

Aqua Waikiki Wave awarded #1 Best Hotel Values for 2008 – Hawaii

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WAIKIKI BEACH, Hawaii – Aqua Waikiki Wave has been awarded the Hawaii Region’s #1 “Best Hotel Values for 2008” by Budget Travel magazine in its first ever Best Values list.

In partnership with TripAdvisor, hotels were selected based on several factors including TripAdvisor’s popularity index with an average rate of \$250 per night or less. Overall, Aqua Waikiki Wave was awarded #1 for Hawaii, #15 nationwide and #68 worldwide. The top 5 Hawaii hotels were rounded out by Kaanapali Shores, Wai Ola Vacation Paradise, Waikiki Parc and Sheraton Keauhou Bay Resort & Spa.

According to Budget Travel magazine, a monthly publication with a circulation of over 500,000, the awards were created to spotlight hotels that give travelers what they really want - a reliably satisfying experience at a reasonable price.

“Aqua Waikiki Wave views guest satisfaction as its primary offering and we believe this recognition confirms delivery is right on target,” says Lynette Eastman, General Manager of Aqua Waikiki Wave. “The only other Waikiki hotel named is Waikiki Parc and, our international peer group includes superb hotels like Park Hotel Tokyo, Swissotel Berlin and Mandarin Oriental Kuala Lumpur.”

The complete Best Values list of winners can be viewed at www.budgettravel.com/bestvalues.



Superior Wave room



all-purpose meeting room



lobby and front desk

About Aqua Waikiki Wave

Aqua Waikiki Wave completed a major renovation process in late 2006 which resulted in upgrading the hotel to Aqua Boutique status. Each spacious guest room has a sitting area, private lanai and is beautifully appointed with AquaBLISS beds, custom marble-top vanity, desk and artwork by noted artist Charles W. Bartlett.

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Located 1 block to the beach and next to the International Marketplace in the heart of Waikiki, Aqua Waikiki Wave offers guests the following complimentary amenities: WiFi access in-room & throughout hotel, daily local newspaper delivered to each guest room, local & toll-free calls, 20” LCD TV’s, mini-refrigerator, microwave, coffeemaker and safe. Additional amenities include a business center, fitness room, all-purpose meeting space, Concierge & tour desk, retail shops, art gallery and two restaurants.

High-rez DIGITAL IMAGES are available upon request.

Visit www.aquaresorts.com for more information about the company and individual hotels. For reservations, see your preferred travel agent or call Aqua toll free at 1-866-406-2782.

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