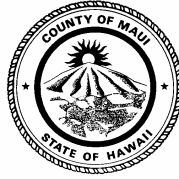


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COUNTY OF MAUI – Kalana O Maui

A message from
Mayor Alan M. Arakawa

Maui County's Office of Economic Development serves as liaison for the county to the business community.

With the goal of attracting and retaining businesses that provide our goods and services as well as employment opportunities for our people, the Office of Economic Development encourages innovative entrepreneurship by assisting start-up businesses as they make their way through the governmental regulation process.

New businesses diversify and stimulate our economy and Maui County is an excellent place to do business. We have an exceptional quality of life, a beautiful climate, access to cutting edge technologies, a culturally diverse population, strong support services and a county government that wants to work with the business community.

Among the many support services offered by the Office of Economic Development is this handbook: "Starting a Business in Maui County." In it are resource contacts – financial, educational and informational – outlines of government regulations and discussions and questions pertinent to transforming your entrepreneurial dream into reality.

I invite and encourage you to contact the Office of Economic Development – by phone (808) 270-7710, by fax (808) 270-7995 or by e-mail economic.development@co.maui.hi.us – if we may be of further assistance as you transform your vision into venture, idea into innovation, creativity into commerce.

Wishing you all success,

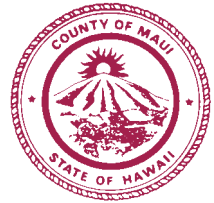
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Alan M. Arakawa
Mayor

STARTING A BUSINESS

In Maui County

BUILDING A BETTER
COMMUNITY



STARTING A BUSINESS IN MAUI COUNTY

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I. GETTING STARTED

ENTREPRENEURIAL ASSISTANCE – MAUI

Organizations here on Maui that provide invaluable informational and educational assistance in starting and maintaining a business:

Office of Economic Development, County of Maui

200 South High Street, 6th Floor, Wailuku, HI 96793-2134

Tel: 270-7710, Fax: 270-7995

Internet: www.co.maui.hi.us

Email: economic.development@co.maui.hi.us

Informational support for existing and new businesses and community development projects.

Hawai`i Business Research Library

Maui Research & Technology Park

590 Lipoa Parkway #136, Kihei, HI 96753

Tel: 875-2400, Fax: 875-2406

Internet: www.hbrl-sbdc.org Email: hbrl@hbrl-sbdc.org

Start-up and established business research assistance: business lists, demographic profiles, market trends, industry analysis, D&B's, database searches, Sci-tech, business ratios and sample business plans.

Hawai`i Small Business Development Center Network, Maui Center

Maui Research & Technology Park

590 Lipoa Parkway #136, Kihei, HI 96753

Tel: 875-2402, Fax: 875-2406

Internet: www.hawaii-sbdc.org

Support service for small or new businesses; training; free consulting through professional staff and business professionals; business plan assistance.

Guidelines on the start up process from conception up to the production/delivery of product or service including a sample business plan format. Available on-line at: www.hawaii-sbdc.org

Maui Chamber of Commerce

250 Alamaha St., Ste. N16A, Kahului, HI 96732

Tel: 871-7711, Fax: 871-6028

Internet: www.mauichamber.com

Business advocacy; marketing and networking; seminars and training classes; business referrals/resource center.

Alu Like – Maui

1977 Kaohu St., Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 242-9774, Fax: 244-1720, Moloka'i Tel: (808) 567-9282

Internet: www.alulike.org

Offers entrepreneurship training for Native Hawaiian youth and adults; business plan preparation; loan application assistance; business incubator projects.

Center for Entrepreneurship

Office of Continuing Education and Training

Maui Community College, University of Hawai'i Systems

310 Kaahumanu Avenue, Kahului, HI 96732

Tel: 984-3462 Fax: 984-3569

Internet: www.ocet.org Email: ribucan@hawaii.edu

Business start-up classes, computer training & coaching.

Moloka'i Community Services Council

PO Box 1046, Kaunakakai, HI 96748

Tel: 553-3244, Fax: 553-3370

Provides non-profit sponsorship for human services, charitable programs, and community-building projects.

