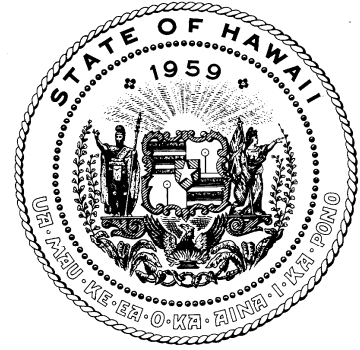


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On Wednesday, August 5, 2009 at 11:00 a.m., Senator Clayton Hee and representatives from the Livable Hawaii Kai Hui will conduct a site visit at the Hawea Heiau complex in an effort to preserve in perpetuity remnants of the historic site.

The heiau complex is located on the mauka side of the Oahu Club on Hawaii Kai Drive on property owned by Hawaii Intergenerational Community Development Association (HICDA). HICDA's for-profit company, 21st Century Homes plans to build a \$200 million luxury condominium on the site.

"Each loss of important cultural sites such as the Hawea Heiau complex is an avoidable tragedy to Hawaii's heritage, and I hope that the developer will work toward a mutual beneficial agreement to resolve this situation with sensitivity to the host culture and the East Oahu community" Hee said.

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