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Road Open

Kawaikapu Bridge MP 17.9 Kamehameha V Highway

Called "Kainalu bridge" by locals, has been under construction for several years, the concrete bridge at 17.9 miles east from Kaunakakai is now complete. On November 1, final asphalt was laid down for the two-lane bridge and on November 2, 2007, Brown's Trucking, Inc. the contractor announced two-way traffic, while finishing work is completed in the surrounding area by planting grass, constructing new driveway entrances for adjacent homes, removing excess dirt and rocks, and removing rusted vehicles, machinery, and even an old house on one of the adjacent properties they used while doing the construction work.

People visiting from other parts of Molokai will see a real improvement now in the road and scenic views of Kainalu Valley.

Watada Wins Courts Martial: Courage to refuse an Illegal Order



This week, Hon. Benjamin Settle, a federal court judge, issued a preliminary injunction halting any further court-martial proceedings of 1st Lt. Ehren Watada and effectively ruling against the Army on virtually every issue in the case. This injunction not only extends the stay until the conclusion of the habeas corpus proceedings, but also addresses the specific request for relief from further legal proceedings, stating, "the remedy sought by Petitioner, while rare, is appropriate."

Prior to the initial court-martial, Lt. Ehren Watada told the Army that he was willing to accept a six month sentence for his refusal to lead his unit to fight in Iraq, explaining that he could not violate the oath he took as an officer to defend his country "against all enemies, foreign and domestic", and that to fight in Iraq would constitute a war crime. The Army responded by trying to make an example of Lt. Watada by demanding a six-year sentence. They took away his defenses, one by one, including Lt. Watada's final expert witness, eliminating critical testimony on military law and tradition and making a fair trial for the lieutenant virtually impossible. They continued to add extra charges.

The Army's only lingering hope of nailing Watada now is to appeal this ruling to the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals.

Judge Settle wrote "for several reasons ... it is likely that [Lt. Watada] will succeed on the merits of his double jeopardy claim". The court held that the military judge acted "irrationally, irresponsibly, precipitately" in failing to consider feasible alternatives to a mistrial, and there was no good reason to stop the proceedings.

This ruling came after the repeated refusal of the military appeals courts to free Lt. Watada of the burden of a second court-martial. Lt. Watada's attorneys have consistently argued that the military should not be allowed a "do-over." The military judge halted the first court-martial in the wake of admissions by prosecution witnesses regarding Lt. Watada's integrity and statements that Lt. Watada's decision not to deploy was an act of conscience because he was being ordered to

commit war crimes.

After that, Lt. Watada took control of the proceedings with a dramatic account of why he reasonably believed that the Iraq War was illegal. It was clear to everyone in the courtroom that the defense had made its essential points during the presentation of the government's case, and that Lt. Watada was going to command the attention of the gathered mass media, and that he was lawfully resisting illegal orders to commit war crimes in Iraq.

Judge Head claimed that Lt. Watada had the mistaken impression that he had the defense of "reasonable belief that the war was illegal" as he had "confessed" to his guilt! Judge Head concluded that due to this supposed confusion, the trial had to stop.

Judge Head's order was not only nonsense, but intentionally designed to prevent Lt. Watada from challenging the Iraq War to the mass media in a dramatic fashion. It was identical to the treatment that Fathers Phil and Dan Berrigan and their allies have received in American courts for the last forty years in their challenges to American military policy by committing minor property offenses by symbolically "beating swords into plowshares." In politically sensitive cases, judges go to great lengths to prevent criminal defendants from explaining why they resisted unlawful government acts.

Judge Settle's order scolds Judge Head like a schoolboy in disgrace. The order carefully illustrates that no one was confused. The record reflects that the government and the defense agreed on that point. Nor did Lt. Watada ever "confess" his supposed guilt. To drive the point home, the order adds that even confusion or confession would not have been grounds to stop the trial. The order goes on to emphasize that there was no manifest necessity to stop the trial, and that Judge Head never weighed any feasible alternatives.

Lieutenant Watada is feared by Judge Head and the Army prosecutors. He portrays the courage it takes to honor one's oath to defend the Constitution.

You Can Protect Freedom: Question Authority!

"Where Rights secured by the Constitution are involved, there can be no rule making or legislation which would abrogate them." Miranda v Arizona, (1966)

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Happy First Birthday: Kieren-Shigeo

One year old Kieren-Shigeo Keithlyn Kalama Marquez celebrated her first birthday on October 27th with her parents Tiana Kawano and Lee Marquez hosting. Her Grandparents are Keith & Lily Kawano and Veronica Marquez and the late Marianito Marquez.

