

## Hawaii FY2015 AmeriCorps State & National Grant Coversheet

Below is a breakdown of the funding being awarded to Hawaii. The state competitive funding and state formula funding will be granted to the Hawai'I Commission on National and Community Service, the governor-appointed State Service Commission. The Commission will, in turn, award grants to nonprofit organizations and/or public agencies responding to local needs across the state.

| Funding Type  | Amount             |
|---|--------------------|
| State Formula Funding Awarded to the Hawai'I Commission on National and Community Service     | \$600,000          |
| State Competitive Funding Awarded to the Hawai'I Commission on National and Community Service | \$1,470,772        |
| <b>Total Funding Awarded to Hawaii</b>  | <b>\$2,070,772</b> |

In addition to the grant funding awarded to organizations, individual AmeriCorps members who complete at least 1,700 hours of service will earn Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards valued at \$5,730. These awards may be used to pay for college or vocational training or to pay back student loans. Through the state competitive grants alone, AmeriCorps members in Hawaii are projected to earn \$1,587,954 in Education Awards to support their pursuit of higher education.

| App Type                           | Single/Multi | Legal Applicant Name        | Program Name                    | City     | Cong. District | Total Funding      | Education Award    | Total Members |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| P                                  | Single       | Legal Aid Society of Hawaii | Project Kaulike                 | Honolulu | 01             | \$144,597          | \$64,604           | 18            |
| C                                  | Single       | Kupu                        | Hawaii Youth Conservation Corps | Honolulu | 01             | \$1,193,375        | \$572,170          | 226           |
| C                                  | Single       | Teach For America           | Teach For America Hawaii        | Honolulu | 01             | \$132,800          | \$951,180          | 166           |
| <b>Total Competitive Funding</b>   |              |                             |                                 |          |                | \$1,470,772        |                    |               |
| <b>Total State Formula Funding</b> |              |                             |                                 |          |                | \$600,000          |                    |               |
| <b>Hawaii State Total</b>          |              |                             |                                 |          |                | <b>\$2,070,772</b> | <b>\$1,587,954</b> | <b>410</b>    |



## AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competition FY 2015

### **Kupu**

Hawaii Youth Conservation Corps  
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### **Congressional District: 01**

This is a single state program funded through Hawaii Commission on National & Community Service.

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### **Approved Funding Level:**

Grant Funding: \$1,193,375.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 226.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$572,170.40  
Budgeted Match\*: \$919,314.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$0

\*Budgeted Match amount refers to total proposed match amounts from all sources including private sector and government sources.

\*\* Other Revenue refers to funds that the program reports as being used to run the program that are not CNCS share or match.

NOTE: Some applicants are receiving "fixed amount grants" which do not require reporting on matching funds.

### **Program Summary**

Kupu will engage 239 AmeriCorps members in service who will leverage an additional 82,520 volunteer hours in natural resource management and sustainability related service throughout Hawaii, statewide. At the end of the three years, the goal will be to improve economic well-being, improve employability, restore ecosystems, and increase environmental knowledge.

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### Annual Statistical Highlights

- Engages more than 75,000 members annually
- Members serve at 15,000 locations across the country

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### Legal Aid Society of Hawaii

Project Kaulike  
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### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$144,596.93  
AmeriCorps member positions: 18.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$64,603.73  
Budgeted Match\*: \$331,738.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$0.00

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### Program Summary

AmeriCorps members will serve as navigators of the justice system to help low income individuals and families find the legal information and resources they need to solve their legal problems. Members will serve at Legal Aid offices and in courthouse based self-help centers across the State of Hawaii and will be responsible for helping 1,545 economically disadvantaged residents including 145 veterans or veterans' family members.

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### Teach For America

Teach For America Hawaii  
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### Approved Funding Level:

Grant Funding: \$132,800.00  
AmeriCorps member positions: 166.00  
AmeriCorps education awards: \$951,180.00  
Budgeted Match\*: \$113,700.00  
Other Revenue\*\*: \$4,548,290.00

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### Program Summary

AmeriCorps members will serve as teachers in low-income schools on Oahu and Hawaii Islands.

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