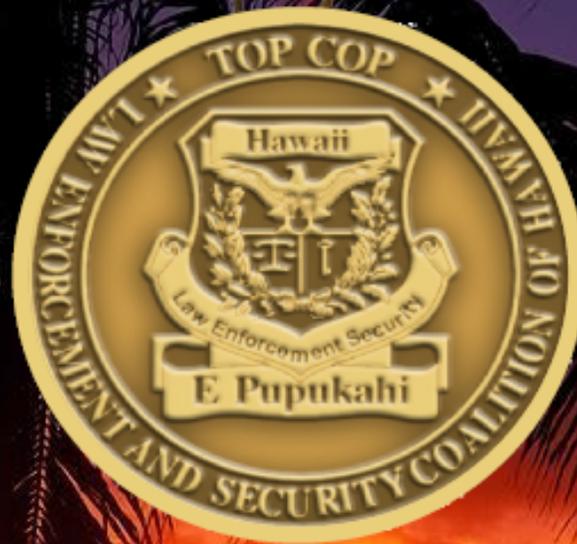


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Presentation of Colors	Honolulu Police Department Color Guard Unit
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Invocation	Pastor Tim Greseth Hope Chapel-Mililani
Banquet	Prince Waikiki Staff
Welcome	Mr. Jim Frame, CPP Law Enforcement and Security Coalition of Hawaii
	Mr. Gary Moore, CPP ASIS International
	Mr. Martin Green, CHPA International Association of Healthcare Safety and Security
	Mr. Jerry Dolak, CPP Hawaii Hotel Visitor Industry Security Association
	Mr. Joe Cabrerros, CII Hawaii Joint Police Association
Award Ceremony	Ms. Paula Akana, KITV 4
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33rd ANNUAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND SECURITY AWARD BANQUET



The committed board members of the Law Enforcement and Security Coalition of Hawaii has produced the Law Enforcement and Security Award Banquet for the past 33 years in an effort to promote, encourage, and recognize excellence in the field of law enforcement and security. All of the law enforcement agencies and security corporations serving and operating in the state of Hawaii are invited to nominate their TOP COPS who have distinguished themselves above the rest with their dedication to duty, pursuit of excellence, and service to the community. These TOP COPS are recognized here along with recipients of the four major awards presented by the Coalition: The Elwood J. McGuire Award, The Nils Tavares Award, The Outstanding Association Award, and The Lifetime Achievement Award. The members of the Coalition are TOP COPS in their own right for their commitment to this mission:

James Frame, CPP	President	Securitas Security Services
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President Jim Frame, CPP Law Enforcement and Security Coalition of Hawaii

Aloha and welcome to the 33rd Annual Law Enforcement and Security Award Banquet. I would like to thank the committee members who have donated so graciously of their time to produce this great event.

In 1991, the beautiful Hawaiian expression "E Pukupahi" meaning "We Are One" was adopted. This symbolic meaning and theme for this great tradition "Working together to make our community a safer place to live and work" provides the opportunity for sharing ideas and information in a cooperative effort to present a unified approach in combating crime.

We are here today to bring together law enforcement and security professionals from local, state, military, federal, and private agencies to honor them for their accomplishments and excellence. These "TOP COPS" epitomize the highest standards and we are proud to acknowledge them with our Aloha!

As we honor them, let us remember our colleagues who have given their lives to uphold the laws and protect the people of Hawaii. Please join me in a moment of silence as a remembrance of our fallen comrades. Thank you.

With these thoughts and memories in mind, let's move forward to recognize our 2017 "TOP COPS".

Mahalo Nui Loa

BOB FLATING SCHOLARSHIP



Bob Flating, CPP
1949 – 2007

Bob Flating was always willing to help others. He carried his love of life everywhere, sharing it with co-workers, friends, and even strangers. It was fitting that a scholarship be created in his name.

A simple man from Cleveland, Ohio, Bob was transplanted to the islands and became the Security Director at Liberty House in 1981. While there, he established a register shortage control system which reduced register errors and created an "Ink Tag" loss prevention program, which reduced theft in all areas of implementation.

Bob left Liberty House and worked with Safeguard Services, Star Protection, and Goodenow Associates. He received his Certified Protection Professional (CPP) designation from the American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS) in 2004 and was also certified in Threat Assessment and Management.

Bob will always be remembered for his kindness, his contribution to the security industry in Hawaii and for his passion for fitness and golf.



President Martin Green, CHPA International Association of Healthcare Safety and Security

Mr. Martin Green, CHPA is proud to serve as the president of the International Association of Healthcare Safety and Security (IAHSS) and is the Manager of Security, Telecommunications & Emergency Preparedness at Baycrest Health Sciences in Toronto, Ontario. Baycrest is a recognized world leader in the specialized field of geriatric medicine and dementia care.

A healthcare security management professional with more than 35 years of diverse leadership experience, Mr. Martin has designed and implemented security programs at several healthcare facilities within Ontario and other Provinces in Canada. He led a team that developed the IAHSS Canadian Basic Training Program and has held several positions on IAHSS Councils and on the Board of Directors.

Mr. Martin obtained his professional designation as a Certified Healthcare Protection Administrator (CHPA) from the IAHSS in 2008. He is trained and certified in Emergency Management, Contingency Planning, Disaster Response and Incident Management by Municipal, Provincial and Federal agencies.

Mr. Martin has received many accolades over his career. In 2005, he was presented with the Award of Merit by the Canadian Society for Industrial Security. In 2011, 2012, and in 2016, he was named one of the Top 500 Security Managers by the American publication *Security Magazine*. In 2013, Mr. Martin was presented with the IAHSS Presidential Award in recognition of outstanding contributions, dedication and service to the Association and to the field of Healthcare security and safety.



Gary M. Moore, CPP ASIS International Region 1D Vice President

Mr. Gary M. Moore has over 35 years of security industry experience and is a Certified Protection Professional (CPP) specializing in account and operational management. Gary attended Fullerton College, majoring in Criminal Justice and California State University at Fullerton, majoring in Administration of Justice.

Mr. Moore is the Director of Operations for the Inland Empire for GSSi and has extensive experience in security operations at the Branch, Regional and Corporate levels, as well as an understanding of managing large accounts in both the public sector, at the City, County and State levels and private sector in warehousing, distribution, transportation and private communities.

Gary has been a member of ASIS International for 19 years and has been a CPP for 17 years. He has served in every Chapter and Regional position in the ASIS International and currently serves as the Regional Vice President for Region 1D.

MISTRESS OF CEREMONIES



Ms. Paula Akana

Paula Akana anchors KITV Island News at 6 & 10, Monday through Friday.

She also produces special reports on a regular basis—tackling subjects that range from sustainability in Hawaii to families living in the path of the Big Island’s growing lava flow to Island efforts to beat breast cancer.

Paula began her career at KITV as an intern in 1983.

She has also produced numerous specials for KITV highlighting hula, music and the voyages of the canoe Hokule'a.

She has been recognized with the "Manu a Ka'ae" award for use of the Hawaiian Language by the 'Ahahui 'Olelo Hawai'i.

Paula is a graduate of Kamehameha Schools and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism from the University of Hawaii at Manoa. She volunteers for the Polynesian Voyaging Society and is a Metro board member for the YMCA.

Year after year, Paula has served as our emcee and we are so grateful for her support of our efforts to recognize our “TOP COPS” in Hawai'i. Mahalo Paula!

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2017 TOP COPS



Security & Safety Manager

Ric Angeles

Kuakini Medical Center

Kuakini Medical Center's Security & Safety Manager Ric Angeles has over 35 years of healthcare security, healthcare environmental safety and emergency preparedness experience. He actively volunteers in the community working with principals, teachers and middle school students across the state sharing his emergency response and decontamination program to better prepare them for all hazards emergencies.

Ric is known to graciously and unselfishly give back to the community without compensation or notoriety and is a fine example of a caring person. He is a true professional representing our healthcare security, safety and emergency preparedness industry.

Ric lives the mission of the Kuakini Health System to improve the health status of the community by providing comprehensive health care services and programs at reasonable cost, continuously improving the quality of health care services and programs, encouraging clinical research, supporting training and educational programs for health care personnel, and offering community service programs.

Ric loves his job and it shows. He is a prime example of a TOP COP and is worthy of this award. Well down Ric! Mahalo for all you do!

Supervisory Police Administrator Dorothy Antonio-Pagaduan Tripler Provost Marshall Office

Supervisory Police Administrator Dorothy Antonio-Pagaduan is assigned to the Tripler Provost Marshall Office and created the Tripler Provost Marshal Office's police administration division from the ground up. Establishing regulations, policies, and standard operating procedures, she has transformed the Tripler Provost Marshal Office's administration division to the world class documentation and records section it is today.

Through hard work and perseverance, Mrs. Antonio-Pagaduan's work has aided criminal investigations, the Center Judge Advocates, and the Magistrate Court. Leveraging her over thirty years of federal service, knowledge, and experience, Mrs. Antonio-Pagaduan has established a police administration division that has been recognized as a best practice in the Army Medical Command. She has set a standard for future generations to follow and is worthy of the title "TOP COP". Thank you Dorothy for all of your efforts! Congratulations!

Securitas Security Officer Mike Ausiello
NOAA Fishery Observer Drew Stinnett
Plaza Security Director Gary Hendrickson
Plaza Security Officer Darrell Meadoh

On June 21, 2017, at about 3:20 p.m., Securitas Security Officer Mike Ausiello was on-duty at Duke's Marketplace and on active patrol in the area of Seaside Avenue and Kalakaua Avenue when he observed smoke coming from the engine compartment of a parked tour bus. He quickly entered the Central Pacific Bank Waikiki Branch and requested a fire extinguisher. Officer Ausiello returned to the burning bus where he was assisted by National Oceanic and Atmosphere Administration (NOAA) Fishery Observer Drew Stinnett in controlling the crowd and extinguishing the fire.

At about this time, Waikiki Shopping Plaza Security Director Gary Hendrickson and Waikiki Shopping Plaza Security Officer Darrell Meadoh arrived on the scene. They were also armed with fire extinguishers and assisted in putting out the flames. After the team extinguished the blaze, the fire reignited and the fire fighting efforts were resumed. Finally, the fire was extinguished. There were no injuries reported and damages were confined to the vehicle's engine compartment.

Securitas Security Officer Mike Ausiello, NOAA Fishery Observer Drew Stinnett, Waikiki Shopping Plaza Security Director Gary Hendrickson and Waikiki Shopping Plaza Security Officer Darrell Meadoh, you are being recognized for your keen observations, quick response, and courage in the face of danger. You placed yourself in harm's way to protect others and limit property damage. Your ability to work as a team during a stressful situation is commendable and we thank you for your dedication to duty and to the community you proudly serve! Congratulations!

Security Officer Michelle Auyong

Elks Lodge 616

Securitas Security Services USA, Inc.

Ms. Donna Miller, of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Lodge 616, reported that Michelle Auyong works as their Chief Security Officer at the facility. This active location across from the Dillingham Fountain and adjacent to the Kapiolani Park keeps Michelle very busy providing great security with care and Aloha for all of the people who frequent the property and the surrounding area.

Michelle's duties at this location require her to be well trained and very versatile in her daily performance. She has a great attitude and smile, yet remains politely firm when dealing with the various security issues that arise. Each day is different for Michelle, from aiding and comforting a fallen child with a leg injury, then finding the parents, to assisting the elderly. She coordinates the canoe movements on and off the property, helps paddlers with their kayaks and stand up paddle boards, monitors the surfers, prevents unauthorized access to the property, and coordinates the local Boy Scout troop and the VFW Post 616 at this location.

