

MICHAEL BREIN'S GUIDE TO

# Big Island

Bus Map  
& Guide



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# Island of Hawaii (Big Island)

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## A SIGHTSEEING MAP / GUIDE

### **Hele-On Bus**

Island of Hawaii buses display route numbers and destinations above the drivers. Enter through front door. Hawaii buses are free. Only baggage that can be stored under seat or on passenger's lap will be permitted.

Going to points of interest on Hawaii requires you to start in either Kailua-Kona or Hilo. Use bus routes and stops shown on the maps of points of interest.

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Hele-On Bus Information

 808-961-8744

[www.co.hawaii.hi.us](http://www.co.hawaii.hi.us)

Tourist Information

 800 GoHawaii

(800-464-2924)

[www.GoHawaii.com](http://www.GoHawaii.com)

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# Points of Interest

## Abbreviations

Refer to **SYMBOLS** included in Michael Brein's Guide to Honolulu & Oahu by TheBus see [www.michaelbrein.com/honolulu](http://www.michaelbrein.com/honolulu).

Information is subject to change without notice.

\$ = admission charge; otherwise free. Some museums may be free on some days.

☉ = closed; otherwise open daily. Some attractions are closed holidays. Days/hrs may vary from those shown. Some museums close between exhibitions.

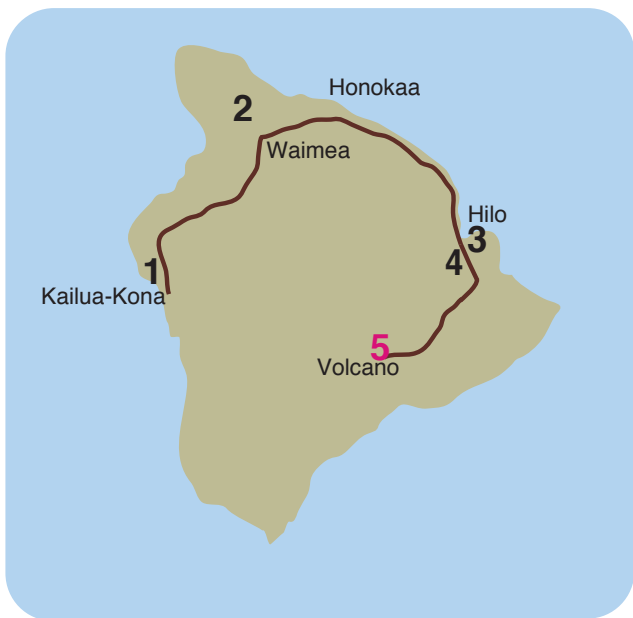
"Must See" attractions are highlighted in red.

- 1 Kailua-Kona** Tourist hub of the Big Island (Hawaii). Spectacular waterfront setting. Sport-fishing capital of the Kona Coast. Dining, shopping & entertainment center of the island.
- 2 Kona to Hilo Scenic Bus Ride** Day trip to Hilo passes Waimea, Honokaa, mountains, lava flows, jungles, waterfalls & seascapes. Return after 4 hr break in Hilo. (3 hrs each way). Start Early.
- 3 Hilo** Commercial hub of the Big Island. Combines the cultural heritage & charm of old Hawaii with the modern era. Tropical & scenic. Several interesting museums.

**4 Imiloa Astronomy Center** 600 Imiloa Place. ☎ 808-969-9700. State-of-the-art, hands-on, interactive museum links Hawaiian cultural traditions w/ science of Astronomy. Planetarium. Beautiful setting. ☉M\$

**5 Hawaii Volcanoes National Park** ☎ 808-985-6000. Extraordinary access to Kilauea Volcano, Hawaii's currently most active volcano. Trails, vistas, beautiful pristine nature. Visitor center. \$

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# HAWAII

## 1 Kailua-Kona

-TO-

Get off in Kailua-Kona at ②.

-FROM-

Board buses at ①.

-NOTE-

See 2 below.



## 2 Kona to Hilo Scenic Bus Ride

-TO-

Board DOWNTOWN HILO at ①.

Get off in Hilo at Mooheau Bus Terminal ③.

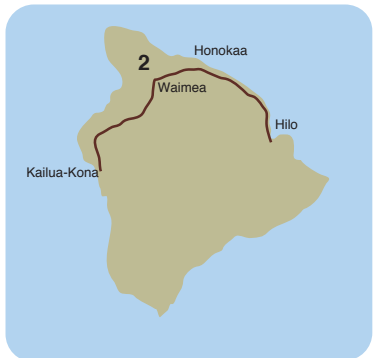
-FROM-

Board KAILUA-KONA in Hilo at ③.

Get off in Kailua-Kona at ②.

-NOTE-

Start early at 6:00-6:15 a.m. see Hele-On Bus information above. Signal driver to stop. Bus trip is about 3 hrs each way, with apx 4 hrs layover in Hilo.



## 3 Hilo

-TO-

Board DOWNTOWN HILO. Get off in Hilo at Mooheau Bus Terminal ③.

-FROM-

Board buses at ③. Get off at destinations (see 1-5).

-OTHER SIGHTS-

### 1 Hilo Market

MAMO ST & KAMEHAMEHA AVE

### 2 Pacific Tsunami Museum

130 KAMEHAMEHA AVE

### 3 Lyman Museum & Mission House

276 HAILI ST

### ① Tourist Information

Hilo Information Center

KAMEHAMEHA AVE