MEO Business Development Corporation

99 Mahalani St., Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 249-2990, Fax: 249-2991, Email: micro@meoinc.org

Moloka'i Island Branch Office, 380 Kolapa Place, Moloka'i, HI

Tel: (808) 553-3216, Fax: (808) 553-3776

Small Business Micro-Enterprise Loan Program for low and moderate-income people offering loans from \$500 to \$5,000+. Bi-monthly entrepreneurial training classes and business consultation services.

Pacific Gateway Center

Maui Satellite Office, 1464 Lower Main St., Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 249-8656, Fax: 249-8656

Internet: www.pacificgateway.org

Programs to promote business startups and growth in the community.

ENTREPRENEURIAL ASSISTANCE – HONOLULU

Business Action Center, Department of Business, Economic

Development & Tourism, State of Hawai`i,

1130 N. Nimitz Highway, Ste. A-220, Honolulu, HI 96817

Tel: (808) 586-2545, Fax: (808) 586-2544

Internet: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/br21.htm

A one-stop business license and permit center; assists businesses in understanding federal, state and county government regulations.

Small Business Administration, U.S. Hawai`i District Office

300 Ala Moana Blvd, Room 2-235, Honolulu, HI 96850

Tel: (808) 541-2990, Fax: (808) 541-2976

Internet: www.sbahawaii.org

Business information; counseling; training; financial assistance; Minority Enterprise Development Program certification

SCORE of Hawai`i, Inc.

1041 Nu'uuanu Avenue, Suite A, Honolulu, HI 96817

Internet: www.hawaiiSCORE.org Email: HNLscore@aol.com

Tel: (808) 522-8132, Fax: (808) 522-7494

Offers free and confidential small business counseling provided by dedicated and experienced volunteer men and women counselors.

Minority Enterprise Development

Small Business Administration, U.S. Hawai`i District Office

300 Ala Moana Blvd , Room 2-235, Honolulu, HI 96850

Tel: (808) 541-2975, Fax: (808) 541-2976.

Internet: www.sbahawaii.org

Provides management and technical assistance to viable and competitive minority owned firms.

Hawai`i Women's Business Center

1041 Nuuanu Avenue, Suite A, Honolulu, HI 96817

Tel: (808) 522-8136

Internet: www.hwbc.org Email: info@hwbc.org

Providing resources for women to develop and grow successful businesses.

II. LICENSES AND PERMITS

MAUI BUSINESS LICENSE

Maui County requires a business license for certain occupations and business activities in addition to any State of Hawai'i requirement. To find out if your type of business requires a County of Maui Business License, contact:

**Department of Finance, Division of Motor Vehicles and Licensing
Division, County of Maui Service Center**

70 E. Kaahumanu Avenue #A17, Kahului, HI 96732-2176

Tel: 270-7840

Businesses that absolutely must obtain a license to operate in Maui County include:

- Auctioneers, -Pawn Shops, -Firearms Dealers,
- Taxi Cab, -Vendors (Road), -Bicycle Tours,
- Ocean Recreation, -Hotels, -Tenement House or Lodging,
- Boarding Houses, -Scrap Metal Recyclers, -Second Hand Dealers,
- Used vehicle Parts & Accessories, -Wrecking & Salvaging,
- Dismantling, -Rebuilding Motor Vehicles for Resale

CHILD CARE LICENSING

Licensing for childcare providers is available from:

PATCH (People Attentive to Children)

Department of Human Services

Tel: 243-5866, Moloka'i/Lana'i 1-800-498-4145

Email: patch@patch-hi.org

FOOD SALE & RESTAURANT PERMITS

Department of Health, State of Hawai'i

Maui District Health Office, 54 High Street, Wailuku

Tel: 984-8230, Internet: www.hawaii.gov/doh/

LIQUOR LICENSE

Department of Liquor Control, County of Maui

County of Maui, 2145 Kaohu St. #105, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 270-8004

