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Mission: To plan, build, and maintain quality, sustainable facilities through contracting, engineering, environmental, planning, public works, real estate, and utilities services to supported commands and other federal agency customers in the state of Hawaii.

September is National Preparedness Month

Hurricane Season in Hawaii runs from June 1 through Nov. 30.

Here are some helpful tips to prepare:

1. Make an Emergency Plan

- Know evacuation routes and local shelters (including pet-friendly ones).
- Plan for communication if phones are down (e.g., out-of-state emergency contact).
- Practice your plan with family members.

2. Build an Emergency Kit

Include at least **14 days** worth of:

- Water – One gallon per person per day.
- Non-perishable food – ready-to-eat items like canned goods.
- Medications & prescriptions
- First aid kit
- Flashlights, batteries, & power banks
- Hygiene items (toilet paper, soap, hand sanitizer)
- Important documents in waterproof containers (IDs, insurance, deeds)
- Cash – ATMs may not work during outages.
- Face masks & hand sanitizer (for shelters or group settings)

3. Prepare Your Home

- Trim trees and clear gutters – reduce flying debris and water buildup.
- Secure or store outdoor items (patio furniture, plants, tools).
- Install storm shutters or board up windows. Check your roof for loose shingles or leaks.

- Move vehicles to higher ground if you're in a flood-prone area.

4. Know Your Risks

- Check if you're in a flood or tsunami zone: <https://dod.hawaii.gov/hiema/>.
- Sign up for alerts via the Hawai'i Emergency Management Agency (HI-EMA) or county alert systems.

5. Review Insurance Policies

- Ensure you have hurricane and flood insurance (standard homeowners insurance often doesn't cover flooding).
- Take photos or videos of property for potential claims.

6. Stay Informed

Monitor NOAA weather radio, local news, or apps like:

- Hurricane by American Red Cross
- FEMA app
- HI-EMA alerts

Watch for Hurricane Watches and Warnings, and respond accordingly.

7. Plan for Pets

Have a pet emergency kit (food, water, carrier, leash, medication). Check which shelters are pet-friendly in your county.

For more information on National Preparedness Month, visit <https://www.ready.gov/september>

(Image courtesy of NOAA)

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*** Note: To submit your department's inputs, send email to NFHI_PAO_DL@us.navy.mil. Mahalo!

EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



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SEAN WONG

ASSISTANT COUNSEL, NAVY OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

“Working as an assistant counsel for the past three years, I primarily handle NAVFAC Hawaii’s civilian personnel matters. I didn’t initially plan on a career in government employment law but I’ve since discovered a passion for the field. The best part about working here is the people. My office is filled with smart, supportive and incredibly busy attorneys who still make time to mentor and collaborate. The sense of camaraderie is what makes coming to work so rewarding.”



ANNOUNCEMENTS

From Command Information Office (CIO)

1. Computer Bits to Byte Training

This CIO training happens **every second Thursday of the month** at 10:30 a.m. on Microsoft Teams. Trainings are to the point, quick and for everyone. Every month we will cover an item or two that will help us get better on computer related topics.

Microsoft Teams meeting:

Join on your computer, mobile app or room device. [Click here to join the meeting](#)

Or call in (audio only) +1 410-874-6751,,204088352# United States, Odenton

Phone Conference ID: 204 088 352#

2. Windows 11 Upgrade Now Available in Software Center

The Windows 11 upgrade is now available for self-installation via Software Center (see screenshot below). Upgrade can be done in-office or remotely.

Upgrade Schedule:

- General Availability: Sept. 3-14. Users can start IPU on or off premises.
- Enforcement begins Sept. 15-30. No user intervention needed, IPU can start on or off premises.
- Soft Quarantine: Oct. 1-10. In-Office Users can login to initiate IPU only.
- Hard Quarantine begins Oct. 11-14. All Windows 10 Users must be In-Office and have Service Desk Administrator start IPU. Login is blocked. For assistance, contact the NMCI Service Desk via e-mail at ServiceDesk_Navy@nmci-isf.com or call 866-843-6624. Refer to the user communication number: User Communication #20250903- 500; RFC #CMW00269251.



