

### Hawaii 2006 - 2007

**Meeting community needs in Hawaii.** More than **13,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through **35** national service projects across Hawaii. Serving with national and local nonprofits, schools, faith-based organizations and other groups, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, restore the environment, respond to disasters, build nonprofit capacity and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will commit more than **\$4,500,000** to support Hawaii communities through three national service initiatives:



**Senior Corps:** More than **3,900** seniors in Hawaii contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **2,600** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **670** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, participate in environmental projects, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **480** groups across Hawaii.



**AmeriCorps:** This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **380** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, public safety and other pressing needs in communities across Hawaii. Roughly three-quarters of all AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Hawaii Commission on National & Community Service, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by the Corporation directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals will serve through AmeriCorps\*VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps\*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award of up to \$4,725 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **2,100** Hawaii residents have qualified for Americorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$5,500,000**.



**Learn and Serve America:** Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to support efforts to engage more than **9,400** Hawaii students in community service linked to academic achievement and the development of civic skills. This type of learning, called service learning, improves communities while preparing young people for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. In addition to providing grants, Learn and Serve America serves as a resource on service and service-learning to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

Together with the USA Freedom Corps, the Corporation for National and Community Service is working to build a culture of citizenship, service, and responsibility in America. To learn more about the Corporation or any of its programs, visit www.nationalservice.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 202-565-2799.



### Hawaii At a Glance

Senior Corps	Projects	Participants		Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	1	172		\$477,494
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	4	3,675		\$355,070
Senior Companion Program	1	151		\$417,901
Senior Corps Total	6	3,998		\$1,250,465
AmeriCorps	Program Sites	<b>Participants</b> <sup>1</sup>	Education Award <sup>2</sup>	Program Funding
AmeriCorps*State (Competitive)	1	33	\$125,213	\$315,549
AmeriCorps*State (Formula)	6	104	\$211,680	\$549,265
AmeriCorps*National	3	96	\$379,181	\$321,687
AmeriCorps*Vista	12	23	\$108,675	\$303,498
Education Awards Program (National)	5	130	\$204,356	\$17,300
AmeriCorps Total	27	386	\$1,029,105	\$1,507,299
Learn and Serve America	Grantees	Participants	Subgrantees	Program Funding
K-12 School-Based	1	1,442	11	\$67,882
Higher Education	1	8,037	13	\$400,000
Learn and Serve America Total	2	9,479	24	\$467,882
Administrative Funds				Program Funding
Disability Outreach				\$30,000
Program Development & Technical Assistance State Commission Administration				\$104,000 \$157,756
Administrative Funds Total		N/A		\$291,756
Program Totals	35	13,863	\$1,029,105	\$3,517,402

#### Total Corporation Funding (including AmeriCorps Education Awards)

\$4,546,507

<sup>1</sup>This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2006 - 2007 program year. For AmeriCorps\*VISTA and the Education Awards Program, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

<sup>2</sup> This figure represents the maximum potential value of AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Hawaii. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total Corporation funding.

<sup>3</sup> Hawaii is served by the AmeriCorps\*NCCC campus located in McClellan, California. In the past year, AmeriCorps\*NCCC teams have served on projects in



# **Senior Corps in Hawaii**

Primary City	<b>Program Name</b> Sponsor Organization (if different)	Number of Participants	Program Type
Hilo	RSVP of Hawaii County Hawaii County Office of Aging	1,200	RSVP
Honolulu	Oahu RSVP Helping Hands Hawaii	750	RSVP
Honolulu	SCP of Honolulu <i>Hi Dept of Human Services</i>	151	Senior Companion Program
Lihue	KAUAI RSVP Kauai County Agency on Elderly Affairs	625	RSVP
Paia	County of Maui RSVP County of Maui Dept of Human Concern	1,100	RSVP
Pearl City	Hawaii DHS FGP Hi Dept of Human Services	172	Foster Grandparent Program
Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers		3,998	