BUILDING & ZONING PERMITS

Any Building or structure being erected, constructed, enlarged, repaired, moved, improved, converted, altered, removed, or demolished will require a building permit from the Land Use and Codes Administration:

Development Services Administration

Department of Public Works and Environmental Management,
County of Maui
Tel: 270-7250, Fax: 270-7972

It is important to consider zoning regulations when choosing a site for your business. For zoning permits information, contact:

Department of Planning, County of Maui

250 S. High St., Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 270-7253, Fax: 270-7634

HEALTH DEPARTMENT PERMITS & LICENSES

The following types of businesses require a permit, license, or certification from the Department of Health:

Environment:

Air, water, drinking water, wastewater, solid and hazardous waste.

Food and Eating Establishments:

Restaurants, supermarkets, grocery, convenience store, manufacturers, bottling/canning, food warehouse/wholesaling.

Hospitals, Care Facilities, Nursing homes.

Trades and Professions in:

Alcohol and drug abuse counseling
Tattoo
Embalming
Perform marriages

For further information, contact:

Department of Health, State of Hawai'i

Maui District Health Office, 54 High Street, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 984-8230, Fax 984-8222
Oahu: 1250 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu HI 96813
Tel: (808) 586-4400
Internet: www.hawaii.gov/doh

PROFESSIONAL AND VOCATIONAL LICENSES

Hawai`i requires that people in certain professions and occupations be licensed in order to assure high standards in their business activities.

To learn more about a specific licensing area, contact:

Professional and Vocational Licensing Division,

Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs, State of Hawai`i

P.O. Box 3469, Honolulu, HI 96801

Tel: (808) 586-3000, Internet: www.hawaii.gov/dcca/pvl

Forms available at : www.state.hi.us/dcca/pvl/licensing.html

Boards

Accountancy
Acupuncture
Barbering and Cosmetology
Boxing
Chiropractor
Contractor
Dentist and Dental Hygienist
Electrician and Plumber
Elevator Mechanic
Engineer, Architect, Surveyor & Landscape Architect
Massage Therapy
Medical and Osteopathy (MD, DO, EMT-Basic, EMT-Paramedic, Physician Assistant, and Podiatrist)
Motor Vehicle Industry
Motor Vehicle Repair
Naturopathy
Nursing
Optometry
Pest Control
Pharmacy and Pharmacist
Physical Therapy
Private Detective and Guard
Psychology
Real Estate
Speech Pathology and Audiology
Veterinary

Programs

Activity Desk
APRN-Rx
Cemetery and Pre-Need
Funeral Authority
Collection Agency
Condominium Property
Regimes
Dispensing Optician
Electrologist
Employment Agency
Hearing Aid Dealer and Fitter
Marriage And Family
Therapist
Mortgage Broker and Solicitor
Nurse Aide
Nursing Home
Administrator
Occupational Therapist
Port Pilots
Real Estate Appraiser
Social Worker
Subdivision
Time Share
Travel Agency

III. REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

BUSINESS REGISTRATION

In Hawai'i, corporations, partnerships, limited liability companies, and limited liability partnerships need to be registered with the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Business Registration Division (BREG).

Business Registration Division

Department of Commerce & Consumer Affairs

1010 Richards Street, Honolulu, HI 96813

Tel: (808) 586-2727, Fax: (808) 586-2733

Internet: www.state.hi.us/dcca Email: breg@dcca.state.hi.us

There are many forms of legal structure you may choose for your business. A specific business structure is generally chosen for liability and/or tax issues. It is recommended you research each legal structure thoroughly and consult a tax accountant and/or attorney prior to making your decision.

Sole Proprietorship

A business owned and managed by a single individual is a sole proprietorship.

General Partnership

A partnership exists when two or more persons join together in the operation and management of a business venture. A formal partnership agreement is recommended in order to address potential conflicts before they arise.

Limited Partnership

A partnership comprised of one or more general partners who manage the business and who are personally liable for partnership debts, and one or more limited partners who contribute capital and share in profits but who take no part in running business and incur no liability with respect to partnership obligations beyond contribution.

