“I am cognizant of the interrelatedness of all communities... We are caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied in a single garment of destiny. Whatever affects one directly affects all indirectly.”

~ Martin Luther King, Jr
• What is the Innovation Café?
  – Based on the World Café model
    • www.worldcafe.org
  – A shared conversational experience
  – The format:
    • Three sections – Red, Blue, Green
    • Three questions
    • Sit, draw, exchange ideas and conversation
People already have within them the wisdom and creativity to confront even the most difficult challenges. Given the appropriate context and focus, it is possible to access and use this deeper knowledge about what’s important.
There are 3 rounds of conversation of approximately 15-20 minutes each.

- Explore Questions or issues that genuinely matter to our government environment, community, and future.
- You are encouraged to write, doodle and draw key ideas on their tablecloths or on nearby easels.
- Upon completing the initial round of conversation, your table host will remain at the table while others travel as “ambassadors of meaning.” The travelers (you) carry key ideas, themes and questions into the new conversations.
- Table host will welcome the new guests and briefly share the main ideas, themes and questions of the initial conversation. Link and connect ideas coming from your previous table conversations—listen carefully and build on each other's contributions.
- By providing opportunities for people to move in several rounds of conversation, ideas, questions, and themes begin to link and connect. At the end of the second round, all of the tables or conversation clusters in the room will be cross-pollinated with insights from prior conversations.
- After several rounds of conversation, there will be a period of sharing discoveries and insights in a whole group conversation. It is in these town meeting-style conversations that patterns can be identified, collective knowledge grows, and possibilities for action to emerge.
• Café Etiquette
  – *Focus* on what matters.
  – *Contribute* your thinking.
  – *Speak* your mind and heart.
  – *Listen* to understand.
  – *Link and connect* ideas.
  – *Listen together* for insights and deeper questions.
  – *Play, draw, doodle* ... writing on the table is encouraged
What does change and transformation in the State of Hawaii mean to you?

What does change/transformation mean to you?

What does Innovation in government mean to you and how does it get done?
• Sharing discoveries and insights
  – Review
  – Connections
  – Collective discoveries
• Post-it Note

– What was the most valuable insight you gained during this session?

– Please post it near the relevant word/drawing on the mural.
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