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<u>Kealakehe Green Waste Site Closed Today,</u> <u>October 3, 2019, from 8:00 a.m.</u>

The Kealakehe (Kona) Transfer Station's **green waste site only** is closed today, October 3, 2019, due to equipment issues. The facility is expected to reopen as regularly scheduled tomorrow, October 4, 2019.

The public may take their green waste to the West Hawai'i Organics Facility, aka Pu'uanahulu landfill in Waikoloa, which is open six days a week (closed on Sundays), from 7:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

We apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience and understanding.

Please visit our <u>www.hawaiizerowaste.org</u> website for future closure information and locations, or call the Department of Environmental Management, Solid Waste Division Office, at 961-8270.