"C" Corporation

A "C" corporation is a legal entity made up of persons who have received a charter legally recognizing the corporation as a separate entity having its own rights, privileges and liabilities, apart from those of the individuals forming the corporation.

Subchapter "S" Corporation

A special section of the Internal Revenue Code permits a corporation to be taxed as a partnership or sole proprietorship, with the profits taxed at the individual rather than the corporate rate. IRS publication 589

Limited Liability Companies & Partnerships –("LLCs" and "LLPs")

An LLC combines selected corporate and partnership characteristics while still maintaining status as a legal entity distinct from its owners.

The Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) is similar to the LLC with the exception this it is aimed at professional organizations.

Forms and information to register are available online and can be downloaded from their website at:

Internet: www.businessregistrations.com

Forms can also be requested by fax:

On Demand Fax Service (808) 587-1234

Forms are also available at the DCCA Maui Office:

Puuone Plaza, 1063 Lower Main Street, Ste. C216, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 243-5808 (only forms are available here)

EMPLOYER REGISTRATIONS & REQUIREMENTS

State of Hawai`i:

Hawai`i requires all employers to pay unemployment insurance contributions, and to obtain worker's compensation insurance, temporary disability insurance and prepaid health care insurance. For further information, contact:

Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of

State of Hawai`i, 54 S. High St., Room 201, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 984-2072 (ask for Employee Services)

Internet: www.dlir.state.hi.us

(NOTE: Completing the State of Hawai`i Basic Business Application [Form BB-1] consolidates into one document registration for various state tax and employer licenses and permits, including withholding and unemployment insurance.)

Federal

Taxpayers can call a toll-free number, (866) 816-2065, to get a Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN).

For further information, contact:

Internal Revenue Service, U.S. Department of Treasury

300 Ala Moana Blvd. #1002, Honolulu, HI 96813

Tel: 1 (866) 816-2065, Fax: (215) 516-3990

Internet: www.irs.gov

Employee Eligibility Certification

Employers are required to certify the employment eligibility of their employees by completing an I-9 form issued by the U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) to keep on file. For further information, contact

U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service

595 Ala Moana Blvd., Honolulu, HI 96813

Tel: (808) 541-1379, Internet: www.ins.gov

TRADENAME, TRADEMARKS, SERVICEMARKS

Any business may register a tradename, trademark or servicemark to give notice to the public of the intent to use the tradename, trademark or service mark in Hawai'i.

Tradenames are fictitious names that are assumed by a business and that do not contain the owner's names.

Trademarks are words, designs, or words and designs in combination that are used as identifiers for goods and services.

Servicemarks are used to identify the type of service a business provides.

You can search for a business/entity name through the **BUSINESS NAME SEARCH** database at: www.ehawaii.gov/dcca/bizsearch/exe/bizsearch.cgi

Business Registration Division, Commerce & Consumer Affairs

1010 Richards Street, Honolulu, HI 96813

Oahu: (808) 586-2744

Internet: www.businessregistrations.com/registration/trade/trade.html

For national registration of trademark information at:

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Tel: (800) 786-8199 or (703) 308-4357

Internet: www.uspto.gov/main/trademarks.htm

PATENTS

New and useful inventions can be protected by a U.S. Patent. Professional assistance from a patent attorney is strongly urged because patent procedures are detailed and technical. For further information, contact:

Asst. Commissioner for Trademarks, Patent Applications

Washington, D.C. 20231

Tel: 1 (800) 786-9199

Internet: www.uspto.gov

COPYRIGHTS

Copyrights protect the thoughts and ideas of authors, composers and artists. A copyright prevents illegal copying of written matter, works of art or computer programs. In order to ensure copyright protection, the copyright owner should always include notices on all copies of the work. For further information:

U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress

101 Independence Avenue, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20559-6000
Tel: (202) 707-3000, Forms & Publications Tel: (202) 707-9100
Internet: www.copyright.gov

PRODUCT LABELING

Bar Coding

Many stores require bar coding on the packaged products they sell. The Uniform Code Council Inc. (not a government agency) assigns a manufacturer's ID code for the purposes of bar coding. For additional information contact:

Uniform Code Council, Inc.