Michelle can be seen checking on and securing the closing of the outdoor swimming pool area, resolving constant parking issues (an enormous challenge at this location), and directing the numerous vehicles when non-members enter the property. She makes her rounds cheerfully and with enthusiasm.

Michelle works well with the other employees and contractors on the property and easily adapts to any changes to her work schedule, arriving early to get the work done. Her motto is, "She will do the job assigned to her, no matter what it takes". We are grateful for her work as she is truly a "TOP COP".

Police Officer Conrad Bidal

Hawaii County Police Department

On January 16, 2017, during the midnight watch, Officer Conrad Bidal responded to a structure fire in Pahoa town. Upon arrival, he observed the Luquin's Mexican Restaurant building on fire. Officer Bidal noted the interior lights in the apartments on the second floor were illuminated indicating the building maybe occupied. Officer Bidal located an open door and, with total disregard for his own safety, entered the burning building and began to search for occupants.

Officer Bidal located four inhabitants in the upstairs apartments, unaware of the danger. He alerted them of the fire and safely evacuated each of them. After clearing the burning building of occupants, he then conducted a secondary search to ensure the structure was unoccupied. Officer Bidal encountered previously evacuated residents had re-entered the building in an attempt to gather personal belongings. He was forced to re-evacuate the residents just before the building was fully engulfed in flames.

Officer Bidal displayed extreme courage by facing increasing temperatures, smoke and flames during this second clearing of the building. His heroic efforts and personal disregard for his own welfare insured the safety of these four people. The loss of Pahoa landmarks Akebono Theater and Luquin's Mexican Restaurant was tragic; however, would have been catastrophic if there was loss of life.

On a daily basis, Officer Bidal consistently demonstrates a strong dedication to the job and a diligent work ethic. He has maintained perfect work attendance from his date of hire and has focused his efforts on reducing traffic fatalities by vigorous patrol and issuing more than 140 speeding citations.

Officer Bidal retired from the United States Marine Corps after 20 years of service with the rank of Gunnery Sergeant. He has already embodied the Hawaii County Police Department's core values of Integrity, Professionalism, Compassion, Teamwork, and Community Satisfaction. Congratulations on your TOP COP Award! Very well deserved!

Sergeant Kyle “Ikaika” Bishaw-Juario

Maui Police Department

Sergeant Kyle “Ikaika” Bishaw-Juario began his law enforcement career with the Maui Police Department in 2003 and quickly commanded the respect of his peers and supervisors. He was promoted to the rank of sergeant in 2015 and is currently assigned to the Moloka`i Patrol Division. This assignment fits Sergeant Bishaw-Juario as he is a native of island nicknamed, “The Friendly Isle”.

On March 6, 2017, at about 4:10 p.m., Sergeant Kyle “Ikaika” Bishaw-Juario was at the Daniel Inouye International Airport in Honolulu, waiting for a return flight to Moloka`i. An elderly female, hereinafter referred to as the victim, was in the airport lobby when she suddenly became ill and collapsed. Sergeant Bishaw-Juario and others came to the victim’s aid. One responder secured an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) and the probes were placed on the victim. The AED instructed the responders to begin cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). Without hesitation, Sergeant Bishaw-Juario initiated chest compressions and continued until an ambulance arrived on the scene to transport the victim to an area hospital. Sergeant Bishaw-Juario was part of a life saving team that day.

For his dedication to duty and quick response, Sergeant Bishaw-Juario received a Letter of Commendation from The Honorable David Ige, Governor of the State of Hawaii, and a Certificate of Recognition Commendation from The Honorable Alan M. Arakawa, Mayor of the County of Maui.

Sergeant Bishaw-Juario enjoys spending time with his wife, Kananikala and their three children, Nathan (12), Alexis (10), and Averie (2). Just recently, he and his wife released their first children's book entitled, *Haloa, the Little Huli*.

In his free time, Sergeant Bishaw-Juario enjoys fishing and hunting. He assists with the department's Police Activities League (PAL) program on Moloka`i and volunteers at Kaunakakai Elementary School, participating in their annual Sixth Grade Field Trip, 911 Appreciation Day, and the May Day Program.

Sergeant Kyle “Ikaika” Bishaw-Juario has shown a true dedication to his family, the people of Moloka`i, and the Maui Police Department. He is worthy of the title “TOP COP”. Congratulations Ikaika and thank you for your true Aloha!

Petty Officer Daniel W. Brooks

Maritime Enforcement Specialist First Class

United States Coast Guard

Petty Officer (PO) Daniel W. Brooks continually demonstrates outstanding professionalism and dedication to the United States Coast Guard (USCG) law enforcement mission. From July 2016 to June 2017, he deployed three times with the USCG Cutter Sherman, to include two counter drug patrols and one Arctic/Alaskan fishery patrol.

As a key team member to the counter drug patrols, PO Brooks filled the role of lead pursuit mission commander. During the counter drug patrol preparations, he led 35 training events ranging from classroom to dynamic hands on training. His expertise and diligence led to the training and qualification of three mission ready and capable pursuit teams.

On counter drug patrols in the past year, PO Brooks and his teams interdicted over 7,500 kilograms of cocaine worth and estimated 250 million dollars and detained thirty-six suspected drug traffickers. He also arranged and pre-staged over 11 tons of palletized and labeled contraband. Following this event, PO Brooks volunteered to assist the Drug Enforcement Agency in post-off load laboratory disposition and processing.

Perpetuating his commitment to mission excellence, PO Brooks led the unit's force protection training team during the Tailored Ship's Training Availability which resulted in the cutter's earning of a high 97.5% FPTT drill average.

PO Brooks is a firearms instructor and responsible for the small arms qualification of forty members, some on numerous weapon types. In preparation for the 2017 Arctic/Alaskan Patrol, PO Brooks trained three teams to conduct at sea boardings on fishing vessels in the world's most regulated and complex fishery.

PO Brooks always displays a passion to train others and has inspired them to advance in their career. His leadership is beyond reproach and he wholeheartedly supports the USCG motto, "Always Ready". Job well done! Congratulations!

Corporal Arron Cabato

Corporal Angie Hanai

G4S Secure Solutions USA

G4S Secure Solutions USA Corporals Arron Cabato and Angie Hanai are being nominated for the "TOP COP" Award based on their combined knowledge, experience and technical fluency.

On August 13, 2017, Corporal Cabato was assigned to the Hawaiian Electric Customer Service Lobby and encountered a client reporting a theft. The complainant arrived on property to pay his electric bill in cash. He reported he was counting his money prior to approaching the processing clerk and determined he had the correct amount. Upon paying his bill, the clerk advised him he was \$100.00 short. The complainant surmised he might have dropped a hundred dollar bill and began to search the immediate area with negative results. The complainant questioned a female who was standing behind him in the queue line if she had seen him drop any money. The female replied she did not.

Corporal Cabato then notified the Security Command Center and requested Corporal Angie Hanai view the surveillance video. She observed the complainant drop a hundred dollar bill and further observed the female standing behind him in the queue line pick it up and place it in her purse.

Corporal Hanai radioed this information to Corporal Cabato. The police were summoned to the scene and took over the investigation. The female suspect eventually returned the money and the complainant withdrew his complaint.

Corporals Arron Cabato and Angie Hanai, you are being commended for your quick response and team work that brought about a positive conclusion to a theft case. You both exemplify the Hawaiian Electric Company values which includes exemplary collaboration and teamwork. You are true leaders for our clients, our customers and fellow co-workers. Congratulations on your "TOP COP" Award!

Officer Brad Candido

Kauai Police Department

Officer Brad Candido joined the Kauai Police Department at the end of 2012. In his short four years of service, he has gained valuable training, skills, knowledge, and experience which has led him to excel as one of the department's finest officers.

One of Officer Candido's passions is to take an aggressive stance to combat illegal drugs and contraband on the island. He has been awarded the prestigious Police Drug Enforcement Star Medal, the highest award for service in the fight against drugs on Kauai. The honor is awarded for distinguished service above and beyond the normal demands of duty.

Officer Candido was formerly a Field Training Officer (FTO) and a member of the Fugitive Apprehension Strike Team. In 2016, he was assigned as an FTO for two recruits. One of those recruits, on her own, requested her training be extended. She explained she wanted to learn more from Officer Candido to ensure her effectiveness as a police officer.

Officer Candido is an efficient, highly motivated and proactive officer within our community. While serving as an officer and an FTO, he excelled in the area of traffic enforcement and issued almost 400 traffic citations. Officer Candido also arrested five impaired drivers in an effort to keep the Kauai roadways safe.

Also in 2016, Officer Candido was responsible for effecting over 300 arrests. Almost one-third of those arrests were for felony offenses. Many of those felony arrests were a direct result of his proactive approach to combating the drug situation on Kauai. Additionally, Officer Candido executed almost 30 search warrants that took a large quantity of illegal drugs off the streets and provided enough evidence to prosecute several illegal drug dealers.

Officer Brad Candido has demonstrated his commitment to excellence with his skills, training, superior performance and accomplishments. He is the Kauai Police Department's "TOP COP" and we are very proud of him!

Security & Safety Officer Jose Castellanos Hilton Hawaiian Village

Safety & Security Officer Jose Castellanos is a prime example of excellence at the Hilton Hawaiian Village Ohana. A veteran officer around the property, Jose has been involved in many occasions where he naturally displayed the values and professionalism the hospitality industry generously support.

On April 4, 2016, the Safety & Security Team took action when a male attempted to steal a bag from two Japanese visitors dining on the Hilton property. A foot chase ensued and Jose was able to catch up to the male suspect who became physically aggressive. Jose held his ground and managed to subdue the suspect with the assistance from back-up officers. The stolen property was recovered and the Honolulu Police Department was notified. The suspect was subsequently arrested for felony theft.

Several months later, on August 16, 2016, Jose was involved in a water rescue. A male guest was pulled out of the waters off the Duke Kahanamoku Lagoon. Jose took charge of the incident and administered CPR to the victim. When emergency medical responders arrived to take over resuscitation efforts, Jose met with the victim's wife to calm her. He also became the point of contact for the resort managers assisting in the incident.

Jose is also a Relief Supervisor, a challenging and vital role in maintaining the team. He is a well respected officer for his willingness to lead and consistently to rise to the occasion. He has no set days off and is willing to work on any needed shift.

Jose became a part of the Hilton Hawaiian Village Safety & Security Team eleven years ago. With over 25 years of experience in the industry, he consistently provides excellent service and experience to contribute to the Hilton values. Jose organized and conducted the first ever Safety & Security Department cook-out which was well attended and fostered a great sense of pride, common loyalty and fellowship among the team. He is an exemplary asset to the Hilton Hawaiian Village team and a great contributor to the Hospitality Industry. Congratulations Jose!

Security Officer Jimmy Cholymay Security Supervisor Keith Griffin Star Protection Agency

On January 23, 2017, Security Officer Jimmy Cholymay and Security Officer Keith Griffin were on active patrol at the Kamehameha Shopping Center property when a witness reported an armed suspect in a nearby restaurant. The two officers quickly went into action and responded.

With total disregard for their own safety, they entered the restaurant and directed the evacuation of both patrons and employees from the establishment. They managed to locate the suspect and kept him at bay until Honolulu police officers arrived on the scene.

Security Officers Cholymay and Griffin met with police officers and directed them to the restroom area where the suspect was hiding. Officers located the suspect there and arrested him without incident.

Security Officer Jimmy Cholymay and Security Officer Keith Griffin is being commended for their dedication to duty and quick action which led to the arrest of an armed suspect and preventing any further harm to bystanders. You both risked your own safety for others and are without question "TOP COPS". Thank you!