## **AmeriCorps in Hawaii**

Primary City	<b>Program Name</b>	# of Members	Program Type
	Sponsor Organization (if different)		
Aiea	Expanding the Impact of Teach For America - Hawai Teach For America Hawaii	ii 53	AmeriCorps*National
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Hilo	Affordable Housing And Homeless Alliance	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	Bay Clinic, Inc.		
Hilo	AmeriCorps*VISTA	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	University of Hawaii at Hilo		
Honolulu	ALU LIKE AmeriCorps Program	12	AmeriCorps*State
	ALU LIKE, Inc.		
Honolulu	Boys & Girls Club of Hawaii	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Honolulu	Spalding Clubhouse	4	Education Awards Program
	Boys and Girls Club of America		
Honolulu	HANA LIKE: SCHOOL/COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP IN HEALTH & SOC SVCS	15	AmeriCorps*State
	Farrington High School		
Honolulu	Hawaii Youth Conservation Corps	26	AmeriCorps*State
	Hawaii Department of Land & Natural Resources Division of Forestry and Wildlife		
Honolulu	HAWAII LITERACY	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	Hawaii Literacy		
Honolulu	Access to Justice Project	33	AmeriCorps*State
	Legal Aid Society of Hawaii		
Honolulu	Raising Readers	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	Read To Me International Foundation		•
Honolulu	State of Hawaii, Department of Education	12	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Honolulu	HI - University of Hawaii	1	Education Awards Program
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	Western Washington University - WA Campus Compact		
Honolulu	HI - University of Hawaii Manoa	93	Education Awards Program
	Western Washington University - WA Campus Compact		
Kailua-Kona	Hawaii HIPPYCorps Initiative	22	AmeriCorps*National
	Family Support Services of West Hawaii		
Kailua-Kona	Habitat for Humanity	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	Habitat for Humanity Western States		L.



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Kaneohe	Hawaii Youth Conservation Corps	31	Education Awards Program
	National Association of Service & Conservation Corps		
Kaneohe	State of Hawaii, Department of Education	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Kapolei	National Collaboration for Homeless Vets-Hawaii	21	AmeriCorps*National
	National Collaboration for Homeless Vets - Hawai	i	
Kaunakakai	Hoikaika Youth Corps	10	AmeriCorps*State
	Moloka'i Community Service Council		
Kula	Habitat for Humanity	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	Habitat for Humanity Western States		
Lihue	County of Kauai, Office of the Mayor	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	County of Kauai		
Lihue	Health Corps Hawaii	22	AmeriCorps*State
	Na Lei Wili Area Health Education Center		
Princeville	State of Hawaii, Department of Education	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waianae	State of Hawaii, Department of Education	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Wailuku	Maui Economic Opportunity, Inc. AmeriCorps Environmental Program	19	AmeriCorps*State
	Maui Economic Opportunity, Inc.		

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.



### Learn and Serve America in Hawaii

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Haleiwa	Haleiwa School	53	K-12 School-Based
Hana	Hana School	77	K-12 School-Based
Hauula	Hauula School	230	K-12 School-Based
Hilo	Hawaii Community College	300	Higher Education
Hilo	University of Hawaii at Hilo	276	Higher Education
Hilo	Waiakea Middle	51	K-12 School-Based
Honolulu	Chaminade University	202	Higher Education
Honolulu	Chaminade University of Honolulu	425	Higher Education
Honolulu	Hawaii Pacific University	797	Higher Education
Honolulu	Hokulani School	55	K-12 School-Based
Honolulu	Honolulu Community College	320	Higher Education
Honolulu	Kapiolani Community College	420	Higher Education
Honolulu	State of Hawaii, Department of Education		K-12 School-Based
Honolulu	University of Hawaii College of Social Sciences	500	Higher Education
Honolulu	University of Hawaii at Manoa	1,405	Higher Education
Honolulu	University of Hawaii at Manoa	905	Higher Education
Kahului	Maui Community College	150	Higher Education
Kailua-Kona	Kahakai School	105	K-12 School-Based
Kaneohe	Puohala School	17	K-12 School-Based
Kapolei	Kapolei High	540	K-12 School-Based
Kaunakakai	Kilohana School	69	K-12 School-Based
Kihei	Lokelani Intermediate	190	K-12 School-Based
Lihue	Kauai Community College	14	Higher Education
Pearl City	Leeward Community College	2,252	Higher Education
Pearl City	University of Hawaii at West Oahu	71	Higher Education
Waialua	Waialua School	55	K-12 School-Based
Total Number of	Learn and Serve Particinants	9.479	

#### **Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants**





Presidential Freedom Scholarships: Two students from the junior or senior class in each high school in the United States may receive a \$1000 college scholarship for outstanding leadership in service to community. This is a matching scholarship: \$500 is provided by a local organization such as the PTA or Kiwanis and \$500 is provided by Learn and Serve America. Since 2000, more than 105 Hawaii students have received these scholarships.

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