7887 Washington Village Drive, Suite 300, Dayton, OH 45459
Tel: (937) 435-3870
Internet: www.uc-council.org Email: info@uc-council.org

Made in Maui

Chamber of Commerce, Maui

250 Alamaha St., Ste. N16A, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 871-7711 Fax: 877-6646
Internet: www.mauichamber.com

Made in Hawai'i

Dept. of Business, Economic Development & Tourism

Business Development & Marketing Division, P.O. Box 2359
Honolulu, HI 96804
Tel: (808) 587-2584, Fax: (808) 587-3388
Internet: www.hawaii-products.com
Email: hiprod@hawaii-products.com

Made in USA

Federal Trade Commission

Bureau of Consumer Protection
Internet: www.ftc.gov

IV. TAXES

GENERAL EXCISE TAX

Every person or company intending to do business in Hawai'i, including every individual who is self-employed or who hires employees, must apply for a General Excise Tax Identification Number. This number is assigned by the State Department of Taxation and identifies each business for tax filing, withholding and paying purposes. For all state tax-related questions, contact

Taxpayer Services, Department of Taxation, State of Hawai'i

830 Punchbowl St., Honolulu, HI 96809, Tel: (800) 887-8974

Maui Branch: 54 S. High Street, Room 208, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 984-8500, Fax: 984-8522

Moloka'i: P.O. Box 275, Kaunakakai, HI 96748, Tel: 553-5541

Internet: www.state.hi.us/tax

The General Excise Tax application (Basic Business Application) form can be downloaded from: www.state.hi.us/tax/current/bb1.pdf

(NOTE: Completing the State of Hawai'i Basic Business Application [Form BB-1] consolidates into one document registration for various state tax and employer licenses and permits, including General Excise Tax [G.E.T], withholding and unemployment insurance.)

FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Taxpayers can call a toll-free number, (866) 816-2065, to get a Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN). For additional information, contact:

Internal Revenue Service, U.S. Department of Treasury

300 Ala Moana Blvd. #1002, Honolulu, HI 96813

Tel: 1-866-816-2065, Fax: (215) 516-3990

Internet: www.irs.gov

IMMIGRANT INVESTOR PROGRAM

Allows qualified applicants to obtain lawful Permanent Resident Status (Green Cards) through investment in a U.S. enterprise. The Investor Visa Category has attracted the attention of many prospective immigrants because it allows the combination of immigration plans with new investment projects. The State of Hawai'i promotes investments enabled by the Immigration Act through DBEDT's Immigrant Investor Program.

For further information, call: (808) 587-2766, or visit the website at: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/immi/

TAX INCENTIVES FOR BUSINESSES IN HAWAII

- Hawaii has only two levels of government taxation: state and local
- No personal property tax
- No tax on inventory, furniture, equipment or machinery
- Credit granted against taxes paid on the purchase of capital goods, machinery, and equipment
- No state tax on goods manufactured for export
- No stock transfer tax (all security exchange transactions are exempt from general excise tax, as an incentive to financial institutions)
- No unincorporated business tax
- Banks and financial institutions pay only one business tax
- Manufactured products or those produced for export are exempt from the general excise tax, including custom computer software.

TAX INCENTIVES FOR HIGH TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES

Hawaii offers high technology businesses tax incentives through legislative initiatives. Visit: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/immi/incentv.html

ENTERPRISE ZONES

The Enterprise Zones (EZ) program is a joint state-county effort intended to stimulate—via tax and other incentives—certain types of business activity, job preservation, and job creation in areas where they are most appropriate or most needed. The islands of Moloka'i and Lana'i and East Maui have been designated an Enterprise Zone. For more information on the Hawaii Enterprise Zone Program, contact:

Enterprise Zones Coordinator, Business Support Division
Department of Business, Economic Development, and Tourism
Phone: (808) 586-2593, Fax: (808) 586-2589
E-mail: tbrandt@dbedt.hawaii.gov

V. ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Loan Division

Department of Agriculture, State of Hawai'i
1428 S. King St., Honolulu, HI 96814
Tel: (808) 973-9460, Fax: (808) 973-9455
Internet: www.hawaiiag.org/hdoa/

Loan programs including direct, insured and participation loans to qualified farmers, aquaculturists, and food manufacturers.

