

## MEDIA ADVISORY-HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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## ENERGY ISSUES TOPIC OF WEST HAWAII COMMUNITY FORUM

**WHO:** Representative Nicole Lowen

**WHAT:** Community Forum/Talk Story Session on Energy Issues in West Hawaii

Guest Panelists: Jay Ignacio, HELCO

Catherine Lo, Blue Planet Andrea Gill, DBEDT

WHEN: Tuesday, June 24, 2014

6:00p.m. -7:30 p.m.

**WHERE:** West Hawaii Civic Center – Council Chambers

**Public Event Announcement**—Join Rep. Lowen and guest presenters at 6 pm on June 24th to learn more about energy issues in West Hawaii. Guest presenters include representatives from HELCO, Blue Planet Foundation, and DBEDT Office of Energy.

An array of topics will be discussed including energy costs, grid modernization, circuit saturation, and how to best fulfill our energy needs moving forward. Following brief guest speaker presentations there will be an opportunity for moderated questions for panelists and time for discussion.

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