## A Casino In Kapolei? New Proposal Would Allow Limited Gambling

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Building a casino in Kapolei is the Department of Hawaiian Home Lands' latest idea to get more revenue to the cash-starved agency.

At a <u>meeting that begins Monday</u>, the Hawaiian Homes Commission is scheduled to consider a <u>legislative proposal</u> that would allow gambling in Hawaii, but only for the limited purpose of casino gaming and only on DHHL land in Kapolei.

The proposal is being put forth now "in order to address historic funding shortfalls to the Department made worse by the economic shutdown from the global pandemic," Lehua Kinilau-Cano, DHHL's legislative analyst, says in the summary of the bill.

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