

**Early Learning Board Meeting**  
**Thursday, May 9, 2024**  
**AGENDA**

**1:30 pm – 4:00 pm**

**Main Site: CEED Center, KCAA**  
2707 South King Street, Honolulu, HI 96826

*The public may attend the meeting in person or remotely via the ZOOM link (see below)*

**Meeting Chair will preside at the CEED Center, KCAA Location**

**Early Learning Board Mission: *To support children’s academic and lifelong well-being by directing and supporting the EOEL for an effective, coordinated, high quality early learning system from prenatal to kindergarten entry.***

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| I.    | <b>Welcome/Mission/Announcements/Introductions</b> – Bob Peters   | 1:30 – 1:45 |
| II.   | <b>Review and Approve Minutes</b> -- Bob Peters<br><i>Outcome: Action, Approve 04/11/24 Meeting Minutes</i>   | 1:45 – 1:50 |
| III.  | <b>Governance Subcommittee: Board Chair Election Process</b> – Matt Shim<br><i>Outcome: Information, Chair Election Process &amp; Timeline</i>  | 1:50– 2:00  |
| IV.   | <b>Highlighting Innovations in Early Childhood Teacher Preparation in Hawaii</b><br>– Dr. Terry Lock, UH Manoa<br><i>Outcome: Information/Questions</i>   | 2:00 – 2:25 |
| V.    | <b>Executive Office on Early Learning</b> – Director Arikawa-Cross & Staff<br><b>EOEL Updates: Staff Introductions</b><br><b>Legislative Session Wrap-up</b><br><b>Public Pre-K Expansion &amp; Roadmap</b><br><i>Outcome: Information/Discussion as needed</i>   | 2:25 – 2:45 |
| VI.   | <b>Maui Early Childhood Status/Updates</b> – Bob Peters<br><i>Outcome: Information/Discussion</i>   | 2:45 – 2:55 |
| VII.  | <b>Public Comment*</b> -- Bob Peters<br><i>Please Note: 2-minute time limit per speaker for comments related to agenda item(s)</i>  | 2:55 – 3:05 |
| VIII. | <b>Member Updates</b> – Bob Peters<br><i>Outcome: Information</i>   | 3:05 – 3:10 |
| IX.   | <b>Board Orientation</b> – Bob Peters<br><b>EOEL: Mission, Responsibilities, Organization, Strategic Priorities</b> – Yuuko Arikawa-Cross<br><b>Deputy AG: Role, Executive Sessions, General Sunshine Laws</b> – Anne Horiuchi<br><b>ELB: Responsibilities, Organization, Website Materials/Resources</b> – Bob Peters<br><i>Outcome: Information/Questions</i> | 3:10 – 3:55 |
| X.    | <b>Review Agenda Outcomes/Announcements/Closing</b> – Bob Peters  | 3:55 – 4:00 |

\*Public comments must address items listed on the published agenda.  
Next meeting is tentatively scheduled for June 13, 1:30 – 4:00 pm.

**Public Written Testimony addressing items on the agenda** should be submitted via email to Tara Castrovinci at [tara.castrovinci@eoel.hawaii.gov](mailto:tara.castrovinci@eoel.hawaii.gov) marked TESTIMONY in the title no later than 9:00 am on May 9, 2024, or mailed to Tara Castrovinci, Executive Office on Early Learning, Prince Jonah Kuhio Elementary, 2759 S. King Street, Room C8, Honolulu, HI, 96826.

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