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Lane closure for sections of Mailihuna Road scheduled from May 8 to May 13

KAPA'A – The Department of Public Works and Grace Pacific LLC., are announcing that portions

of Mailihuna Road will be closed from May 8 to May 13, from 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

A portion of Mailihuna Road will experience periodic one-lane closures and road narrowing. The closure is necessary for clearing and grubbing, roadway excavation, and roadway construction. During work hours, lanes will be shifted to help accommodate for the construction.

Please note that the new Kolohala Road entrance will now be the permanent new route.

Motorists are advised to expect brief and occasional delays. Please exercise caution and drive slowly when commuting through the work area.

The project aims to construct a peanut-shaped roundabout, sidewalks, paved shoulders, and various other roadway improvements to help improve the safety and operations of the 5-way intersection of these three roads and for people using multiple modes to travel efficiently and safely through Kawaihau Road, Hau'a'ala Road, and Mailihuna Road located in Kapa'a. This area contains St. Catherine's School/Church, Kapa'a High School, Kapa'a Elementary School, Mahelona Hospital, and Gore Park.

The project has an estimated completion date of October 2023.

Dates and times are subject to change depending on weather and other factors.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Junard Mata of Grace Pacific, LLC. at 808-694-9784.



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