**Investigator Chester Dasalla
Investigator Tommy Kong
Investigator Shaun Martin
Investigator Peter Tampon
City & County of Honolulu
Department of the Prosecuting Attorney**

The investigators assigned to the Special Investigative Unit are the “TOP COPS” from the City & County of Honolulu, Department of the Prosecuting Attorney. As a team, they have assisted in shutting down illegal massage parlors in Honolulu.

Under the direction of Prosecuting Attorney Keith Kaneshiro, the unit used unconventional methods to close these illegal establishments. Rather than just prosecuting the prostitutes, the unit recovered sufficient evidence to prosecute the owners and operators of the businesses as well.

In 2016, the unit initiated an investigation into Empire Relaxation in Waikiki. The business owner and manager was prosecuted and convicted of racketeering charges. The business was closed. Also in 2016, a massage parlor in the McCully area was investigated and the two owners are awaiting trial on racketeering charges.

In early 2017, the unit conducted an investigation into another massage business in the Keeaumoku area. A total of six suspects were identified and are awaiting trial.

On June 29, 2017, the unit executed a search warrant on an establishment near the Hawaii Convention Center. Evidence gathered that day helped secure racketeering indictments against the owner and operators of the business and they are all awaiting trial.

On August 10, 2017, the unit began an investigation on another massage business in the Honolulu area. The owners and operators were indicted by an Oahu Grand Jury and are awaiting trial for racketeering charges.

Expanding the role of this unit required creating partnerships with the Homeland Security Investigations Unit, the State Department of Taxation, and the State Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs. The unconventional yet persistent efforts of the unit have resulted in indictments and convictions. These results demonstrate a great team effort and that’s what is needed to keep our community safe. Congratulations to the Special Investigative Unit! Keep up the good work!

Law Enforcement Officer John De Jesus Law Enforcement Officer Douglas Paalani Daniel K. Inouye International Airport Securitas Security Services USA, Inc.

On August 16, 2017, Securitas Law Enforcement Officers John De Jesus and Douglas Paalani were on active patrol at the Daniel K. Inouye International Airport when they were dispatched to a sick cared for type case at Gate 23. Upon arrival, the officers observed a male crew member, hereinafter referred to as the victim, prone on the ground.

Working as a team, Officer De Jesus and Paalani quickly made a medical assessment of the victim and determined he was in cardiac arrest. Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) was administered and an automatic external defibrillator was introduced. The two officers continued their life-saving efforts until medical first responders arrived on the scene and took over the life saving efforts. The victim was transported to an area hospital and made a full recovery. Through the officer's efforts, a life was saved.

Officers John De Jesus and Douglas Paalani, you are being commended for your actions in this life-changing event and the saving of a life through your quick actions. Witnesses commented that you displayed outstanding poise and professionalism under the demanding circumstance.

You are further being commended for a job well done and for your dedication for living up to the mission and values of Securitas: Integrity, Vigilance and Helpfulness. Congratulations and keep up the great work!

Sergeant Wilburn Dorris

G4S Secure Solutions USA

In 2011, G4S Sergeant Wilburn Dorris was assigned to the Trump International Hotel Waikiki as the supervisor of the property's security team. As the leader, he has provided exceptional service to the client, their customers, and his security officers. He is respected by all.

Sergeant Dorris has demonstrated his dedication to duty in several ways. Over the past year he has responded to a medical emergency on property and performed CPR on a client suffering from an apparent heart attack. He also used his developed skills to investigate several fraud type cases that resulted in the suspects' subsequent arrests and prosecution.

Sergeant Dorris shares security and safety concerns with all departments and takes ownership of analyzing potential problems by providing recommendations as a preventive measure which equates to reduced expenditures for the client.

Sergeant Dorris genuinely shares the Aloha spirit with everyone he encounters and, without hesitation, is always willing to be of assistance. He's a true leader of the G4S values and mission to excel in customer service and exceed customer expectation. Thank you for your efforts and congratulations on your award!

Private First Class Michael Foust

Military Police Officer

39th Military Police Detachment

United States Army

Private First Class Michael Foust is a military police officer assigned to the Special Reactions Team, 39th Military Police Detachment, 728th Military Police Battalion. He has not been on the island of Oahu long but his work ethic and intelligence show otherwise. The professionalism found in this young soldier reflects more like a seasoned one. It doesn't matter whether he is conducting a traffic stop, responding to a call, or just simply having a conversation, Private First Class Foust is always respectful and fully engaged.

Private First Class Foust is a highly proactive individual, often exceeding that of his peers. He has been recognized for resolving challenges whether on the road patrolling the area of operations on Fort Shafter, at the range on Schofield Barracks or training with his team. Private First Class Foust's integrity is with high regard and you will not see this him take a short cut on any of his duties. He consistently makes the right decision.

Private First Class Foust demonstrates the resolve and work ethic to uphold the United States Army motto: "This We'll Defend". Well done soldier! Continue your good work!

Assistant Federal Security Director Scott Goins Federal Air Marshall Service U.S. Department of Homeland Security

Assistant Federal Security Director Scott Goins began his career in law enforcement in 1988 with the Stafford County Sheriff's Office located in northern Virginia, just South of Washington D.C. During the aftermath of 9/11, Scott joined the Federal Air Marshal Service (FAMS) to be part of an organization dedicated to protecting the traveling public and modes of transportation from future acts of terrorism.

Scott was selected as a Lead Training Instructor for the FAMS teaching aircraft tactics. He then moved into a new challenge becoming a watch desk officer with the FAMS Mission Operations Center (MOC). Scott was promoted from the MOC to the San Francisco Field Office, and then selected to fill the position as the Assistant Federal Security Director for Law Enforcement (AFSD-LE) for the Hawaiian Islands.

Several months ago, a Transportation Security Administration (TSA) employee, hereinafter referred to as the driver, had pulled his vehicle up to an office complex to pick up another employee, hereinafter referred to as the victim. The driver reached across the front seat to clear personal items and accidentally bumped the gear shift into reverse. The vehicle rolled back striking the victim and trapping his leg under the front tire.

Scott ran to the vehicle, placed it in neutral, pushed the vehicle forward away from the victim, and pulled the victim to safety. He then medically evaluated the victim, provided first aid, and instructed bystanders to activate medical emergency responders. Scott's keen observations and quick response was crucial to resolving this freak situation.

As a result of Scott's enduring dedication towards ensuring a strong partnership with TSA and law enforcement throughout Hawaii, our homeland is safe, secure and resilient against terrorism and other hazards. As our Assistant Federal Security Director for Law Enforcement for the Hawaiian Islands, Scott is a true example of a "TOP COP". Mahalo Scott for your dedication!

Security Officer Rainy Hanohano

Security Officer Autai Ofisa

HSS, Incorporated

Hilo Medical Center

On Tuesday, May 2, 2017, at about noon, HSS, Inc. Security Officers Rainy Hanohano and Autai Ofisa were on-duty at the Hilo Medical Center when they were dispatched to a help locate: a mental health patient who posed a danger to himself left his room without authorization. A description of the patient was obtained and both officers began to search the area.

Security Officers Hanohano and Ofisa observed the patient in the visitor parking lot. He had disrobed and was lying naked in the bushes. As they approached, they noted the patient was in a dazed state and talking to himself in incoherently.

Security Officers Hanohano and Ofisa used their verbal tactics and techniques to establish rapport with the patient to build trust. Once confidence was established, they were able to gather the patient's clothes, approach the patient and dress him. With much care, the security officers escorted the patient back to the hospital and his assigned room.

Security Officers Hanohano and Ofisa's quick response and keen observations lead to the safe return of a mentally challenged and dangerous patient. They prevented the situation from rising to a more serious outcome. The actions of these security officers exemplify their dedication to duty and to the mission of Hilo Medical Center, which is improving our community's health through exceptional and compassionate care. Congratulations!

**Hawaii Hotel Visitor
Industry Security Association
Lead Residential Specialist Ashley Hattori
Residential Specialist Adam Kenney
Residential Specialist Arturo Reyes
ONE Ala Moana**

On August 16, 2017, at about 7:00 p.m., Residential Specialists Adam Kenney and Arturo Reyes were on-duty at the front desk of ONE Ala Moana. They observed two males, hereinafter referred to as the suspects, travelling through the porte cochere. Both suspects were carrying clothes on hangers. They further observed two staff members from Sak's Fifth Avenue following the suspects.

Both reacted quickly to the situation and Residential Specialist Kenney followed the suspects on foot while Residential Specialist Reyes utilized a GEM vehicle to follow the suspects to Kapiolani Boulevard and Keeaumoku Street.

Residential Specialist Kenney radioed Lead Residential Specialist Ashley Hattori and apprised her of the situation. He kept in constant contact with her, updating their position. Lead Hattori contacted the Honolulu Police Department (HPD) Communications Division and requested officers respond.

Shortly thereafter, Residential Specialist Kenney radioed Lead Hattori and reported one suspect was in the parking lot next to Walgreens. HPD officers arrived in the area and detained the suspect. Residential Specialist Kenney and Reyes positively identified the suspect and he was arrested for theft and terroristic threatening.

Lead Residential Specialist Ashley Hattori and Residential Specialists Adam Kenney and Arturo Reyes, you are being commended for your keen observations, quick action and ability to work as a team. We appreciate your efforts and proud to call you "TOP COPS." Congratulations!

**Security Shift Supervisor Roy Kainoa
Security Officer Curtis Tom
Security Officer Brandon Ventura
Star Protection Agency
Waikele Center**

On Wednesday, September 6, 2017, a purse snatching occurred at the Waikele Center. Security Officer Brandon Ventura obtained a description of the suspect and radioed the information to Security Shift Supervisor Roy Kainoa who aired an all-points-bulletin. Security Officer Curtis Tom observed a female matching the suspect's description and attempted to detain her. The female, hereinafter referred to as the suspect, fled from the scene.

The Honolulu Police Department was notified and officers responded. After they had obtained the suspect's description, the police officers began to check the area. The suspect was observed at the bus stop located on Lumiaina Street. The suspect was subsequently arrested for Theft in the Second Degree (Class C Felony) and all property taken was recovered.

Security Shift Supervisor Roy Kainoa and Security Officers Curtis Tom and Brandon Ventura, you are being commended for your dedication to duty and team effort that led to the apprehension of a theft suspect. Mahalo for a job well done!

Site Supervisor Christopher Lai

Securitas Security Services USA

On the morning of March 31, 2017, Securitas Site Supervisor Christopher Lai was on duty at the Waikele Gulch property. He was assigned to escort the operations manager and assist in locating the property's main water valve. The assignment took the pair to a remote and undeveloped portion of the property. During their activity, the manager was stung by a Yellowjacket. Initially, there was limited concern since the manager believed he was not allergic to the venom and the two continued their activity.

Soon after, the manager reported to Supervisor Lai the pain from the sting was progressing. Thinking quickly, he informed the manager he would transport him to an area hospital for treatment. While en-route, the manager's condition worsened and he began to go in and out of consciousness. Additionally, his breathing became labored and hives began to spread over his body.

Supervisor Lai remained calm and in control. He expedited the drive to the hospital where he assisted the victim into the emergency room. There, he briefed the medical staff. The manager was diagnosed and treated for anaphylactic shock. He made a full and complete recovery. The treating physician and medical staff explained that without Supervisor Lai's prompt response to this medical emergency, this event could have been fatal.

Supervisor Lai demonstrated composure and professionalism during this quickly escalating medical situation. If not for his actions, this incident could have ended tragically. Supervisor Lai saved the life of a grateful man and is certainly worthy of the title "TOP COP". Congratulations Chris!

Special Agent Wilson Lau

State of Hawaii

Department of the Attorney General

Investigations Division

The State of Hawaii Department of the Attorney General is proud to announce Special Agent Wilson W. Lau as their "TOP COP" for 2017. He has taken on complex financial fraud, computer fraud, and government corruption investigations, has executed numerous search warrants to attain the needed evidence, and has arrested suspects after developing the needed probable cause. Special Agent Lau is a law enforcement agent who will pursue a suspect no matter what locale in the United States he or she might have conducted the crime or to what jurisdiction he or she might have fled to.

