



## Hawaii by the Numbers

 **3,088**

Members & Volunteers

 **338**

Service Locations

 **\$19.3m**

Total Investment

## Meeting Needs in Hawaii

Working hand-in-hand with local partners, AmeriCorps is investing more than \$9.2 million to support cost-effective community solutions in Hawaii. This federal funding enables more than 3,050 Americans of all ages and backgrounds united to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and expand opportunity through national service in Hawaii.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, helping communities and families impacted by COVID-19, reducing crime and reviving cities, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, and rebuilding communities after disasters.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers will serve at more than 300 locations across Hawaii, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, AmeriCorps and its partners generated more than \$10.0 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Hawaii in the last year. This local support strengthened community impact and increased the return on taxpayer dollars.

## What is AmeriCorps?

AmeriCorps is the only federal agency tasked with elevating service and volunteerism in America. We provide opportunities for people of all ages and backgrounds to give their time and talent to strengthen communities across our country.

## A Cornerstone of Our National Culture

By bringing people together to serve communities, AmeriCorps is making service to others an indispensable part of the American experience. We offer individuals and organizations flexible ways to make a local impact through our programs and initiatives.

## Segal AmeriCorps Education Award

In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay for trade school, college, or graduate school; or to pay back qualified student loans. **Since 1994, more than 7,500 Hawaii residents have served approximately 8.8 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$22.4 million.**

## Our Programs and Initiatives

**AmeriCorps State and National** matches individuals with organizations that see service as a solution to local, regional, and national challenges. There are thousands of opportunities in locations across the country to serve with nonprofits, schools, public agencies, tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Hawaii Commission on National & Community Service, the Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local needs.

**AmeriCorps VISTA** places individuals with organizations that fight poverty, to build capacity and make sustainable change. Through fundraising, grant writing, volunteer recruitment, and so much more, AmeriCorps VISTA members gain experience and leadership skills that put them on track for a life of service in the public, private, or nonprofit sector.

**AmeriCorps NCCC** is a full-time, team-based, residential program for 18-24-year-olds. Whether clearing trails for a national park or building homes for families in need, AmeriCorps NCCC members engage in a variety of projects in multiple communities while developing leadership and teamwork skills. AmeriCorps NCCC FEMA Corps serves communities, in coordination with FEMA, through disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

**AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparents** provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans 55 and older in providing one-on-one mentoring and academic support to children with special or exceptional needs.

**AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companions** provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans 55 and older in providing supportive, individualized services to help older adults and adults maintain their dignity and independence.

**AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP** provides grants to organizations to engage Americans 55 and older in tutoring and mentoring youth, responding to natural disasters, supporting veterans and their families, and meeting other critical needs.

**Volunteer Generation Fund** supports voluntary organizations and state service commissions in boosting the impact of volunteers in addressing critical community needs.

**MLK Day of Service** is observed each year on the third Monday in January as “a day on, not a day off.” MLK Day is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities.

**9/11 Day of Service** calls Americans across the country to volunteer in their local communities in tribute to the individuals lost and injured in the attacks, first responders, and the many who have risen in service to defend freedom.

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# Hawaii | At a Glance Report

## 2020 INVESTMENT



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Service Locations

 **\$ 19,362,796**  
Total Investment

### Program Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps National	6	8	26	\$105,938	\$121,270
AmeriCorps State	8	110	452	\$1,956,915	\$3,186,634
AmeriCorps VISTA	17	30	117	\$456,553	\$1,297,893
<b>AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>595</b>	<b>\$2,519,406</b>	<b>\$4,605,797</b>

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Foster Grandparent Program	2	45	147	-	\$941,909
RSVP	4	134	2,286	-	\$358,065
Senior Companion Program	1	11	60	-	\$470,240
<b>AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>2,493</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$1,770,214</b>

### Other Funding

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AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	2	-	-	-	\$90,000
State Commission Investment Funds	1	-	-	-	\$282,643
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$372,643</b>

Total Program Funding					\$6,748,654
Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Scholarships					\$9,268,060
Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)					\$10,094,736
<b>Total AmeriCorps Funding + Total Local Project Support</b>					<b>\$19,362,796</b>

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Notes: This data represents total federal funding and resources awarded between January 15, 2020 and January 13, 2021 to support projects headquartered in California. 1. For AmeriCorps State and National, the number of participants is the number of positions available to be filled for the projects in this report. For AmeriCorps VISTA and NCCC, the number of participants is the number of members who have started service since January 15, 2020. For AmeriCorps Seniors, this is the total number of volunteers in the projects' grant applications. 2. The service location total may contain multiple counts of unique locations where multiple AmeriCorps programs are operating. Service location totals may not reflect all locations that will be active during the life of the award. 3. The Education Awards figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members included in this report. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. 4. The Federal Funding column for AmeriCorps State and AmeriCorps Seniors reflects the full funding awarded to projects included in this report. For AmeriCorps VISTA, funding reflects the national average cost per participant for all members included in this report. All AmeriCorps NCCC funding is reported at NCCC's four regional campuses. 5. AmeriCorps National figures may include national projects headquartered in the state and/or operating sites of national projects that are headquartered in other states. Federal funding reflects the estimated proportionate share of the national grant associated with operating sites in this report. Some national organizations do not report operating site data, or it was not available at time of publishing, so figures may not reflect current conditions. 6. Total local project support reflects non-AmeriCorps cash and in-kind resources that AmeriCorps grantees committed to raise in support of projects and grants in this report. As part of its public-private partnership approach, AmeriCorps grantees leverage additional resources to strengthen community impact and increase the return on the federal investment.



