacity to provide a comprehensive, collaborative, community-based, clinically-sound, and family-centered infrastructure for delivery of mental health and substance-abuse related supportive services to adolescents and their families.

The center includes an eight-bedroom residential structure with additional open space for recreational and agricultural healing activities; and a building dedicated for community and/or



professional treatment support services with attached classrooms. A resource and support room for families, and an additional space for continued education and training.

The state and the County of Kaua'i funded the project's construction and site improvements.

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Photo caption: The center includes space for both inpatient and outpatient treatment services, a certified kitchen to prepare meals and value-added agricultural products, along with a dining room, classroom spaces, and a laundry facility.

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