In April of 2017, the City and County of Honolulu requested the Department of the Attorney General Investigations Division look into a government corruption type case: a suspected government official was alleged to have forged that agency's operational document. Special Agent Lau was assigned the investigation and immediately and diligently began to examine all the forged documents and connected all the documentary evidence to prove the forgery. Special Agent Lau developed probable cause and executed a search warrant on the suspect's work area and the suspect's assigned work computer and recovered additional evidence. The suspect was arrested and is currently facing indictment.

In May of 2017, Special Agent Lau completed an investigation involving forged notarized government certificates. In this case, the suspect forged the government author's signature on legal documents. Special Agent Lau had to subpoena and examine all of the suspect's notary records, interview the immigrants who were serviced by the suspect and conduct numerous photographic line-ups. Special Agent Lau determined the suspect used a high-end printer to process the forged documents and executed search warrants seizing the equipment as evidence. The suspect was arrested without incident.

Special Agent Wilson Lau is dedicated and provides superior performance in all of his investigations. He is certainly worthy of the "TOP COP" Award. Congratulations Special Agent Lau!

Security Officer Chad Lee-Davis

G4S Secure Solutions USA

On Tuesday, July 11, 2017, at approximately 11:20 a.m., an unidentified male, later identified as the victim, entered the Aqua Park Shore hotel lobby yelling for help. He was bleeding from his nose and mouth. A second male, later identified as the suspect, entered the lobby and began yelling at the victim. Security Officer Chad Lee-Davis arrived on the scene and intervened. He tried to calm the suspect who was continuing his verbal assault on the victim. Without warning, the suspect kicked the victim in the stomach, then picked up a table and attempted to strike the victim. Officer Lee-Davis, disregarding his own safety, took physical control of the suspect and assisted him to the ground.

While physically detaining the suspect, a group of males, who were apparently associated with the suspect, entered the hotel lobby and surrounded Officer Lee-Davis. Fearing for his own safety, he released the suspect and took a defensive posture. The suspect and his associates fled from the scene on foot.

Officer Lee-Davis immediately provided first-aid to the victim who reported the suspect physically assaulted him and relieved him of his property. The police soon arrived and took over the investigation. An ambulance transported the victim to a nearby hospital for medical treatment. Officer Lee-Davis assisted in the robbery investigation by providing suspect description and direction of flight.

Security Officer Chad Lee-Davis, you are being recognized for your quick response and your courage to assist another while placing yourself in harm's way. Your actions prevented the victim from sustaining additional injury. You are an example to be followed and we are proud of you. Congratulations!

Law Enforcement Officer Melvin Lorenzo

Maui Airport Division

Securitas Security Services USA, Inc.

On November 11, 2016, at about 6:00 p.m., Airport Division Law Enforcement Officer Melvin Lorenzo was on duty at the Kahului Airport on Maui and assigned to Gate 21. He was dispatched to a possible "heart attack" victim aboard Hawaiian Flight 325 headed to Honolulu.

Upon receiving the assignment, Officer Lorenzo obtained an automated external defibrillator (AED) located at Gate 23. This set off the audible alarm which then alerted a civilian passenger in the holding room who identified himself as a firefighter and offered his assistance.

The pair entered the aircraft and located the victim slumped over in her seat. She was unresponsive with no pulse or breathing. They took the victim to the aisle and placed the AED Pads on her chest and began CPR. At the direction of the AED, electrical therapy was applied. The victim began to breathe and a pulse was detected. Airport Fire and Rescue arrived on the scene and continued resuscitation efforts. The victim was transported to an area hospital where she received further treatment and is alive today.

There is no doubt that the quick response, clear thinking and decisive action to rush to the victim's aid saved her life. The combined efforts of Officer Lorenzo and the off-duty firefighter is a testament to the hard work, dedication and professionalism that all first responders do each and every day. Securitas is honored and privileged to have such a fine officer receive the well deserved "TOP COP" Award. Congratulations Melvin!

Security Sergeant Henry Charles McCord, III

Allied Universal

Ala Moana Center

Security Sergeant Henry C. McCord, III began his career as a security professional with the Ala Moana Center three years ago and was quickly promoted to a supervisor after one year. His enthusiasm to learn and assist his fellow co-workers was quickly noticed by the staff and he gained a reputation as a go-to-officer by both his supervisors and his peers. Sergeant McCord is considered very approachable and his report writing skills have been recognized by his superiors as exceptional. Additionally, he has taken the lead in assisting the rest of the security team with report writing and investigation procedures. Sergeant McCord's accomplishments include the following:

- Sergeant McCord was awarded a letter of appreciation from the U.S. Marshal Service for assisting with the capture of a wanted fugitive. The fugitive was participating in a rehabilitation program, but violated her federal probation by failing to return to her housing facility. U.S. Marshals distributed posters of the fugitive with the Ala Moana Center Security. One day, Sergeant McCord recognized the suspect at an Ala Moana Center bus stop. He notified the Deputy U.S. Marshal responsible for the investigation via the telephone and informed him the suspect had just boarded a city bus. Sergeant McCord provided the Deputy U.S. Marshall with the bus number and the suspect was subsequently captured without incident.
- Sergeant McCord was responsible for the arrest of a male suspect he observed committing criminal property damage at the Ala Moana Center. The suspect attempted to flee and was captured by Sergeant McCord, arrested and subsequently trespassed from the property.

Sergeant McCord is well deserving of this recognition as a "TOP COP" and is an integral part of the Ala Moana Center Security Team. Mahalo Henry!

Special Agent Edwin Nam

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Department of Justice

FBI Special Agent Edwin Nam is assigned to the Honolulu Field Office, Maui Resident Agency. In 2016, Agent Nam joined the FBI Cellular Analysis Survey Team (CAST) and the Task Force Officers (TFO) as a certified CAST expert. He became the sole certified CAST expert for Hawaii, Guam and Saipan. These tools allow investigators to exploit historical cellular telephone location records and toll record analysis to link individuals to crime scenes.

Since becoming a certified CAST expert, Agent Nam has been instrumental in bringing this capability to other law enforcement agencies by providing the Basic CAST Training to over forty local, state and federal investigators to include the police departments on Maui, Kauai, Hawaii County and Oahu, the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney Kauai County, the Hawaii Department of Public Safety, and the U.S. Marshal Service.

Agent Nam also conducted CAST presentations for the Hawaii Inter-County Criminal Intelligence Unit Conference, the Hawaii Prosecutors Attorney's Association, the International Homicide Investigators Association, and the Hawaii Criminal Investigative Division Detectives Conference.

Agent Nam is dedicated to assisting all of his fellow law enforcement partners in Hawaii and is always available to assist when called upon. This is especially true when it comes to his work with CAST. In the last two years, Agent Nam's work has resulted in providing crucial evidence in solving a number of violent crimes in Hawaii, to include two homicides that occurred in the Hawaii County and the theft of a law enforcement officer's firearm on Maui. He has assisted in investigations conducted by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosive as well as other state and federal cases. Agent Nam's subject matter expertise and dedication enhance investigative efforts by county, state, and federal law enforcement agencies, helping to make this community a safer place.

Special Agent Edwin Nam is the Federal Bureau of Investigation's 2017 "TOP COP". We are proud of him and the work he has done to create a safe and secure Hawaii for residents and visitors alike. Congratulations!

Hawaii Security Supervisor Ed Nishi

Monsanto Company

Ed Nishi served our community and the Honolulu Police Department with 30 years of dedicated service and retired as a captain in 2006. Since then, he continues to serve the community and remains an active participant of the International Conference on Transnational Organized Crime & Terrorism (ICTIOT).

For almost 20-years, Ed has volunteered his time and resources to this very important transnational organization that meets all over the world. He has supported events in Florida, Japan, and both on the West and East coasts. In 2018, the event will move to Arizona.

On May 3, 2016, Ed and others hosted the ICTIOT meeting in Honolulu. There were more than three-hundred law enforcement and government officials from around the world in attendance. During the event, Ed was interviewed by KHON Channel 2 news and was quoted saying, "By networking with other law enforcement agencies, we learn about case studies from different areas, we learn about crime trends and what to look out for and how to avoid some of those crime trends." Ed truly believes the ever-changing landscape of how crime evolves highlights the importance of bringing resources together.

Ever vigilant and ever active, Ed Nishi is a prime example of a "TOP COP" who has dedicated his life to ensure the safety of our island home. Thank you Ed for all that you have done and continue to do for us and congratulations on receiving this prestigious award!

Security Professional Diosdado Oasay Allied Universal

Security Professional Diosdado Oasay is assigned to the Kapalua Resort on the island of Maui. He patrols his area of responsibility with confidence and ensures the safety of both guests and employees.

On Monday, May 15, 2017, while on active patrol, Security Professional Oasay was dispatched to a report of a medical emergency: unconscious male, hereinafter referred to as the victim. Upon arriving at the scene, he found a Good Samaritan administering cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) to the victim who was lying prone on the ground and unresponsive. The Good Samaritan was a paramedic visiting from San Diego. While he was being administered CPR, the victim went into what appeared to be full cardiac arrest.

Security Professional Oasay quickly obtained an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) located at the site and attached the probes to the victim's chest. He followed the instructions provided by the AED which, as designed, applied electrical therapy to the victim. Soon after, medical first responders arrived on the scene and took over treatment. The victim was then transported to a local hospital.

Security Professional Oasay's quick thinking and immediate response to assist in administering medical aid to the victim was instrumental in maintaining patient viability until the arrival of medical personnel. He is being recognized and commended for his actions. Security Representative Oasay represents the quality training and professionalism exhibited by Allied Universal Professionals. Congratulations on your "TOP COP" Award!

Security Officer Lusta Phillips Security Officer Jennifer Lewis Star Protection Agency Waikele Center

On November 16, 2016, Security Officers Lusta Phillips and Jennifer Lewis were on active patrol of the Waikele Center. Officer Phillips observed three males, hereinafter referred to as the suspects, sleeping in a vehicle and approached. She woke them and informed the suspects they had to leave the property. When they failed to leave, Officer Phillips radioed to Security Officer Jennifer Lewis and requested she respond to her location.

Once Officer Lewis arrived, the suspects began searching the vehicle. When questioned, the suspects explained they were looking for the car keys. Officer Lewis became suspicious when she noted the vehicle had handicap license plates and none of the suspects appeared to have any impediments.

Officer Lewis contacted the Honolulu Police Department and requested a check on the vehicle owner. She discovered the vehicle was reported stolen. The suspects were detained until Honolulu police officers arrived and arrested the suspects for Unauthorized Entry into a Motor Vehicle.

Security Officers Lusta Phillips and Jennifer Lewis, you are being commended for your dedication to duty, your curious nature and your investigative skills that led to three felony arrests. You have demonstrated that you are "TOP COPS" and we congratulate you! Mahalo!

Specialist Roberto Rojas

Military Police Officer

39th Military Police Detachment

United States Army

United States Army Specialist Roberto Rojas is a military police officer assigned to the 39th Military Police Bike Patrol, 728th Military Police Battalion. He is being nominated for the "TOP COP" Award for his excellence, for his integrity and for his professionalism.

Specialist Rojas' involvement with the community is incomparable when compared to other junior enlisted soldiers. He is a D.A.R.E. Instructor at the Fort Shafter Elementary School and is well known by all the students because of his consistent and positive involvement throughout their school day.

Specialist Rojas engages and educates the community on the importance of child endangerment and unattended children. He also conducts bicycle and skateboard safety education with the youth, teaching them the proper personal protective equipment to use while engaged in those recreational activities.

