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## **LEI-MAKING WORKSHOP**SEPTEMBER 5 • 9AM - 3PM @ MCCULLY BRANCH

Join us on September 5, for a special lei-making experience rooted in culture, connection, and community. Hosted in partnership with Hui Pua Lei and the UH Mānoa College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources, this handson workshop will guide you through the art of lei-making, traditional techniques, and tips on plant propagation to grow your own lei garden at home.



Whether you're new to lei-making or continuing a beloved practice, we welcome you to gather, create, and celebrate with us.

For more details, please visit <u>UHFCU.com/news-and-events</u>.



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## MAHALO, KENJI SUMIDA UHFCU BOARD OF DIRECTORS SINCE 1969

After more than 55 years of dedicated service, Kenji Sumida is retiring from the University of Hawaiʻi Federal Credit Union Board of Directors. A retired brigadier general and former commander of the Air National Guard, Kenji brought steady leadership, sharp insight, and deep integrity to every aspect of his work. Since joining the Board in 1969, he helped guide UHFCU through decades of growth, championed policies to keep fees among the lowest in the nation while ensuring the credit union remained financially strong.

Kenji was a passionate advocate for credit union values. As Chair of the Board Personnel Committee since 2004 and leader of the Hawai'i Credit Union League's Government Affairs Committee, he worked tirelessly to ensure policies put members first. Whether reviewing balance sheets, recommending policy, or lobbying lawmakers, Kenji led with wisdom and a calm, thoughtful presence.



His influence reached far beyond UHFCU. He was a respected voice in legislative and regulatory discussions, often meeting with elected officials to champion the needs of credit unions and their members. Kenji also supported global financial literacy through the World Council of Credit Unions and gave generously of his time to community organizations such as the Japan-America Society of Hawaiʻi and his church.

As we celebrate Kenji's retirement, we reflect with deep gratitude on his decades of service, leadership, and unwavering dedication to the credit union mission. His legacy will continue to inspire those who follow in his footsteps. Congratulations, Kenji—you will be truly missed.

### **IDCHECK**

### A SAFER, SMARTER WAY TO USE SHARED BRANCHING





### What is IDCheck?

IDCheck is a secure identity verification tool used by credit union Shared Branches to protect against fraud. If you visit a branch that is not your home branch, IDCheck allows you to validate your identity quickly using your government-issued ID and a selfie.

### Why This Matters

Account takeover and identity fraud are rising concerns. IDCheck gives you peace of mind that your account is protected, even when you visit a branch outside of Hawai'i or your regular location.

### **How It Works**

- 1. Visit verify.coop.org or scan the QR code available at any branch.
- 2. Enter your member number and the last four digits of your Social Security Number.
- 3. Take a photo of your valid ID and a selfie.
- 4. Receive your unique access code and provide it to the teller. (passcode is valid for 20 minutes)
- 5. Your identity is verified, and your transaction proceeds safely and smoothly.

### Complete IDCheck Before Your Visit

Save time and avoid delays. Complete your IDCheck from home before visiting a Shared Branch location.

For more details, please visit <u>UHFCU.com/idcheck</u>.

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# UHFCU CRAFT FAIR SAVE THE DATES!

AUGUST 7 & 8 • 9AM - 4PM
@ MCCULLY BRANCH

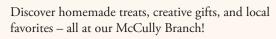












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## CONGRATULATIONS, MAIYA! #TAKEMETOMANOA SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

Congratulations to our 2025-2026 #TakeMeToManoa scholarship contest winner, Maiya Sugimoto from Moanalua High School!

Sugimoto's #TakeMeToMānoa scholarship contest win was unveiled on television during her graduation rehearsal. UHFCU VP of Member Experience Jason Lippert and Hawai'i News Now (HNN) Reporter Casey Lund surprised her with the news that she would be receiving a free year of tuition for UH Mānoa, funded by UHFCU.

"We love this day," said Lippert. "UHFCU is happy to support our students and truly being at this scholarship event each year is one of the best moments we participate in. Maiya had such a great video explaining why she is going to UH Mānoa. We can't wait to see what she will accomplish."

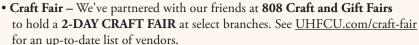


See Maiya's surprise reveal at **UHFCU.com/scholarship**.

## INTERNATIONAL CREDIT UNION DAY

**OCTOBER 16 & 17** 

Join us to celebrate International Credit Union Day! The official day is October 16th; however, we're so excited about how we make a difference in our members' lives that we're celebrating it for TWO days! Here's a sneak peak of what to look forward to:











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Learn more about our International Credit Union Day festivities at <a href="https://www.uhren.com/international-credit-union-day"><u>UHFCU.com/international-credit-union-day</u></a>.

### **UHFCU CARD CONTROL APP**

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We're excited to introduce UHFCU Card Control, a new mobile app that lets you easily manage how, when, and where your UHFCU debit or credit cards are used. With this simple, secure tool, you can monitor transactions, get instant alerts, and keep your cards safe wherever you go.

Our FREE Card Control app features:

- Freeze Instantly: Turn cards on or off anytime
- Real-Time Alerts: Instant notifications for every transaction
- Set Limits: Control spending by transaction, day, or month
- Manage Merchants: Choose which types of stores are allowed
- Set Locations: Limit where your card can be used, update travel plans, and more!

**Download our FREE Card Control app** from the Apple App Store or Google Play—just search "UHFCU Card Control." Learn more at **UHFCU.com/card-control**.



P.O. Box 22070 Honolulu, HI 96823-2070

#### **Main Branch**

2019 South King Street Honolulu, HI 96826 (Entrance on King St. – Right Side)

#### Mānoa Marketplace Branch

2752 Woodlawn Drive, Suite 5-107 Honolulu, HI 96822 Between Subway & Brug Bakery

### Mānoa Campus Center Branch

UHM Campus Center 2nd Level – Next to Cafeteria

### **Kapolei Commons Branch**

4450 Kapolei Pkwy #107 Kapolei, HI 96707 Between Target & Office Max

#### **BRANCH HOURS**

Please visit <u>UHFCU.com</u> or call (808) 983-5500 for the current hours.















### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

Labor Day, September 1

Indigenous Peoples' Day, October 13 *Closed* 

### **BOARD MEMBERS**

Chair:Edward YuenVice-Chair:Sylvia HigashiTreasurer:Barbara KawamotoSecretary:Michael Unebasami

**Directors:** David Ching Clifford Togo

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Ka Lono: The News.

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