

Capital campaign launched for Queen's Medical Center – West O'ahu

When the Queen's Medical Center (QMC) launched its first ever capital campaign to raise funds for the planned expansion of QMC's healthcare services to West O'ahu, it kicked off the campaign with the announcement of two lead gifts and a call for contributions to the fund.

The James and Abigail Campbell Family Foundation's president Wendy Crabb presented its \$1 million gift, in addition to the Campbell Company's donation of \$200,000.

"The Campbell Family Foundation's roots are firmly planted in the West O'ahu and Ewa Plains region, dating back to the legacy of philanthropy that started more than 100 years ago by our great-grandparents, James and Abigail Campbell," she said. "Over the years, the Foundation has continued this proud tradition by committing resources to provide a better quality of life for the people of West O'ahu. Today, we are especially pleased to present this gift of \$1 million to The Queen's Medical Center – West O'ahu, and a \$200,000 gift from the James Campbell Company and

its executives, which will support the opening of a hospital in West O'ahu, bringing back critical emergency and healthcare services to this fast growing community." Crabb encouraged other organizations and community members to add their support for this vital community resource.

Richard Dahl, president and CEO of the James Campbell Company and capital campaign co-chair with Bert Kobayashi, announced the second lead gift of \$1 million on behalf of Joanna Sullivan. "Her gift will honor the legacy of her late husband, Maurice J. 'Sully' Sullivan, a warm, humble, inspiring leader who cared deeply about our community and saw the potential for growth on the Leeward plain. Sully was a driving force in the Sisters of St. Francis' efforts to deliver hospital and medical care to the community there, and his family is delighted to support Queen's in its commitment to serve West O'ahu residents."

The campaign will raise funds to build Queen's Medical Center – West O'ahu to fill a critical gap in hospital and emergency room services for area residents. The facility will occupy the site of the former Hawaii Medical Center West, which QMC acquired from St. Francis Healthcare System of Hawaii. A massive renovation is underway, which will result in a virtually "new" hospital.

"When Hawaii Medical Center West closed in December 2011, over 2,000 inpatient admissions and 30,000 emergency room visits had to be moved to other area hospitals, creating significant hardships and inconvenience to West O'ahu residents," said Art Ushijima, president and CEO of The Queen's Health Systems and president of



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How you can help

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The Queen's Medical Center. "With the opening of The Queen's Medical Center – West O'ahu, residents will be served with a brand new hospital: an expanded emergency room, more operating rooms, new imaging facilities and equipment, and a renovated and

modernized campus. These new surroundings will complement the exceptional care delivered by our talented physicians, nurses, and other clinical staff," said Ushijima.

The opening of Queen's Medical Center – West O'ahu is scheduled for Spring 2014.



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