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Hawai`i's Science Teachers Focus Group-Dialogue Sessions SIGN-UP

What: The Federal government is looking for an honest and open dialogue with Hawaii public, private, and charter school teachers of Science in grades K-12. Specifically, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration-Pacific Services Center (NOAA-PSC) wants the teachers help to learn what the agency can do to better develop quality science education products and services.

Who: NOAA-PSC has contracted with Capital City Technical Consulting, Inc., to host Focus Group/Dialogue Sessions with Hawai`i K-12 Teachers across the State.

When: Sessions will be hosted on O`ahu, Kauai, and the Big Island on the following schedule. Ten teachers will participate in each of the five sessions.

- O`ahu-1—6 MAY (Thursday) 6:00PM-9:00PM
- O`ahu-2—7 MAY (Friday) 9:30AM-12:30PM
- O`ahu-3—7 MAY (Friday) 1:00PM-4:00PM
- Kauai—8 MAY (Saturday) 9:30AM-12:30PM
- Big Island—9 MAY (Sunday) 12:00Noon-3:00PM

How: To participate in a session, send an email to: DWeidner@capcitytek.com with your name, address, school, grade level, years teaching, subjects taught, and an expression of interest. If from O`ahu, indicate preference for date and/or time. Please indicate your interest in participating no later than **April 28**. If selected, you will be sent directions to a focus group location on an island where you reside. All participants will be notified by return e-mail no later than **May 1**.

Where: Participants will be told the location of their focus group when they receive notice they have been selected to join the dialogue.

Each participant will receive a cash honorarium of \$100 at the end of their focus group/dialogue session.

Mahalo Nui

