

Honolulu Board of Water Supply
Media Advisory



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22ND ANNUAL HALAWA XERISCAPE GARDEN UNTHIRSTY PLANT SALE
The community is invited to a full day of free, family-friendly fun!

WHAT: The Honolulu Board of Water Supply (BWS) and the Friends of Halawa Xeriscape Garden (FOHXG) will host the 22nd annual open house and unthirsty plant sale at the Halawa Xeriscape Garden.

WHEN: Saturday, August 7, 2010
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
(Early admission for FOHXG members at 8:30 a.m.)

WHERE: Halawa Xeriscape Garden
99-1268 Iwaena Street
Halawa Valley's Central Park Industrial Area

DETAILS: The event has been a summer tradition since 1989, promoting and educating the public about xeriscaping—a beautiful and long-term way to conserve water through the landscape.



Local nurseries will offer a variety of beautiful, unthirsty and native plants at moderate prices. Proceeds will support educational programs and classes at the Halawa Xeriscape Garden.

In addition, the open house will include a full day of free, family-friendly activities such as Xeriscape workshops (composting, rain barrels, etc.), keiki games, keiki garden planting, a scavenger hunt in the three-acre demonstration garden and a free mulch giveaway (visitors must bring their own containers).

For more information on the plant sale, open house, or xeriscaping, please call the BWS Communications Office at 748-5041 or visit www.boardofwatersupply.com.

PARKING: Vehicular traffic will be restricted in the garden. Visitors should park along Iwaena or Iwaiwa Streets. A free shuttle will run along Iwaena Street from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

***Media Parking:** Reserved parking for media covering the event will be available at the Halawa Xeriscape Garden.

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