Kieren-Shigeo's aunts and uncles prepared a grand luau with tasty pupus., and music. The Mitchell Pauole Center was decorated with a Cherry Blossom theme and Kieren wore a *chanchanko* in her favorite color, pink.

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New CD Release:

Amy Hanaiali'i A Hawaiian Christmas

After an outstanding year of award-winning music, two-time GRAMMY nominated Amy Hanaiali'i gracefully wraps it up in red and green with a Hawaiian Christmas. Featuring songs that were a part of Amy's childhood Christmas celebration on Maui. A HAWAIIAN CHRISTMAS is a special, personal collection of her musical memories.

Among the album's tracks are "Hamau e Na Kanaka," "Betelehema Iki E," "Ka Po La'ela'e Ka Hikina Mai", "Po Hemolele" ("O Holy Night"), and "Little Drummer Boy! Do You Hear What I Hear?", "Ave Maria," fourteen cuts .



A Hawaiian Christmas is amy's first Christmas album and it takes you back to the simple day sin the islands,when holidays wee all about family and friends. Invite Amy to share her holiday memories with your 'ohana this Christmas and complete the season with A Hawaiian Christmas.

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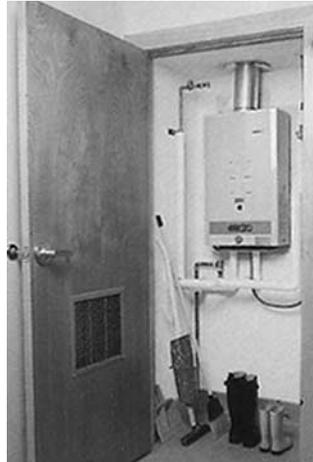



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Molokai's Forum For Freedom Individual's Sovereignty vs Slavery

by George Peabody ph. 558-8253 email:

"We have staked the whole of all our political institutions upon the capacity of mankind for self-government, upon the capacity of each and all of us to govern ourselves, to control ourselves, to sustain ourselves according to the Ten Commandments of God."—

Book Review

by George Peabody:

This is the book most feared by Gun Grabbers in Government and Media

It could have the biggest impact on Gun Rights this decade, because it uncovers the whole secret story of the good side to guns in Citizens' hands, and how and why America must stop the assault on our 2nd Amendment Rights by our government servants. Learn how you can protect yourself and family and your gun rights from their treasonous acts.

America Fights Back



Armed Self-Defense In A Violent Age

America Fights Back is a must-read for everyone, especially those with doubts about carrying a firearm for personal protection. It's a must-read for all those who argue for the right of the people to protect themselves and their loved ones; actual cases in which the man or woman with a firearm made the difference between life and death, health or injury in the face of violent criminal attack.

The Gun Ban lunatics, fascists of Linda Lingle's Police State of Hawaii, do not want you to act against their treason, information of rights in this book. They know that this book is the ammunition that will shoot holes in all their twisted logic and ultra vires laws. America Fights Back contains gripping stories of armed self-defense by law abiding American citizens, with analysis of gun control laws and a broken justice system, and how they have failed to protect us.

The authors Gottlieb and Workman provide an accounting of America's crime problem largely ignored by mainstream media by documenting case after case in which gun-owning citizens, who refuse to wear the label "victim" remain the winners. America Fights Back presents the one thing gun-control nuts never will: the facts about firearms and self-defense in the 21st Century. Presented here in compelling fashion, those facts paint a vivid picture of how Second Amendment freedoms deter and prevent crimes.

Armed Self Defense in a Violent Age, we have a well-written defense of the Bill of Rights that provides both sound substantive arguments in support of the right to keep and bear arms, as well as true-life stories of how the Second Amendment works in practice not just in theory. This book ought to be required reading for every Member of the House and Senate; and every occupant of the White House, reports Former Congressman Bob Bar. Ron Paul supports 2nd Am.

Buy the book! America Fights Back: Armed Self-Defense In A Violent Age cost \$15.64 Call Second Amendment Foundation **1-800-426-4302** to place your order [before noon weekdays], or call The MAN 558-8253 anytime.

Bill of Rights 2nd Amendment:
"A well regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed."

Wake up militia! Use it, or lose it! Got your gun, yet?

"...with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, or fortunes and our sacred honor."

