



# WEST HAWAI'I MEDIATION CENTER

*Providing high quality conflict resolution services throughout West Hawai'i*

## Thank you!

What an exciting couple of months it has been here at WHMC.

Our Napua Benefit was a truly joyous celebration of the more than 25 years of conflict resolution and education work that WHMC has done in our community. If you missed it, we look forward to seeing you next year and you can [VIEW EVENT PICTURES](#) here. If you were there, we thank you for your spirit and your generosity.

We also want to take this opportunity to say thank you to two dear friends of the Center: Milton Higgins and Ric Rocker (both of whom are graduates of our Basic Mediation Training) for our new, beautiful, round mango wood table in the Mediation Room.

The table is made of reclaimed mango wood harvested by Imua Landscape and Tree Service, which was milled into lumber by Alex Woodbury and Joshua Greenspan of Kamuela Hardwoods Inc. and built by Bryan and Dominic Hilman of Omni Ventures International LLC. We are so grateful to all of the community members who helped make this possible. You can read the North Hawaii News Article about the table [here](#). The Center will cherish this beautiful handmade gift for many years to come.

Wishing you a season full of peace and happiness.

Aloha,  
Zaheva

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[WHMC IN THE COMMUNITY](#)

**Black Friday. Cyber Monday.**

**#GIVINGTUESDAY™**

**November 29, 2016**

WHMC invites you to join our campaign to #GiveAKindWord to someone this #GivingTuesday in an effort to promote kindness, compassion and peace. It's as simple as "good morning" or "I appreciate you" or "thank you."

This #GivingTuesday you can also help WHMC directly by volunteering your time or making a contribution to support mediation services for one low-income client or provide supplies to one peer mediation.



#GivingTuesday, a global day dedicated to giving. Last year, more than 45,000 organizations in 71 countries came together to celebrate #GivingTuesday.

Since its founding in 2012, #GivingTuesday has inspired giving around the world, resulting in greater donations, volunteer hours, and activities that bring about real

change in communities. Let's join together to help make a difference!

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## Save the Date

### Basic Mediation Training: Feb. 2 – Feb. 4



- \*Interested in becoming a volunteer mediator?*
- \*Learning problem solving skills?*
- \*Improving your relationships with your family, employees or coworkers?*

At our Basic Mediation Training you will learn a variety of approaches for dealing with people in conflict. Whether you want to improve your peacemaking and communication skills or want to become a mediator, this training gives you the tools you need to start resolving conflict in a peaceful and lasting way.

Training Includes: lecture, group discussion, hands-on exercises, and mock mediation practice.

We are excited to welcome back Diane Petropulos from Maui Mediation Services to lead this training.

Location: Kailua-Kona, TBD

More details in the coming weeks!

**Call to reserve your spot now or to learn more.**  
808-885-5525

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## SUPPORT WHMC

**Thank you to all who donated!**



You helped us raise \$379.00 and with the matching contributions from Foodland and Western Union, a total of \$462.78!!

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