Cooperative Extension Service

College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources, UH Manoa
Maui: 310 Kaahumanu Ave., Bldg. 214, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 244-3242, Fax: 244-7089
Moloka'i: P.O. Box 159, Kaunakakai, HI 96748
Tel: (808) 567-6833, Fax: (808) 587-6818
Internet: www.ctahr.hawaii.edu Email: kahului@ctahr.hawaii.edu

Provides research--based information from the College of Tropical Agriculture & Human Resources (CTAHR) for individuals, families, businesses, and communities on Maui, Moloka'i, and Lana'i.

Farm Credit Services of Hawai'i

P.O. Box 31306, Honolulu, HI 96820
2828 Paa Street, Suite. 2085, Honolulu, HI 96819
Tel: (808) 836-8009, Fax: (808) 836-8610, Toll-free (800) 894-4996
Internet: www.farmcreditservicesofhi.org
Email: info@hawaiiifarmcredit.com

Provides mortgage and operating loans exclusively to farmers, ranchers, fishermen, nursery owners and country homeowners throughout the Islands.

Farm Service Agency, U.S. Department of Agriculture

Millyard Plaza, 210 Imi Kala Street, Suite 207, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 244-3100 ext.2, Fax: 242-7005
Internet: www.fsa.usda.gov

Loans for farm ownership, operating costs, emergencies, guaranteed loans, special assistance for beginning farmers and ranchers.

Maui County Farm Bureau

P.O. Box 148, Kula, HI 96790
Tel: 878-2917, Fax: 876-0412, Email: mcfb@maui.net
Internet: www.maui.net/~mcfb/

Assists in the promotion of Maui's agriculture industry in partnership with other agricultural organizations.

Natural Resources Conservation Service

U.S. Department of Agriculture
Millyard Plaza, 210 Imi Kala Street, Suite. 209, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 244-3100 ext.3, Fax: 242-7005
Internet: www.nrcs.usda.gov/
Serves farmers; provides engineering design for conservation measures and resource management systems.

Tri-Isle Resource Conservation and Development Council, Inc.

U.S. Department of Agriculture
210 Imi Kala Street, Suite. 208, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 244-3100, Fax: 242-7005
Assists communities in planning for future conditions and securing funding for community-based projects; promotes economic and community development; preservation of natural resources and improvement of the environment.

EDUCATION

Office of Continuing Education & Training

Maui Community College, 310 Kaahumanu Ave., Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 984-3231, Fax: 244-9632
Internet: www.hawaii.edu/maui/vitec
Training in personal development and specific skills for starting and managing a business.

Maui Community College

310 Kaahumanu Avenue, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 984-3231, Fax: 244-9632
Internet: <http://mauicc.hawaii.edu/>

University of Hawai`i Center, Maui

310 W. Kaahumanu Avenue, Lualaba #216, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 984-3525
Internet: www.umaii.net Email: uctrmaui@hawaii.edu

University of Phoenix, Maui Campus

2200 Main Street, Suite 401, Wailuku, HI 96793-1681
Tel: 249-2500
Internet: www.phoenix.edu

FILM/VIDEO/TV

Maui County Film Office

Office of Economic Development

200 South High Street, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 270-7415, Fax: 270-7995, Email: info@filmmaui.com

Internet: www.filmmaui.com

A one-stop resource for obtaining film permits, locating talent, production crews and locations for film productions on the islands of Maui, Molokai and Lanai.

Akaku Maui Community Television, Inc.

333 Dairy Rd. #104A, Kahului, HI 96732

Tel: 871-5554, Fax: 871-5510, Internet: www.akaku.org

Community access television.

