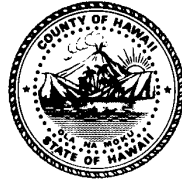


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#### **SOLID WASTE CLOSURES TODAY (November 29, 2019) for KE'EI, PUAKŌ, and GLENWOOD TRANSFER STATIONS KEALAKEHE GREENWASTE SERVICE AND KEA'AU GREENWASTE AND SCRAP METAL AND WHITE GOODS**

The **Ke'ei Transfer Station** closed at 8:00 a.m. today, November 29, 2019. It should reopen as regularly scheduled Sunday, December 1, 2019, from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Until 6:00 p.m. today, the public can take their residential waste to the Kealakehe Transfer Station, which is open daily from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The **Puakō Transfer Station** closed at 8:00 a.m. today, November 29, 2019. It should reopen as regularly scheduled Sunday, December 1, 2019, from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Until 6:00 p.m. today, the public can take their residential waste to the Waimea Transfer Station, which is open daily from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The **Glenwood Transfer Station** closed at 8:00 a.m. today, November 29, 2019. It should reopen as regularly scheduled Sunday, December 1, 2019, from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Until 6:00 p.m. today, the public can take their residential waste to the Kea'au or Hilo Transfer Station, which is open daily from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The **Kealakehe greenwaste site** is also closed today and should reopen as regularly scheduled tomorrow, November 30, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Until 4:15 p.m. today, the public can take their greenwaste to the West Hawai'i Organics Facility (aka the Pu'uanahulu landfill), which is open six days a week (closed on Sundays) from 7:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

The **Kea'au greenwaste site and scrap metal and whitegoods services** is also closed today and should reopen as regularly scheduled tomorrow, November 30, 2019

from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Until 4:15 p.m. today, the public can take their greenwaste to the East Hawai'i Organics Facility, 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 [www.hawaiizerowaste.org](http://www.hawaiizerowaste.org) website for future closure information and locations, or call our Department of Environmental Management, Solid Waste Division Office, at 961-8270.