Specialist Rojas assists the Hale Koa Hotel in Waikiki in almost all of their large holiday events. His dedication and competence ensures hotel guests enjoy their vacation in a safe and healthy environment.

Specialist Rojas demonstrates the United States Army Values of Loyalty, Duty, Respect, Selfless Service, Honor, Integrity and Personal Courage. Congratulations Specialist Rojas on a job well done and keep up the good work!

Securitas Assistant District Contract Security Manager John Shaw G4S Secure Solutions (USA) Inc.

If you are one of the many travelers flowing through the Daniel K. Inouye International Airport, you might hear the warm, resounding voice of Aloha from John Shaw, Securitas Assistant District Contract Security Manager and one of the 1,100 employees at eleven Hawaii airports. As we all know how important hospitality is for the Hawaiian islands, he and his Securitas team do their very best to not only secure our airports, but also welcome our visitors with the Spirit of Aloha.

While on one of his active patrols, Security Manager Shaw observed a crowd at a travel desk, investigated and located an unconscious male, hereinafter referred to as the victim. He quickly made a medical assessment and began cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and instructed bystanders to activate medical services and locate an automated external defibrillator (AED).

After a second medical assessment and the arrival of an AED, Security Manager Shaw attached the probes to the victim and followed instructions. The device sent an electric shock to the victim's heart in an effort to restore normal rhythm. At about that time, medical services arrived. The victim was transported to a nearby hospital and made a full recovery. If not for Security Manager Shaw's quick action, the victim may have died at the scene.

Security Manager Shaw is a retired Honolulu police sergeant and joined Securitas in July 2004 as a School Safety Manager. He soon was reassigned to the Airports Branch as a Law Enforcement Officer and was promoted to various supervisory positions along the way to his current position as Securitas Assistant District Contract Security Manager.

On his off-duty hours, Security Manager Shaw is out in the community and active in many voluntary organizations. As a member of Odd Fellows in five lodges, he volunteers at the Crawford Care Home, Ronald McDonald House, USS Missouri, Waimea Park Cleanup, Food Bank Drive, ARC Project Hawaii, School for the Deaf and Blind and the Wounded Warrior Projects. He also takes on the role of Santa Claus during the Holiday Season for the Honolulu Police Department at their annual "Shop with a Cop" program and visits families at the Kapiolani Medical Center for Women and Children, bringing joy to everyone there.

Security Manager John Shaw is an exceptional employee and person who demonstrates the Aloha Spirit and warms others to follow his example. The Securitas Ohana is proud of you John! Congratulations on your success!

**Lieutenant Security Officer Sharon Souza
Corporal Security Officer Anvar Emperado
Security Officer Alex Oh
Star Protection Agency
Kahala Mall**

On April 16, 2017, Lieutenant Security Officer Sharon Souza, Corporal Security Officer Anvar Emperado and Security Officer Alex Oh were on-duty at the Kahala Mall located in east Oahu. The staff from the theatres reported a medical emergency: an elderly female, hereinafter referred to as the victim, was lying prone in their lobby, just below the staircase.

Lieutenant Souza quickly responded along with Corporal Emperado and Officer Oh and located the victim. The team quickly made a medical assessment. The victim was non-responsive, her lips were purple, a lump was observed on her head, and her facial skin an ashen color. Aware the emergency medical system had already been activated, Lieutenant Souza immediately initiated CPR.

After a few minutes, Lieutenant Souza made a medical assessment and determined there was no response. By this time, Corporal Emperado had obtained an AED and placed the probes on the victim. CPR continued until the victim finally took a breath.

After a few more minutes, ambulance personnel, along with firefighters and police officers, arrived on the scene and took over the life-saving efforts. The victim was transported to an area hospital.

Lieutenant Security Officer Sharon Souza, Corporal Security Officer Anvar Emperado and Security Officer Alex Oh is being commended for their dedication to duty and team work that saved a life. We are proud to call you "TOP COPS". Congratulations!

**Hawaii Hotel Visitor
Industry Security Association
Residential Specialist Jon Souza
Residential Specialist Giovanni Wozniak
Residential Specialist James Dellinger
ONE Ala Moana**

On April 28, 2017, at about 11:30 a.m., Residential Specialist Jon (Miki) Souza was on-duty at the front desk of ONE Ala Moana when he heard a motor vehicle collision outside the lobby on the Kapiolani Boulevard side of the complex. He went out to the roadway and observed a dark colored motorcycle lying on its side with a male, hereinafter referred to as the victim, lying in front of a gray four door sedan. Residential Specialist Souza radioed Residential Specialists Giovanni Wozniak and James (Kalani) Dellinger and instructed them to respond to his location fronting 1555 Kapiolani Boulevard with a medical bag

Residential Specialist Souza medically assessed the victim and noted he was conscious and responsive. The victim complained of pain to his neck and leg area. Residential Specialists Souza and Wozniak assisted the victim with basic first aid, keeping him stable until the arrival of first responders. Residential Specialist Dellinger provided traffic control and directed first responders to the victim upon their arrival. The victim was transported to an area hospital while police officers took over the investigation.

This was a team effort by all involved. Residential Specialists Souza, Wozniak and Dellinger responded courageously and with the utmost professionalism. Their action and focus kept all involved safe until first responders arrived. Congratulations Miki, Giovanni and Kalani! You are all "TOP COPS" and we are proud of you!

**Supervising Executive Officer
Charlene Tamanaha
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
Professional & Vocational Licensing
State of Hawaii**

In 2013, Charlene Tamanaha was promoted to Supervising Executive Officer overseeing the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA) 48 boards and executive officers. This position is in addition to her regular duties as the Executive Officer for the Board of Private Detectives and Guards (BPDG), Board of Electricians and Plumbers, Contractors Licensing Board, and Pest Control Board.

In 2010, over 10,000 security guards in the state were mandated by law to register with the BPDG by July 1, 2013. Ms. Tamanaha took on this daunting task by creating the registration process, producing all the forms and multiple processes for guard registration, and working with the Honolulu Community College to ensure classroom instruction fulfilled the required curriculum. She had to coordinate efforts with multiple government agencies including the Hawaii Criminal Justice Data Center and the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Ms. Tamanaha also disseminated the new law information to businesses via meetings on Oahu and the neighbor islands. In early July 2017, almost 19,000 guard employees have been registered by the DCCA and ratified by the BPDG. Charlene and her team managed the entire project.

Charlene's generosity in time and work does not end at the office. She is involved with the Roosevelt High School Project Grad Committee and is their Band Booster Club Food Committee Chair. She is also the Recording Secretary for the Ginowan Okinawan Club and is part of the DCCA Glee Club.

Often asked why she works so hard, Ms. Tamanaha's trait response is simply, "It's part of my job". Thoughts that come to mind are tireless, arrives early, works late, works weekends, patient, never complains, a great leader, fearless, compassionate, positive, incredibly knowledgeable and liked by all.

Thank you Charlene for your commitment toward the work you perform. You and your team have made a significant and positive impact in the security of our island home. Congratulations!

Captain Henry Kanuha Tancayo, Jr.

Allied Universal

Ala Moana Center

Captain Henry Kanuha Tancayo, Jr. has been assigned to protect the Ala Moana Center for 33 years. With visitation averaging 49 million persons per year, providing security services at the property is a daunting task. In addition, Captain Tancayo oversees the security of the Ala Moana Building and the Ala Moana Pacific Center. He supervises 75 security professionals and is responsible for their initial training, continuing professional education, as well as management and deployment.

Captain Tancayo's accomplishments over the past three decades include:

- He has managed the security requirements of all 26 Ala Moana Center Independence Day Firework Celebrations, an event that attracts over 50,000 to the shores of Ala Moana Beach Park and the Ala Moana Center;
- He has played a primary role in three significant expansion projects to the properties dating back to 1999. His role as Dock Master during these projects was crucial and he managed the access control and scheduling of millions of dollars of merchandise through the property's truck concourses;
- He is responsible for coordinating Ala Moana Center's access to participants of the Honolulu Marathon. Working closely with the Honolulu Police Department and event organizers, Captain Tancayo's main concern has always been the safety of everyone on the property; and,
- He is the reason behind the success of the property's Upfront Parking Campaign, a program to provide the most convenient parking stalls to customers. The Holiday Season parking is also much more enjoyable with his oversight of the Parking Elves, security officers dressed in Santa hats providing assistance in the parking lots.

Captain Tancayo has mentored hundreds of security professionals during his tenure, resulting in several of them becoming leaders within the security profession and as law enforcement officers. We join Captain Tancayo's wife Tracie and his daughter Haylie in thanking him for his dedication to his family and his chosen profession. He is a TOP COP and most deserving of this recognition. Congratulations Henry!

**Hawaii Hotel Visitor
Industry Security Association
Residential Specialist Myka Tawara
Residential Specialist Adam Kenney
Residential Specialist Arturo Reyes
ONE Ala Moana**

On Wednesday, May 31, 2017, at about 10:45 p.m., Residential Specialist Myka Tawara was on-duty at the front desk at ONE Ala Moana monitoring the security camera system. He observed two males spraying-painting graffiti on the walls of the south/east stairwell and immediately dispatched Residential Specialists Adam Kenney and Arturo Reyes to that location. He also notified Ala Moana Center Security and the Honolulu Police Department (HPD).

As Residential Specialists Kenney and Reyes arrived on the scene, the two suspects fled on foot. A chase ensued down the stairwell and onto level 2A. The two suspects then split up, one fleeing on a bicycle and the other on a skateboard down the ramp towards Kapiolani Boulevard.

Residential Specialist Kenney ran through the parking lot and onto Makaloa Street. He observed an HPD officer, flagged him down and provided the officer with the suspect's description. The HPD officer aired an all points bulletin and other responding officers checked the area.

A short time later, HPD officers requested all three Residential Specialists view a field show-up. They complied and were able to identify the suspects in this case. The suspects were arrested and transported to the HPD headquarters.

Residential Specialists Tawara, Kenney and Reyes, you are being commended for your keen observations, quick response, and dedication to duty that led to the arrest of two males for criminal property damage. You are an asset to ONE Ala Moana and we are grateful for your efforts. Congratulations and keep up the good work!

Captain Bradley Taylor

Law Enforcement Division Operations Officer

HHD, 728th Military Police Battalion

United States Army

Captain Bradley Taylor is the Law Enforcement Division Operations Officer assigned to the HHD, 728th Military Police Battalion and has made significant impacts in support of the US Army-Hawaii law enforcement operations across Oahu and on the Big Island of Hawaii. He oversees a section of military personnel who track law enforcement and crime statistics and trends across twenty-two military installations, coordinates resources and staffing for special events, conducts incident command for all major U.S. Army events in Hawaii and is prepared to conduct incident command in support of all natural or man-made disasters.

In July 2017, Captain Taylor served as the Army Force Protection Officer-in-Charge during a joint operation that resulted in the arrest of a soldier accused of Providing Material Support to Terrorists. He liaised between five law enforcement agencies and pertinent military commands to ensure the military installation maintained the safety and security of all Army assets.

Captain Taylor served as the Operations Officer for the 2017 4th of July celebration on Schofield Barracks with over 23,000 attendees. He planned anti-terrorism measures and law enforcement support to include K9s, foot patrols, bike patrols and Special Reaction Teams with sniper capabilities. Moreover, Captain Taylor has supervised the planning and evaluation of two law enforcement exercises in 2017 on Schofield Barracks and Fort Shafter providing an opportunity to externally evaluate both U.S. Army Provost Marshall Offices on emergency response and incident command actions.

