

ROUTE 53, HONOLULU-PACIFIC PALISADES

OPERATOR'S GUIDE

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MONDAY-FRIDAY AND STATE HOLIDAY	
WESTBOUND: Ala Moana Center/Kona to Komo Mai/Aumakua (Pacific Palisades)	EASTBOUND: Komo Mai/Aumakua (Pacific Palisades) to Ala Moana Center/Kona
From terminus at Kona/Piikoi service stop nearside Kona Iki, If Kona Iki, If Kapiolani, rt South, rt King, immediately merge to the far left lane, If into Alapai Transit Center to Stop 4, exit rt Alapai, If Beretania onto King, rt Liliha, merge to the far left lane after passing stop at Liliha/King, If Vineyard, merge to the far left after passing stop at Vineyard/Palama onto H-1 WEST, merge If one lane to continue onto Moanalua Fwy, take EXIT 2 "MOANALUA VALLEY/RED HILL" onto Frontage Rd, continue onto Moanalua Fwy, merge to the far left lane, take "AIEA-PEARL RIDGE EXIT" onto Kamehameha Hwy, rt Waimano Home Rd, merge If one lane after passing stop at Waimano/Kuahaka, If Komo Mai, rt Aumakua (opp BWS pumping station), If Auhuhu, If Komo Mai to Komo Mai/Aumakua (BWS pumping station).	From Komo Mai/Aumakua (BWS pumping station), If Aumakua, If Komo Mai, rt Waimano Home Rd, merge If two lanes after passing stop fronting Pacheco Park, If Kamehameha onto Moanalua Fwy, take EXIT 2 "RED HILL/MOANALUA VALLEY" onto Frontage Rd, continue onto Moanalua Fwy, onto H-1 EAST, take EXIT 20B "VINEYARD BLVD" onto Vineyard, rt Liliha, merge If one lane after passing stop at Kukui, If King, rt Kapiolani, rt Pensacola, If Waimanu, If Piikoi, rt Kona to terminus.
WESTBOUND: Ala Moana Center/Kona to Komo Mai/Aumakua (Pacific Palisades) to Aumakua/Komo Mai	EASTBOUND: Komo Mai/Aumakua (Pacific Palisades) to Kamehameha/Waimano Home Rd
From terminus at Kona/Piikoi service stop nearside Kona Iki, If Kona Iki, If Kapiolani, rt South, rt King, immediately merge to the far left lane, If into Alapai Transit Center to Stop 4, exit rt Alapai, If Beretania onto King, rt Liliha, merge to the far left lane after passing stop at Liliha/King, If Vineyard, merge to the far left after passing stop at Vineyard/Palama onto H-1 WEST, merge If one lane to continue onto Moanalua Fwy, take EXIT 2 "MOANALUA VALLEY/RED HILL" onto Frontage Rd,	From Komo Mai/Aumakua (BWS pumping station), If Aumakua, If Komo Mai, rt Waimano Home Rd, after servicing stop fronting Pacheco Park, rt Kamehameha.

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continue onto Moanalua Fwy, WESTBOUND - CONTINUED merge to the far left lane, take "AIEA-PEARL RIDGE EXIT" onto Kamehameha Hwy, rt Waimano Home Rd, merge lf one lane after passing stop at Waimano/Kuahaka, lf Komo Mai, rt Aumakua (opp BWS pumping station), lf Auhuhu, lf Komo Mai to Komo Mai/Aumakua (BWS pumping station), continue in service via Komo Mai, lf Aumakua to Aumakua/Komo Mai (Pacific Palisades Rec Center). .	
WESTBOUND: Komo Mai/Aumakua (Pacific Palisades Rec Center) to Pacific Palisades	EASTBOUND: Komo Mai/Aumakua (Pacific Palisades Rec Center) to Ala Moana Center/Kona
From Komo Mai/Aumakua (first intersection), in service on Komo Mai, rt Aumakua, lf Komo Mai to Komo Mai/Aumakua terminus (BWS pumping station) at Komo Mai/Aumakua.	From Komo Mai/Aumakua (first intersection), in service west on Komo Mai to the Komo Mai/Aumakua terminus (BWS pumping station), lf Aumakua, lf Komo Mai, rt Waimano Home Rd, merge lf two lanes after passing stop fronting Pacheco Park, lf Kamehameha onto Moanalua Fwy, take EXIT 2 "RED HILL/MOANALUA VALLEY" onto Frontage Rd, continue onto Moanalua Fwy, onto H-1 EAST, take EXIT 20B "VINEYARD BLVD" onto Vineyard, rt Liliha, merge lf one lane after passing stop at Kukui, lf King, rt Kapiolani, rt Pensacola, lf Waimanu, lf Piikoi, rt Kona to terminus.
WESTBOUND: Waimano Home Rd/Noelani to Pacific Palisades	
From Waimano Home Rd, lf Komo Mai, rt Aumakua (opp BWS pumping station), lf Auhuhu, lf Komo Mai to Komo Mai/Aumakua (BWS pumping station).	

