

Beach at Halama St. to be replenished

KIHEI — County employees will begin a sand replenishment project on the beach fronting Halama Street today.

Work will be done between 7:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. each day through Aug. 4. The project entails moving 2,000 to 3,000 cubic yards of sand to Halama Beach from a site where the sand has been stored at the Veterans of Foreign Wars hall in Kihei.

The sand will be transported to Halama Beach via trucks on South Kihei Road. Officials are asking the public to avoid the area as much as possible during the duration of the project.

The beach nourishment project is an effort involving the county's Department of Public Works and Waste Management, the state Department of Land and Natural Resources, the county's Planning Department and the Halama Street Homeowners Association.

For more information, call Public Works at 270-7845.