

Kaua'i: A New ONMS Model For An Interpretive Facility



National Marine Sanctuary Foundation Signs Lease At The Largest Center On Kaua'i

- Significance for ONMS, KGC
- One-year renewable lease
- Funded by ONMS
- High visibility location on main mall concourse
- KGC management support
- SAC advisory group engagement
- PMNM support



Progress

- Charrette held
- Interpretive plan drafted
- Exhibit plan drafted
- Operations plan in progress
- Partner interest
- Schedule 2019-2020:
 - SEPT — Moved in; volunteer background checks started
 - OCT — Closed Kauaʻi Sanct Office; design display panels
 - NOV — Print display panels
 - JAN — Opening on 01/11/20
 - FEB — 3rd Annual Oceanfest



A Role For Everyone: RAC, Staff, Public

- In providing guidance, shaping concept and operational policies
- In agreeing to be featured speakers, leading activities, promotions, being volunteers
- In suggesting funding leads
- In providing feedback





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