UPCOMING EVENTS

JOIN US
as we beautify historic
JOINT BASE
Pearl Harbor-Hickam



LOVE JBPBH

Friday, 05 Sept.
Pearl Harbor Memorial Chapel
1600 Frederick St, Honolulu, HI 96818

mustering time & location
0800 Pearl Harbor Memorial Chapel
PT/SERVICE OR UNIT PRIDE GEAR
closed-toed shoes recommended

POCS
CS1 Shigeru Brown
shigeru.d.brown.mil@us.navy.mil
CM2 (SCW/EXW) Tyler Miller
tyler.j.miller12.mil@us.navy.mil
If individuals have not received an LOA please contact CS1 Brown for assistance.



**WINGS OF ALOHA 2025
OPEN HOUSE**

Location	Date	Time
JBPB - HICKAM	SATURDAY, SEPT 13TH	9 A.M. - 4 P.M.

LEARN HOW TEAM HICKAM ENABLES AIRPOWER!

Community members will be welcomed on base with a valid U.S. ID. Free parking will be available offsite with transportation to the base provided.

Scan the QR code for more info!



Attendees can enjoy:

- A flyover
- Aircraft tours
- Interactive displays
- Information about various military career fields
- Food and drinks available for purchase
- And more!

EBA Fundraiser September's Special Plate Lunch



- [Grilled Guava Chicken](#)
- [Guava Smoke Meat](#)
- [Mac Salad](#)
- [Rice](#)

Thursday, September 25, 2025

Pick Up Location: Parking Lot Makai of X-12 (previously PWC Gas Station)
Pick Up Time: 1030-1200

***Cost: \$20 Cash only**

Payment Due to an EBA Representative by Tuesday, September 23, 2025

Emyl Dayrit 808 971-1053; Van Hiyakumoto 808 379-7407; Michelei McCabe 808 630-6420;
Shanel Unciano 808 471-4703; Curtis Wong 808 751-5554; Thomas Esclito 808 474-3372; Danette Kepa'a 808 475-1162;
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Ashford Whittington 808 321-2611; Camyl Schlenker 808 208-2748; Robert Coloma;



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

JBPHH CYP SCHOOL LIAISON PARTNERSHIP IN EDUCATION VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AT HIDEOE SCHOOLS



Schools are always looking to partner with Military/DoD Civilian volunteers. Please see volunteer opportunities below and if you are interested in signing up reach out to the JBPHH School Liaison so they can connect you with the school POC.

JBPHHSLO@us.navy.mil

Aiea High School 98-1276 Ulune St.	04 SEPT 25-19 DEC 25 Monday, Wednesday, or Friday 1400-1500	Student Athlete Tutors: Looking for 4-5 core subject tutors (math, science, language arts, history) for athletes during study hall.
Radford High School 4361 Salt Lake Blvd.	AUG 2025 - FEB 2026 One hour a week In-person or virtual	Looking for 1-3 research mentors to support students in their independent research projects which will be entered in the State Science Fair. Seeking expertise in tidal/wave energy and material science or biochemical engineering.
Hickam Elementary 825 Manzanilla Circle	24 SEPT 2025 1230-1515	Volunteers will judge students on responses or student prepared monologues for their Amazing Shake Competition. This competition teaches students soft skills important to life.
Ho'ala School 1067 California Ave #A Wahiawa, HI 96786	SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER 2025 JANUARY - MAY 2026 1435-1535	Looking for 1 or 2 advisors for their after-school robotics club. Club will meet 12 to 13 times a semester. Using the school's robotics kits, teach robotics to 7/8 elementary students, grades are K-8



STAY CONNECTED

Download **CNRH CONNECT**, the official app created for Joint Base Pearl Harbor–Hickam.

**TAP TO
INSTALL**



Apple



Android

KEY FEATURES

- Push Notifications For Breaking Updates
- Report Non-Emergency Issues
- Real-Time Updates For Gate Closures



**CHOOSE
THESE OPTIONS
TO RECEIVE
NOTIFICATIONS**

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FRIDAYS • 5-8 PM

JAN 17 • FEB 14 • MAY 23 • JUN 20
AUG 29 • OCT 10 • NOV 7

CREATE A STIR-FRIED MASTERPIECE then watch our chefs grill it up for you!
 Choose from our generous selection of fresh vegetables, meats and variety of flavorful sauces.
 Rice, noodles, and select beverages included.
 Call 808-449-7144 for reservations.

For MWR events, visit www.greatlifeohawaii.com

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