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Car House to Starting Points

Ala Moana Center-Kona: Rt Kuala, onto Moanalua Rd, rt on-ramp to H-1 EAST, take EXIT 21B "PUNCHBOWL ST," onto Punchbowl, lf King, rt Pensacola, lf Waimanu, lf Piikoi, rt Kona. **Note:** If early, layover at Alapai Transit Center.

Komo Mai/Aumakua (first intersection): Rt Kuala, lf Waimano Home Rd, lf Komo Mai to Aumakua (Recreation Center, beginning of loop), in service WEST.

Waimano Home Rd/Hoolaulea: Lf Kuala, lf Acacia, lf Kamehameha, lf Waimano Home Rd, in service WEST.

Waimano Home Rd/Noelani: Rt Kuala, lf Waimano Home Rd, in service WEST.

Finish Points to Car House

Ala Moana Center-Kona: Kona, lf Kona Iki, lf Kapiolani, rt Piikoi, lf Lunalilo, onto H-1 WEST (**See Note**), Moanalua Fwy, H-1 WEST, take EXIT 10 "PEARL CITY/WAIMALU," rt Moanalua Rd, onto Kuala.

(NOTE: When Lunalilo St access to H-1 WEST is barricaded, continue on on-ramp, take EXIT 22 "VINEYARD BLVD," Vineyard, rt Punchbowl, onto H-1 WEST, Moanalua Fwy, H-1 WEST, take EXIT 10 "PEARL CITY/WAIMALU," rt Moanalua Rd, onto Kuala.)

Aumakua/Komo Mai: Lf Komo Mai, rt Waimano Home Rd, rt Kuala, lf into Facility.

Farrington/Waiawa: Kamehameha, lf Acacia, rt Kuala.

Kamehameha Hwy/Pali Momi: Kamehameha, lf Honomanu, lf Moanalua Rd, onto Kuala, lf into Facility.

Kamehameha/Waimano Home Rd: Kamehameha, rt Acacia, rt Kuala.

Waimano Home Rd./Noelani: Waimano Home Rd, rt Kuala

Relief Point

EASTBOUND: Waimano Home Rd/Pearl City Bus Facility

Destination Signs

WESTBOUND:

To Aumakua/Komo Mai

AMC to Pacific Palisades

53 PACIFIC PALISADES VIA RED HILL

EASTBOUND:

To Ala Moana Center--Kona

53 HONOLULU ALA MOANA VIA RED HILL

To Kamehameha/Waimano Home Rd

53 KAMEHAMEHA HIGHWAY

Restroom Facilities:

Eastbound:

7-11 Store Pearl City (Kamehameha/Lehua)	24 hours	Please see Cashier or Store Manager < Emergency use only >
Pearl City Manana Bus Facility	24 hours	
Ala Moana Center (Portable Restrooms) *AMC Restroom Facilities*	24 hours a Day *10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (Daily)*	*Mall (AMC restrooms) are ONLY accessible during business hours*

Westbound:

Ala Moana Center (Portable Restrooms) *AMC Restroom Facilities*	24 hours a Day *10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (Daily)*	*Mall (AMC restrooms) are ONLY accessible during business hours*
Alapai Transit Center	24 hours	Call Central for code
7-11 Store (Kamehameha/Honomanu)	24 hours	Please see Cashier or Store Manager < Emergency use only >