(Unanimous Declaration of Independence)

If you will not fight for the right when you can easily win without bloodshed, and, if you will not fight when your victory will be sure and not too costly, you may come to the moment when you will have to fight with all the odds against you and only a precarious chance of survival. There may even be a worse case. You may have to fight when there is no hope of victory, because it is better to perish than live as slaves.

"The people cannot delegate to government the power to do anything which would be unlawful for them to do themselves."- John Locke

"Those who make peaceful change impossible, make violent change inevitable." -- Robert F. Kennedy

"Rebellion against tyrants is obedience to God." T.J.

Enforce the Bill of Rights!

STOP the BATF-I.R.S.

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms [BATF] should be treated like an invading army by fully armed American Citizen Militia. The BATF is an invading army since it and the IRS, of which it is a part, have no authority within the states, yet they make war on American Citizens. IRS/BATF is all fraud; it is treason by government; it is the use of domestic terrorism by a foreign power (yes, the IRS/BATF are foreign entities to the United States of America); and every agent of the IRS/BATF, and the DOJ who are acting outside the authority of the federal government (see Article I, Section 8, Clauses 17 and 18; Article IV, Section 3, Clause 2 of the Constitution for the United States of America) should be tried, convicted, and at the very minimum as punishment for treason, go to prison for at least 5 years; and every piece of property and money ever taken from Americans returned to the rightful owners or their families.

Gun Rights Refresher

1. An armed man is a citizen. An unarmed man is a subject.
2. A gun in the hand is better than a cop on the phone.
3. If guns cause crime, then pencils cause misspelled words.
4. "Free" men do not ask permission to bear arms.
5. If you don't know your rights you don't have any.
6. Those who trade liberty for security have neither.
7. What part of "shall not be infringed" do you not understand?
8. The Second Amendment is to enforce the other 9 Amendments.
9. 64,999,987 firearms owners killed no one yesterday.
10. Guns only have two enemies; rust and politicians.
11. Know guns, know peace, know safety.
12. No guns, no peace, no safety.
13. You don't shoot to kill; you shoot to stay alive.
14. 911 - government sponsored Dial-a-Prayer.
15. Assault is a behavior, not a gun device.
16. Criminals love gun control -- it makes their jobs safer.
17. If guns cause crime, then matches cause arson.
18. Only a government that is afraid of citizens prohibits guns.
19. You only have the rights you are willing to fight for.
20. Remove the people's right to bear arms, you create slaves.
21. The American Revolution was about gun control.

Crimes of Politicians Must Be Stopped by The People (You are The Militia)

The crime on our streets is a tiny fraction of the crime in the offices of our politicians and bureaucrats - the massive majority of crime is committed by the criminal classes in power. Just look at the constant abuse of power in our State government offices and you will realize the extent of crime in Government. Just consider just how many BILLIONS of dollars a day Government extorts from the people and how little WE get in return; and just how comfortable the politicians make themselves at the expense of the peoples they extort!

The goal of the founders of America was to restrict government within severe limits and to protect the rights of sovereign individuals. Government has NO rights!

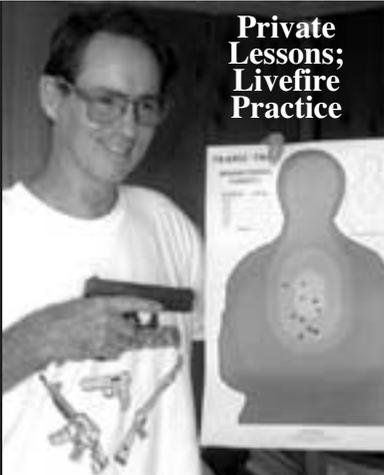
Judges are impeachable. Furthermore, judges may be removed immediately for violating oaths of office, involvement in conspiracies, extortion, and failing to uphold their duty to the common law. Judges can also be arrested, they are not exempt from this nor are any other officials, including the President of the United States.

Do the people have the power to do this? Yes, the people have the power to do everything to defend our country against all enemies foreign or domestic politician, and government has no power to say otherwise. Fascist bureaucrats might send out its armed marauders, but a huge group of The People (Militia) armed with guns as guaranteed their Right to keep and bear arms by the 2nd Amendment is likely to stop them unless the governments decide that it is time to begin mass killings of all people who believe in the rights of Man.

Wake up! Enforce the Bill of Rights!

"A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed." Exercise the 2nd Amendment.

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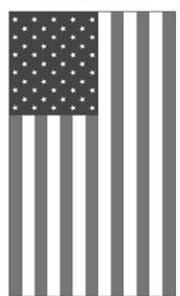


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Bill of Rights
 2nd Amendment:
 "A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed."