Captain Taylor has been instrumental in providing advisement and subject matter expertise on patrol distribution plan changes across all Hawaii Army installations through his assessment of crime trends and analysis. He has supervised the refinement of the law enforcement response to improve efficiency and his recommendations have ensured the military police response has been able to meet all law enforcement mission requirements, even with a 20% reduction of personnel.

Captain Taylor is the epitome of a team builder and his leadership cannot be questioned. He is certainly worthy of the title "TOP COP" and we congratulate him on this recognition.

Officer Bryan L. Whipple

Honolulu Police Department

Officer Bryan Whipple is an 11 year veteran of the Honolulu Police Department and is currently assigned to the Narcotics Vice Division, High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Task Force. He is deputized through the Drug Enforcement Agency and enforces federal narcotics laws. Their mission is to disrupt and dismantle large scale local, regional, and international drug trafficking organizations.

Officer Whipple has prevented the distribution and use of narcotics by taking apart several illegal drug operations. He is one of the most experienced members of the task force and he is relied upon to provide guidance to other task force officers in identifying drug distribution schemes, planning operations, and preparing the respective cases for federal prosecution.

Officer Whipple has recently taken on additional responsibility as an instructor for the Undercover Class. His real world experience and knowledge is invaluable when training future undercover officers. Additionally, his perspective helps officers succeed on the street and in the courtroom.

Officer Whipple, you are being commended for your dedication to duty, your investigative skills and your team effort in sharing knowledge. You deserve this award and we congratulate you. Keep up the good work!

Security Officer Eric Wright

Star Protection Agency

On September 6, 2017, Star Protection Agency Security Officer Eric Wright was on-duty and on active patrol at the Chinese Cultural Plaza. He observed an elderly man chasing four individuals.

Unsure of the situation, Officer Wright decided quickly to act and engaged in the foot chase. He managed to run down one of the suspects and detain him until Honolulu police officers arrived. Officer Wright assisted police officers in a search of the area and helped them apprehend a second suspect.

Security Officer Eric Wright is being commended for his dedication to duty, quick actions and ability to work as a team. Your efforts are appreciated and congratulations one being a "TOP COP!"

AWARDS

OUTSTANDING ORGANIZATION
JUDGE C. NILS TAVARES AWARD
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OUTSTANDING ORGANIZATION AWARD

Awarded to the private security organization or association showing the greatest initiative and/or innovativeness in promoting the professionalism of private security.

Honolulu Police Community Foundation (HPCF)	2016
Federal Law Enforcement Foundation (FLEF)	2015
Retail Merchants of Hawaii.....	2014
The Hawaii Law Enforcement Memorial Foundation	2013
PacClear Hawaii State Fusion Center.....	2012
Guardsmark.....	2011
Securitas	2010
Waikiki Business Improvement District Association.....	2009
International Association for Healthcare Security & Safety	2008
CrimeStoppers Hawaii.....	2007
Hawaii Hotel Visitor Industry Security Association.....	2006
Star Protection Agency.....	2005
200 Club	2004
Security Resources	2003
Visitor Aloha Society of Hawaii.....	2002
Council Of Police & Private Security	2001
ASIS & SSI	2000
Hawaii Joint Police Association.....	1999
Hotel Visitor Industry Security Association.....	1998
Sonitrol	1997

Outstanding Organization Award



Kapi`olani Medical Center for Women & Children Sex Abuse Treatment Center

The Outstanding Organization Award is presented to the association demonstrating the greatest initiative, innovation, and resolve in promoting their mission. This year, the award is proudly presented to the Sex Abuse Treatment Center in recognition of their outstanding work for the community and their devotion to helping victims by providing much needed services and law enforcement by offering crucial support for the criminal investigation process.

In the early 1970s, victims of sexual assault were transported to the Pawa Annex, which also housed the city morgue, for forensic examinations and evidence collection. At that time, there was no specialized medical care for these victims. In 1976, the first comprehensive sexual assault program in Hawaii was created: the Sex Abuse Treatment Center (SATC) of Kapi`olani Medical Center for Women and Children. The SATC established a protocol for medical examinations and legal evidence-collection procedures, which became the foundation for forensic evidence procedures throughout the State of Hawaii.

At the core of this protocol was the development of crisis counseling and legal systems advocacy for the sexual assault survivors and their family. Medical personnel, police, prosecutors and counselors were also trained on victim sensitivity and evidence-collection procedures.

The SATC has a 24 hour hotline to assist sexual assault survivors. Trained crisis counselors immediately respond to their needs, providing in-person care during the forensic examination, informing survivors of legal options and offering support during police reporting. On-site crisis counseling is provided to child victims and their families at the Children's Justice Center. Crisis support and care are also provided to high-risk youth in the community.

The SATC has a premier clinical program with a team of psychologists, social workers, counselors and psychiatrist, providing evidence-based trauma-informed care. They work with children, teens and adults, providing survivors opportunities for individual and group therapy along with trauma sensitive yoga and mindfulness practices. The SATC is a statewide program that provides funding and technical assistance to sexual assault centers on Kauai, Maui and the Big Island. This statewide partnership has resulted in consistent and standardized delivery of services.

Medical exams are available 24 hours a day for minors, adults, females and males. They are performed on-site within 72 hours of a sexual assault at Kapi'olani Medical Center for Women & Children. Comprehensive medical evaluations for children or adolescents who may delay disclosure of sexual victimization beyond 72 hours and specialized medical-legal care for survivors of human trafficking are also available. All examinations are performed by physicians who are trained in the medical care specifically needed following a sexual assault.

The SATC continues to be at the forefront of forensic services for sexual assault to advance the quality of evidence collection and preservation. The SATC uses the Hawaii State Sexual Assault Evidence Collection Kit when conducting a forensic examination. Its collection of legal specimens includes specific collection procedures required for DNA testing.

The SATC is committed to educating the community on the prevalence of sexual violence and the public health hazards associated with sexual violence. The Center has a longstanding history of collaborating with agencies and key stakeholders to bring services to survivors, to increase community awareness, train professionals about sexual violence, and to implement sexual violence prevention programs.

Their media campaign [r e s p e c t], targeted at youth and young adults to prevent sexual violence, was developed and launched through the collaboration of SATC, the Hawai'i State Coalition Against Sexual Assault, and the State Department of Health. The SATC and the Honolulu Theatre for Youth work together to address sexual violence prevention through interactive, creative learning for middle and high school students. The SATC also produced research-based sexual violence prevention curricula tailored for kindergarten to 12th grade. Teachers are being trained throughout Hawai'i to deliver this curricula to students.

The SATC is actively involved in shaping public policy. As part of its advocacy for survivors, the SATC is visible at the Hawai'i State Legislature, testifying to enact and change laws to promote public safety, enhance services for survivors of sexual assault and maintain funding for services. It also has worked to defeat bills with negative consequences for survivors of sexual violence.

The effectiveness of the SATC in the past few years is revealed in the following statistical information:

- In 2016, the SATC fielded over 3000 calls on their hotline;
- In 2015 and 2016, the SATC saw approximately 1360 clients;
- In 2016, the SATC treated 217 victims in counseling and case management;
- In 2016, the SATC conducted roughly 70 trainings and community presentations; and,
- In 2016 the SATC provided 309 medical forensic exams to survivors of sexual assault.

Based on their performance of crucial community services consistently being provided year after year with stellar results and outcomes, the Sexual Abuse Treatment Center is being recognized as the 2017 Outstanding Organization. Not only are they worthy of this recognition, but they also deserve our heartfelt appreciation for being our voice when speaking out against sexual assault. Congratulations and Mahalo!

JUDGE C. NILS TAVARES AWARD

The Nils Tavares award recognizes an outstanding local or federal law enforcement or Emergency Management organization in the State of Hawaii. Factors that are considered include changes or establishment of programs in crime prevention, drug awareness, youth gang suppression, officer training, laboratory procedures, community policing, innovations, readiness, and the application of contemporary technology.

Honolulu Police Department Major Events Division	2016
US ARMY Hawaii Digital Forensic Examination (DFE) team, 19th Military Police Battalion (CID).....	2015
Community Drug Court; First Circuit Court.....	2014
HPD Criminal Investigations Division, Financial Crimes	2013
Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam Emergency Ops Center	2012
Scientific Investigation Section.....	2011
Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics.....	2010
Operation FALCON	2009
United States Secret Service	2008
Hawaii High Technology Crimes Unit.....	2007
Rapid Reduction Drug Unit.....	2006
Dept. of Public Safety: Sheriff Division.....	2005
United States Attorney's Office	2004
Honolulu Police Department.....	2003

Attorney General's Office	2002
Maui Police Department	2001
Honolulu Prosecutor's Office	2000
HPD's SWAT	1999
US Attorney	1998
CrimeStoppers & DARE	1997

Nils Tavares Award



Elder Abuse Justice Unit Department of the Prosecuting Attorney City & County of Honolulu

The Nils Tavares Award is presented to an outstanding local, state, or federal organization in the State of Hawaii that has tailored a program to bring about measurable change in the law enforcement community. This year, the Elder Abuse Justice Unit (EAJU) is being honored with this recognition. The EAJU members include Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Scott Spallina, Deputy Prosecuting Attorneys Patricia Kickland, Oksana Vincent, Mark Miyahira and support staff Fiatu`uu Uelese, Cheryl Mau-Hornstein, Darin Dodge along with two interns. This committed team is driven by their goal to “enhance awareness, prevention and prosecution of crimes affecting the elderly” in Hawaii.

The EAJU was established in 2008 by then Prosecuting Attorney Peter Carlisle and prosecuted all felony crimes involving victims or complainants that are age 60 or older. In its inaugural year, the unit consisted of one deputy prosecutor and one staff member. In 2010, newly elected Prosecuting Attorney Keith Kaneshiro expanded the unit to four attorneys, three staff members and four law clerks as well as pro bono

students from the William S. Richardson School of Law. The EAJU is a highly specialized unit and the only team from the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney with the experience and training to perform all stages of a criminal prosecution.

The cases handled by the EAJU are vertically prosecuted which means the assigned deputy prosecutor manages the case from the initial charging to the final disposition. This establishes a thorough understanding of the facts of the case and provides an opportunity for the prosecutor to establish rapport with the victim or complainant. The EAJU is a rapid response team and attorneys are on call around the clock to meet and confer with Honolulu police detectives and to review reports of elder abuse. The prosecutors are also available to other agencies that provide services for persons age 60 or older and works closely with advocates to provide victims the support required as they navigate the legal system.

From 2008 to 2014, the EAJU has seen a 294% increase in the number of elder abuse cases they have handled. In the past five years, the EAJU has offered educational sessions to more than 50,000 seniors and distributed over



DPA Scott Spallina shares information with other members while at the Department of the Prosecuting Attorney's Office.

20,000 Elder Abuse Information Brochures. The EAJU has made presentations at senior fairs and events including the Waikiki Community Center, the Kokua Council for Senior Citizens of Hawaii, and the Hawaii State Bar Association.

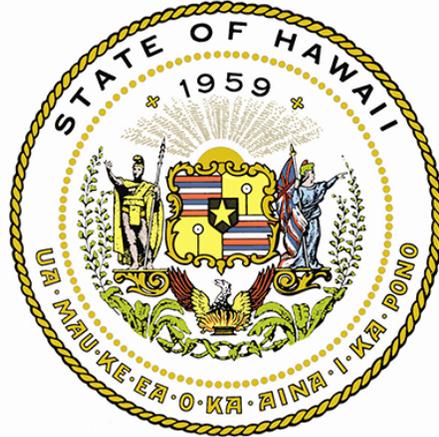
In addition to in-person educational events, the EAJU has been featured on television and radio including the KHON's The Elderhood Project, Today's Kupuna, Kupuna Connection, and the KHVH news radio's Kupuna Connections and Generation Radio. The team has also shared their message in print media which includes the Star Advertiser, the Generations Magazine, Aloha Pumehana, Ka Leo, Honolulu Weekly and the Senior Information and Assistance Handbook.

Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Spallina, a 19 year prosecutor, created and has led the unit from the outset as the EAJU supervisor. Prior to this assignment, he headed the Domestic Violence Branch. Before attending law school, DPA Spallina worked as a private investigator for Goodenow Associates/Safeguard Services in Honolulu and volunteered for 6 years as a crisis counselor for the Suicide Crisis

Center. After graduation from the William S. Richardson School of Law at the University of Hawaii, he clerked for Judge Marie Milks, worked for the Attorney General's Office, as well as the private law firm of Koshiba and Associates before joining the Prosecutor's Office.

Prosecuting Attorney Kaneshiro believes our parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles are the treasures of our society. Our Kupuna took great care of us in our youth and it's now up to us to protect and care for them in the senior years. The Elder Abuse Justice Unit is worthy of this award and we offer our appreciation and congratulations!

Nils Tavares Award



Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs Professional and Vocational Licensing Board of Private Detectives and Guards State of Hawaii

The Nils Tavares Award is presented to an outstanding local, state, or federal police organization in the State of Hawaii that has consistently created measureable change in assigned duties. This year, the award is presented to the State of Hawaii, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA), Professional and Vocational Licensing, Board of Private Detectives and Guards.

Currently, the Board of Private Detectives and Guards is comprised of seven members. Six of the members include, two chiefs of police, two members of the public not engaged in the licensed practices, two persons actually engaged in licensed practices (one guard, one detective), and the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs is an ex-officio non-voting seventh member. Six of the members are nominated by, and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointed by the Governor. The members of the Board of Private Detectives and Guards are as follows:

Ray Galoss, Public Member, Chairperson
Albert Denis, Industry Member, Vice Chairperson
Kenneth Chang, Industry Member
Tivoli Faaumu, Police Chief, Maui Police Department
Douglas Inouye, Public Member
Darryl Perry, Police Chief, Kauai Police Department
Catherine P. Awakuni Colón, Ex-Officio / Director of the DCCA

Definitely worthy of note is that the Supervising Executive Officer for all of the DCCA's 48 boards, Charlene Tamanaha, is assigned to aid the Board along with a deputy attorney general.

It is the responsibility of the Board, in general terms, to protect the public from unlawful and unethical conduct and operation of the business of private detectives and guards. In addition to any other powers and duties authorized by law, the Board adopts, amends, or repeals rules that have the force and effect of law, relating to qualifications or licensing of private detectives and guards, to the conduct and operation of business of such licenses, and to the denial, renewal, reactivation, revocation or suspension for cause of such licenses.

The Board also examines applicants for private detective and guard licenses, grants licenses, and revokes or suspends licenses of those licensees who violate the statute and rules governing the industry.

The first regulation of detectives and guards came in 1955 with Act 268. The act created a Board of Detectives and Guards responsible for licensing – the legislative purpose being “to protect the general public from unlawful and unethical conduct in the operation of the business of detectives and guards.” Fast forwarding, between 1961 and 2004, the licensing act was amended or revised ten times by the legislature.

In 2010, Senator Rosalyn Baker introduced Senate Bill 2165 which became Act 208 to raise the standards for the guard industry by specifying educational, criminal history, and training requirements for all guards, agents, operatives and assistants employed by a guard agency, private business entity or government agency who acted in a guard capacity. The intent included registration of proprietary security forces for hotels, retailers, community associations and all contract guards which, prior to this legislation, had been exempt from regulation under the Board and the responsibility of only the employer. With the passage of this legislation, all individual guards, regardless of whether they were contract or in-house, were required to obtain training and become registered. Senate Bill 2165 was passed into law without the governor's signature as Act 208 and amended HRS 463 significantly.

The Board supported the intent of the bill and believed that some form of training should be required for all persons who act as guards. However, it had concerns regarding the resources required to implement the bill as it was estimated at the time that there were approximately 10,700 potential registrants and unforeseen ramifications.

The measurable change that was brought about over an initial three-year period, 2010 to 2013 when registrations began; and, then from 2013 through June, 2017, as not only registration and regulation continues, but the law has been nearly completely implemented pending writing of the Hawaii Administrative Rules.

Simply put, over the past seven years the Board and its Executive Officer Charlene Tamanaha and her DCCA team, have brought about measurable, positive change in the industry which includes not only the level of service being provided by security personnel, but enhanced the protection of the public as a result of the Board and DCCA implementing the requirements by what is referred to as Act 208.

Amongst some of the significant changes that were brainstormed, designed and implemented by the Board include:

- Creating the qualifications, applications and forms for Board approved instructors to provide classroom training;
- Designing thorough examination of the other 49 states and the District of Columbia the curricula to comprise eight hours of mandated classroom instruction;
- Performing the same exercise to develop and approve the curricula for continuing education classroom instruction;
- Review and approval of both the eight and four- hour content for classroom instruction submitted by curriculum providers;
- Ensuring that the educational requirement for guard was raised from eighth grade to high school or its equivalent and approving the process for verifying that information;
- Developing an online application process for guard employees which currently is the only licensing area within DCCA's (Professional and Vocational Licensing) jurisdiction to have an online application process. The online process enables: (1) email notification to applicants of deficiencies and the ability to upload documents to cure;(2) email notification to applicants of approval and licensure; (3) payment by credit card or established user accounts; (4) a faster turnaround if a clear application (w/in 7 days if no deficiencies, criminal convictions, or missing documents); and,
- Working with the Security Industry, the DCCA, and the Legislature to amend chapter 463-10.5 to ease the burden of registration without compromising public safety.

Between July 1, 2013 and July 13, 2017 the Board has registered 18,794 guard employees and has created an environment where professionalism in the private security industry can continue to develop. Our sincere appreciation for all you do and congratulations on receiving the Nils Tavares Award.

ELWOOD J. MCGUIRE AWARD

Awarded to a nominated individual for outstanding service, support, assistance or activity that has benefited the fields of law enforcement, private security, or criminal justice. The individual must have made a significant contribution for a period of at least five years in the State of Hawaii.

Chief Investigator Daniel Hanagami	2016
Department of the Attorney General, State of Hawaii	
Creighton Ward Goldsmith	2016
U.S. Customs & Border Protection, Akamai Global Consultants	
DPA Chris Van Marter	2015
Department of the Prosecuting Attorney	
Peter J.S. Hirai, CEM	2014
Department of Emergency Management	
Keith Kaneshiro	2013
Honolulu City Prosecutor	
Assistant Chief Clayton Kau	2012
Honolulu Police Department	
Major General (Ret) Edward (Rick) V. Richardson	2011
Retired Adjutant General, Hawaii National Guard	
Major General Robert G.F. Lee	2010
The Adjutant General, Hawaii National Guard	
Kaleo Keolanui	2009
HHVISA	
Mr. Gervin Miyamoto	2008
U.S. Attorney's Office	
Mark J Bennett	2007
State of Hawaii Attorney General	

Honorable Edward H. Kubo, Jr.	2006
United States Attorney, District of Hawaii	
LT. Gov James “Duke” Aiona, Jr.	2005
State of Hawaii	
Steve Goodenow	2004
Steve Goodenow, CLI, CFE	
Peter Carlisle	2003
Prosecutor’s Office	
Spike Denis	2002
Safeguard Services	
Judge Steve Alm	2001
First Circuit Court	
Chief Lee Donohue	2000
Honolulu Police Department	
Margery Bronster	1999
Attorney General	
Warren Ferreira	1998
Outrigger Hotels & Resorts	
Donald Devaney	1997
Tripler Army Medical Center	

Elwood J. McGuire Award



Florence T. Nakakuni Former United States Attorney District of Hawaii

The Elwood J. McGuire Award is presented to an individual for outstanding service, support, and assistance or activity that has benefited the fields of law enforcement, private security or criminal justice. The individual who receives this award must have made a significant contribution for a period of at least five years in the state of Hawaii. This year, the Acting United States Attorney nominated former United States Attorney Florence T. Nakakuni for this prestigious award recognizing her 32 years of achievements as a federal prosecutor in the state of Hawaii.

In 1985, Ms. Nakakuni began her career as an Assistant United States Attorney in the United States Attorney's Office in Hawaii. As a new attorney in the office, she successfully handled a variety of assignments. Ms. Nakakuni went on to become the Chief of the Organized Crime Strike Force from 1995 through 2002 and spear-headed the prosecutions of organized crime figures. For the next six years, she added the task of supervising the office's drug prosecutions as the Chief of the Drug and Organized Crime Section.

In July 2009, President Barack Obama nominated Ms. Nakakuni to be the United States Attorney for the District of Hawaii. The United States Senate confirmed her nomination and, on September 30, 2009, she became the first woman to hold that position in Hawaii. She continued as the United States Attorney until she retired in March 2017.



Nakakuni reviews documents with Assistant U.S. Attorney Elliot Enoki / Nathalie Walker photo

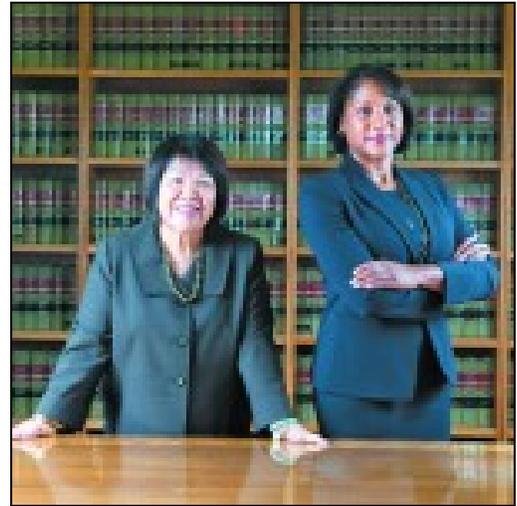
During her almost eight-year tenure as the U.S. Attorney, Ms. Nakakuni led her office's many successful efforts to investigate and prosecute significant criminal activity affecting the people of Hawaii. Whether this meant continuing to combat the scourge of methamphetamine trafficking which has plagued the community for decades, bringing to justice those who defrauded innocent victims of much of the money they had labored so hard to accumulate, or removing dangerous violent criminals from society, Ms. Nakakuni championed her office's pursuit of criminal activity.

In 2016, prosecutions brought by her office resulted in six related indictments of 37 defendants on 105 drug trafficking offenses. In a fraud case, two defendants were found guilty of defrauding investors out of 26 million dollars and each received a prison sentence of 10 years. In another case, a prominent Honolulu businessman was brought up on tax evasions charges and received a 46 month prison sentence.

Over her career, Ms. Nakakuni has herself guided numerous drug trafficking, organized crime, and corruption prosecutions to successful conclusions. Included among those prosecutions was the conviction of the then head of the United Public Workers union in Hawaii. After a contentious two-month trial, a jury found the defendant guilty of all 101 counts of mail fraud, health care fraud, embezzlement of union funds, money laundering, and accepting kickbacks relating to a benefit plan. In 2003, he received a sentence of 64 months imprisonment, a \$50,000 fine, and ordered to pay \$377,503.63 in restitution.

Ms. Nakakuni promoted cooperation among law enforcement in order to achieve the best results for all interests. Her positive interaction with county police departments, state officers, and the complete spectrum of federal agencies was an important factor in continuing the spirit of inter-agency teamwork which has characterized Hawaii's law enforcement efforts. Her contributions to law enforcement and the community are not limited to courtroom litigation. She has collaborated with law enforcement, social service providers, and other community organizations in numerous ways to improve Hawaii's security and quality of life. For example, several segments of the community have recognized her tireless and persistent efforts on behalf of the Weed and Seed Program.