### Program Funding

City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
Hilo	Hawaii Rise Foundation Hawaii Rise Foundation	AmeriCorps State	7	25	\$56,951	\$139,400
Hilo	County of Hawaii Department of Research & Development County of Hawaii Department of Research and Development	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	7	\$41,165	\$117,213
Hilo	Hilo-Waiakea Complex Summer Programs Waiakea High School	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	18	\$33,368	\$94,642
Honokaa	FoodCorps FoodCorps, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	10	10	\$61,950	\$151,000
Kailua	Huliauapaa Program Grant Huliauapaa	AmeriCorps State	6	13	\$51,232	\$127,810
Kapaau	Kohala Community High Aspirations Project Kohala High School	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	2	\$12,390	\$35,142
Makawao	Conservation Legacy Stewards VISTA Program Conservation Legacy	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Urban Honolulu	Honolulu HFH Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$6,195	\$15,479
Urban Honolulu	SCA HI Student Conservation Association, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	-	1	\$1,639	\$208
Urban Honolulu	Teach For America - Hawaii Teach For America	AmeriCorps National	4	9	\$55,755	-
Urban Honolulu	Placeholder HI Cost Reimbursement Hawaii Commission on National & Community Service	AmeriCorps State	-	5	\$30,975	\$40,143
Urban Honolulu	Hawaiian Community Assets, Inc. - AmeriCorps State II Hawaiian Community Assets, Inc. - AmeriCorps State	AmeriCorps State	4	14	\$61,950	\$153,103
Urban Honolulu	Kupu: Environmental Stewardship Kupu	AmeriCorps State	47	258	\$958,521	\$2,293,530
Urban Honolulu	Project Kaulike Legal Aid Society of Hawaii	AmeriCorps State	7	20	\$72,472	\$174,648
Urban Honolulu	Teach For America Hawai'i Teach For America	AmeriCorps State	29	107	\$662,865	\$107,000
Urban Honolulu	Sustainable National and State Afterschool Programs & Networ Afterschool Alliance	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Urban Honolulu	Measuring for Success Aloha United Way, Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571



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Urban Honolulu	Department of Land and Natural Resources-OCCL Department of Land and Natural Resources-OCCL	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	6	\$33,870	\$96,750
Urban Honolulu	Agricultural Education and Network Building Hawaii Alliance for Community Based Economic Development	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$12,390	\$35,142
Urban Honolulu	Building Stability in Housing Hawaiian Community Assets-AmeriCorps VISTA	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	8	\$48,460	\$137,676
Urban Honolulu	Kokua Kalihi Valley Comprehensive Family Services Kokua Kalihi Valley Comprehensive Family Services	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	4	\$24,780	\$70,284
Urban Honolulu	Kupu Kupu	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	3	\$17,485	\$49,821
Urban Honolulu	Aloha+ Challenge VISTA Program Oahu Economic Development Board	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	3	\$18,585	\$52,713
Urban Honolulu	Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency Office of Climate Change, Sustainability and Resiliency	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	19	\$113,305	\$322,281
Urban Honolulu	PAARI VISTA Recovery Corps Police Assisted Addiction and Recovery Initiative	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$5,645	\$16,125
Urban Honolulu	University of Hawaii - Office of Research Services University of Hawaii - Office of Research Services	AmeriCorps VISTA	3	12	\$15,733	\$44,625
Waianae	Waianae Comprehensive Health Center Community Health Center, Inc	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$6,195	\$15,192
Waianae	Waianae Coast Comprehensive Health Center Equal Heart	AmeriCorps National	1	11	\$17,569	\$43,954
Wailuku	Maui Inc, HFH Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	3	\$18,585	\$46,437
Waipahu	Leeward District ELL Program Leeward District ELL Program	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	3	\$16,935	\$48,375
Waipahu	Waipahu High School Waipahu High School	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	26	\$43,857	\$124,392
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Lihue	KAUAI RSVP Kauai County Agency on Elderly Affairs	RSVP	28	352	-	\$76,982

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Paia	County of Maui RSVP County of Maui Department of Human Concern	RSVP	29	625	-	\$73,350
Urban Honolulu	ALU LIKE, Inc. ALU LIKE, Inc.	Foster Grandparent Program	7	62	-	\$399,789
Urban Honolulu	Hawaii Foster Grandparent Program Hawaii Department of Human Services	Foster Grandparent Program	38	85	-	\$542,120
Urban Honolulu	City & County of Honolulu RSVP City & County of Honolulu; Department of Community Services	RSVP	22	309	-	\$98,014
Urban Honolulu	SCP of Hawaii Hawaii Department of Human Services	Senior Companion Program	11	60	-	\$470,240
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Urban Honolulu	TFA Hawaii Planning Grant Teach For America	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$45,000
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