Use it or lose it!

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Join the club! N.R.A.



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Molokai's Personal Chef and cooking teacher at the Middle School's after school program, Don Hill used Molokai Sweet Potato stuffed with ground pork and macadamia nuts for his Pirogi and made it look simple.



MHS students Pulamalani, Kapena and Julie explained ingredients for Kaanapali Beach Hotel's Chef Christopher Napoleon's Molokai "Coffee and Cream" Bread Pudding with Kalua Anglaze Sauce--really ono!



MHS Art Teacher Perry Buchalter with students Mahina and Patti sold student-made logo products- mouse pads, t-shirts. Also there were ceramics and computer graphics available.



5th Annual Expo Features Molokai Products and Business Enterprises

The aroma of barbeque greeted attendees at the 5th annual Food & Business Expo at Lanikeha recently. Organized by the Molokai Chamber of Commerce, the mid morning till early evening event drew many residents and visitors. Although food was the main draw,

many of Molokai new small businesses were featured in displays.

Among the new businesses ACN Video Phones with Tony and Kapua Lauifi (formerly owner-operators of Kalama's Service), Abbie Kaawa (House of Balloons) with Kuulei Arce (MEO Loan Fund Manager) Molokai Furniture, and Nouveau Riche University (Will Umi III and Esther Torres-Umi). Future business and farmer entrepreneurs were represented by 4-H members and leaders and Molokai High & Middle School Fine Arts students and teachers.

Photo at right: Faataatia "Tony" Lauifi with Kapua, is the "executive team leader" for ACN, a global telecommunications company. products include phone service, digital phone service and wireless through major carriers, as well as Internet/DSL.call them at (808)646-0966.



Photos below L to R: • Chef Scott McGill of the Hula Grill plated his "BBQ Hoisin Glazed Pork ribs with Molokai Honey"

• Hiilani and Estrella explained, " Chef Tom Muromoto's "Kiawe-Broiled Pepper crusted Beef Strip Loin with Molokai Sweet Potatoes in an Asian Demi Sauce...an Chef Scott's Pork ribs, to interested customers.

• Chef Michael Gallagher of Mauichef.com offers "Molokai Tako shiitake Kim Chee Martini!"



New CD Release:

Raiatea..Hawaiian Blossom

Molokai's own, Raiatea has traveled far and wide in her brief professional career. This third album, should win her another Hoku Hanohano award. The thirteen cuts, accompanied by illustrious song writers, slack key artists and musicians is a gift to Hawaiian music.

Each of the thirteen cuts is special, but some of the notable are "Lei Kukui" written by Louis Moon Kauakahi, "Halawa" by OBrien Eselu, after spending the day with Raiatea in the valley. In the Mary Kawena Pukui /Maddy Lam "E Ku'u Tutu," we hear Raiatea's tribute to her kupuna and ohana. RAIATEA...HAWAIIAN BLOSSOM is truly a blossom of a growing musician and vocalist. Produced by Dave Tucciarone/Zachary Helm and distributed by Mountain Apple Company.

Raiatea and Kapena are scheduled to perform at the Maui Firefighters' Benefit in January.



New CD Release:

Slack Key Christmas

In Palm Records' Christmas wrapping, SLACK KEY CHRISTMAS is a collection of holiday favorites arranged for ki'hoalu (slack key guitar). Solo performances by Sonny Lim, Jeff Peterson, Charles Michael Brotman, Randy Lorenzo, Wailau Ryder, James Kimo West, Dwight Tokumoto and Ben Kaili on memorable 12 tracks. "Winter Wonderland," "Silver Bells," Little Drummer Boy," "Mele Kalikimaka," and more.

Fans of slack key, Christmas and Hawaiian music will love this album.The album was produced on Hawaii Island in Waimea, the heart of paniolo country where ki ho'alu originated. During the Christmas season, the chilly winter air of the high ranch land elevation gives paniolo country a special holiday feel during the Christmas season. Red Poinsettias and green pine trees along Waimea roads also add to the holiday atmosphere.

SLACK KEY CHRISTMAS was produced, engineered, mixed and mastered by Charles Michael Brotman at Lava Tracks Recording Studio. Charles is the recipient of the first GRAMMY award for Best Hawaiian Music Album, "Slack Key Guitar Volume 2" (Sonny Lim, Jeff Peterson, Randy Lorenzo, and Charles Michael Brotman).

SLACK KEY CHRISTMAS is distributed y by Mountain Apple Company.