Ms. Nakakuni has been a beacon of justice relentlessly pursuing truth. She has created a safe and secure Hawaii for all of us to enjoy. Flo, your dedication is unsurpassed and you truly deserve this recognition. Congratulations!



Nakakuni worked closely with then FBI Special Agent in Charge Vida Bottom to bring criminals to justice / circa 2003 / Nathalie Walker photo

Elwood J. McGuire Award



Antonio Williams Chief of Civilian Police U.S. Army Garrison-Hawaii

Chief Antonio Williams has worked for the U.S. Army Garrison-Hawaii since May 2008. He has over 30 years of law enforcement experience and is currently the Chief of Law Enforcement for the U.S. Army Installation Management Command Pacific-Hawaii, Fort Shafter.

Chief Williams oversees 12 law enforcement organizations throughout the Pacific and serves as the liaison with military and civilian agency officials, representatives of other federal, state or local agencies whose missions include law enforcement-type activities, as well as groups interested in the organizational law enforcement activities.

Prior to his current assignment, Chief Williams served as the Chief of Police for the U.S. Army Garrison Hawaii, Directorate of Emergency Services for 9 years. He is a combat veteran and Bronze Star recipient where he served and retired as a first sergeant after a successful 22 year career in the U.S. Army Military Police Corps.

Prior to accepting a position with the U.S. Army, Chief Williams worked while attending Chaminade University of Honolulu from 2008 to 2010, graduating with a Master's Degree in Criminology and Criminal Justice.

He is a member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police, the FBI National Academy Associates, the Honolulu Field Office Joint Terrorism Task Force and the Federal Law Enforcement Foundation of Hawaii. He sits on the International Law Enforcement Torch Run Executive Council for Special Olympics International as the Law Enforcement Councilman At Large and the Chair of the Military Expansion Initiative.

While he is a dedicated and successful fundraiser, his greatest contribution to the Special Olympics is raising awareness by encouraging volunteerism and leading others to see the important value of the organization's mission.

Chief Williams is very active in the community as a full time volunteer and coach for Special Olympics Hawaii, as well as a member of the Hawaii State Executive Law Enforcement council for Special Olympics Hawaii. Chief Williams was inducted into the Special Olympics Hall of Fame during the 30th Annual Troy Barboza Law Enforcement Torch Run on May 29, 2015.

The Law Enforcement Torch Run is more than just a run. It is a year round fund-raising organization that culminates at the State Summer Games on Memorial Day weekend with the Final Leg running into the Opening Ceremonies at the University of Hawaii. Over 2,500 law enforcement personnel from federal, military, state, county and local agencies participate in the Troy Barboza Law Enforcement Torch Run throughout the state with legs on Kauai, Maui, Hawaii, and Oahu.

Chief Williams is a native of Evansville, Indiana, but is a Kamaaina after 21 years of residency and calls Honolulu, Hawaii home.



Chief Williams and HPD Major Kurt Kendro carry the Special Olympics torch



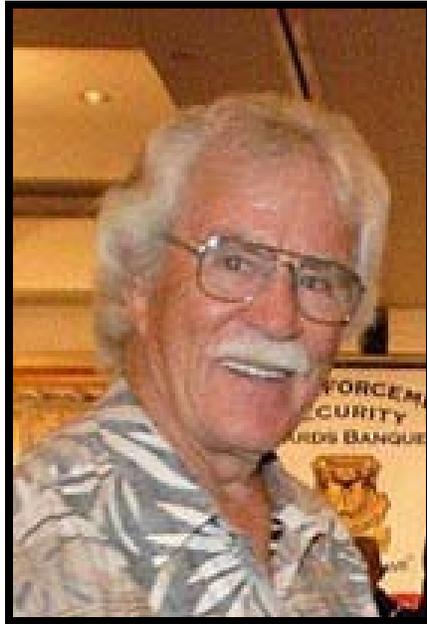
Chief Williams and Special Olympics Hawaii President Nancy Bottelo

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Awarded to a nominated individual for outstanding service, support, and assistance as a lifetime career benefiting the fields of law enforcement, private security, or criminal justice.

Donald “Don” E. Devaney; US Army Provost Marshal (Retired)	2016
Judge Steven S. Alm; First Circuit Court Judge	2016
Randle W. Crowe, Lifetime CPP; Retired Security Consultant	2016
Edwin Wesley Ross, Jr.; Honolulu Police Department	2015
Melvin DeCosta; Chaminade University	2014
Wayne Ogino; University of Hawaii	2013
Ronald E. Jones; Sonitrol of Hawaii	2013
Daniel Kahikina Akaka; United States Senator	2012
Judge James Duffy Jr.; Hawaii Supreme Court Justice	2012
Al Joaquin; Retired Special Agent United States Secret Service	2011
Letha DeCaires; Retired HPD Officer/CrimeStoppers Spokesperson	2010
Boisse Correa; Retired HPD Chief of Police	2009
Bob Flating, CPP; Security Manager and ASIS Board Member	2008
Warren Ferreira, CPP; Outrigger DOS, CrimeStoppers, COPPS, ASIS, HHVISA	2007
Mayor Peter Carlisle; Retired City Prosecutor	2006
Donald Devaney; Provost Marshal Tripler Army Medical Center	2005
Frank Steer; Retired Honorary Major General	2004
Al Streck; Retired Air Force Colonel	2003
Chuck Horstman; First Hawaiian Bank Security/ASIS Board Member	2002

Lifetime Achievement Award



Mr. James L. Propotnick

In 1966, James L. Propotnick graduated Cum Laude from the University of Minnesota with a Bachelor of Science Degree, English Major and Speech and History Minors. He has an Associate's Degree in Accounting and Pre-Law.

After graduating, Mr. Propotnick became a United States Treasury Special Agent and worked an undercover assignment investigating organized crime. He developed 42 major cases with 42 convictions. While there, Mr. Propotnick became interested in joining the U.S. Marshals Service.

In 1968, Mr. Propotnick worked for the U.S. Marshals Service and advanced from Deputy U.S. Marshal to Inspector, Supervisor, and finally Chief Deputy U.S. Marshal. He was assigned to the District of Minnesota, Minneapolis/St. Paul, Middle District of California, Los Angeles, and the District of Hawaii. He also served as Chief Deputy during times of crisis, on loan to the Middle District of Florida, Tampa, District of Missouri, St. Louis, and District of Guam, Hagatna.

Mr. Propotnick was the first law enforcement official to inaugurate a legal presence in Antarctica. He went to the U.S. Sector in McMurdo on the Antarctic continent and then to the South Pole. At that time, there were no means to bring an offender to trial in that jurisdiction. Mr. Propotnick worked for three years to establish a program that would allow criminals to be prosecuted. As a result of his efforts, the United States maintains a legal and permanent presence there.

Mr. Propotnick was part of the U.S. Marshals Service contingent to enforce school integration in Louisiana. He was a part of the Special Operations Group and in 1973, responded to the Wounded Knee Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota when followers of the American Indian Movement seized the town. He remained assigned to the armed encounter for 73 days.

Mr. Propotnick once pursued a fugitive in Florida that resulted in a gun fight. Mr. Propotnick shot the fugitive three times, and then provided first aid until emergency medical responders arrived. The fugitive survived as a direct result of Mr. Propotnick's care.

In the 1980s, the US Federal Government contracted the State of Hawaii to use their prison and jail facilities for federal prisoners. Mr. Propotnick, who was in Hawaii on assignment, was given the duty to inspect all state facilities once a year, following Bureau of Prisons Inspections Protocol. He did this for 16 years. Also, during this time, Mr. Propotnick was responsible to monitor and inspect the Court Security Officer contingent in the District of Hawaii.

During his tenure in Los Angeles and in Hawaii, the National Asset Seizure Program came into being, and as the Chief Deputy U.S. Marshal, Mr. Propotnick managed the program successfully over the remaining years of his duties in the Middle District of California and the District of Hawaii.

In 2003, Mr. Propotnick was appointed by then State of Hawaii Governor Linda Lingle to the position of Deputy Director of Law Enforcement and managed a state-wide Sheriffs Division and Drug Enforcement Division with 400 employees.

During the next eight years, Mr. Propotnick again worked with Asset Seizure in partnership with the U.S. Marshals Service, Drug Enforcement Division and was responsible for many drug cases initiated and prosecuted by the Drug Division, who received a fair share of proceeds collected through the sale of seized assets.

Mr. Propotnick served as Interim Director of the Department of Public Safety, which included the Department of Corrections as well as the Law Enforcement Division. During that time, he was responsible for 2,600 employees and a myriad of challenges that come with such a position. He retired from the State of Hawaii at the end of 2010.



OCCC ACO Bolo Kahawai, left; Public Safety Director James Propotnick, center; and OCCC acting warden Francis Sequeira check the OCCC fence. (circa 2003)

In 1996, Mr. Propotnick was a Special Investigator for the FBI, conducting interviews and background checks on a contract basis for the FBI for Top Secret Clearances, hiring new FBI agents, and re-investigation of current agents on a revolving 5-year basis.

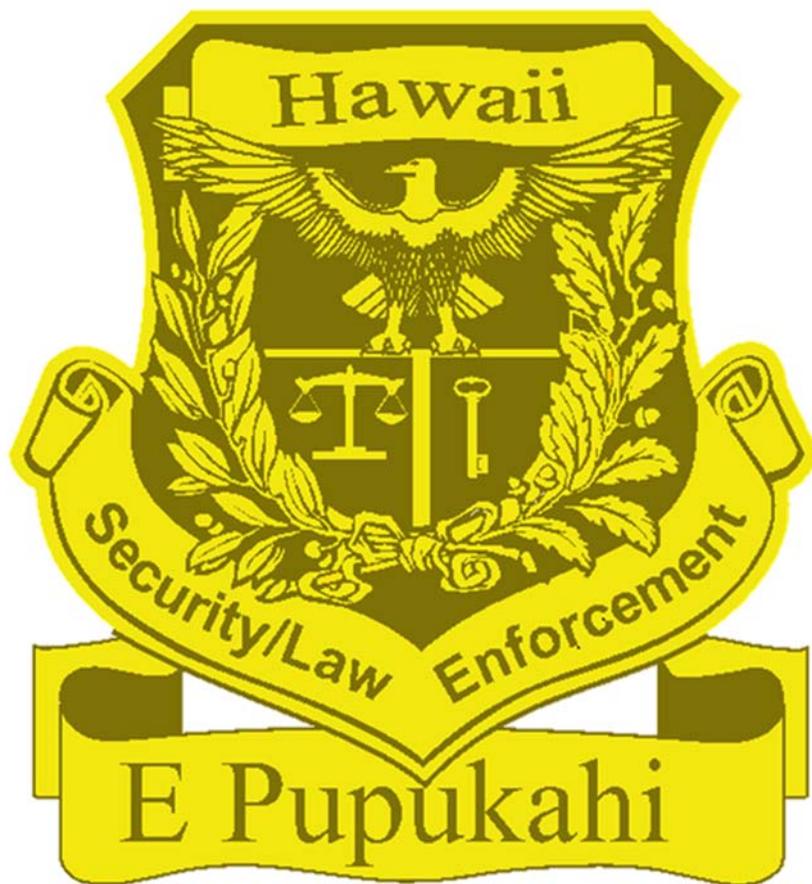
In 1996, he became a licensed Private Investigator as well as a Licensed State of Hawaii Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs Principal Guard. He uses the Guard License for personal protection assignments, and as an active Private Detective, he continues doing work for a select few attorneys, for both criminal and civil matters.

James L. Propotnick has been involved with various law enforcement agencies and private security organizations for the past 50 years of his career. We are grateful for his service and appreciate all that he has done and continued to do to ensure our safety. Congratulations!

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