FINANCING

The State of Hawai'i offers several programs to help businesses obtain loans, grants, and other investment resources, as well as to seek and encourage investments from sources both in and out of the State.

Agricultural/Aquaculture Loan Programs: Administered by the State of Hawai'i, Department of Agriculture, the intent of the program is to help promote agricultural and aquaculture development by providing credit at reasonable rates and terms to qualifying individuals or entities. For further info contact (808) 973-9560, or visit: www.hawaiiag.org/hdoa/agl.htm

Commercial and Financial Institutions provide loans secured by fixed assets, purchase agreements, accounts receivable and personal guarantees. See list of institutions at: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/br3a.htm

Emergency Loan Program (HELP): In it's continuing efforts to assist Hawai'i's small businesses affected by the economic downturns following September 11, 2001 and the Makapu'u Point road closing, DBEDT has expanded it's Hawai'i Emergency Loan Program (HELP). For more information, call (808) 586-2577, or visit: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/help/

Export/Import Bank: The U.S. Eximbank is an independent U.S. government agency that helps finance and facilitates the export of U.S. goods and service through loans, loan guarantees and export credit insurance. Contact: U.S. Export-Import Bank, 811 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20571. Toll free (800) 565-EXIM, or visit: www.exim.gov/

Farm Credit Services of Hawai'i provides mortgage and operating loans exclusively to farmers, ranchers, fishermen, nursery owners and country home owners throughout the Islands. For more information, call (808) 836-8009, toll-free (800) 894-4996 or visit: www.farmcreditservicesofhi.org

HSDC Venture Capital: The Hawai'i Strategic Development Authority's (HSDC) mission is to develop a sustainable venture capital industry in Hawai'i that will stimulate the growth of viable new businesses. For further information, call: (808) 587-3830, or visit: www.htdc.org/hxdc/seed.html

Hawai'i Capital Access Partnership (HICAP) A loan assistance program that encourages banks to make loans available to Hawai'i small businesses supported by a state funded loan assurance reserve. For eligibility or further information, call: (808) 586-2576, or visit: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/hicap/

Hawai'i Capital Loan Program: Available through DBEDT, this loan program is available to businesses unable to obtain adequate financing from other sources. For further information, call (808) 586-2576.

Hawai'i Community Loan Fund is a certified Community Development Financial Institution that provides capital to businesses, nonprofit organizations and projects that create jobs, build wealth, and improve the quality of life for disadvantaged communities and people. Toll free (866) 525-4253, www.hclf.org

Hawai'i Small Business Loan Program: Available through HEDCO, loans to assist new and emerging businesses for working capital and equipment needs; funded by local financial institutions and guaranteed by SBA. Maximum loan \$50,000 For further information, call (808) 541-2990, or visit: www.sbahawaii.org/

Immigrant Investor Program. Allows a qualified applicant to obtain Green Cards (lawful Permanent Resident Status) through investment in a U.S. enterprise. For further information, call (808) 587-2766, or visit: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/immi/

Lokahi Pacific Rural Development Loan Program: For entrepreneurs unable to secure bank financing for business start-up and expansion & community development projects. Call 242-5761, or visit: www.communitycapital.org/cdfi_locator/lokahi_pacific.html

OHA Business Loan Program: Through the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, provides financing for Native Hawaiian entrepreneurs seeking to start and grow businesses within the state. Call (808) 594-1888, or visit: www.oha.org/org/loans.html

Small Business Administration (SBA): SBA's Hawai'i District Office works closely with local participating lenders to provide financing through a variety of loan programs tailored specifically to meet the demands of small businesses. For further information, call (808) 541-2990, or visit: www.sbahawaii.org/

Small Business Innovation Research Grants. The Small Business Innovation Research Program (SBIR) is a \$1.5 billion federal funding program that encourages small businesses to develop commercially viable technologies or innovations. Organized as a competition, SBIR allows small companies the opportunity to test high-risk theories and develop innovative technologies. For further information, call: (808) 589-3814, or visit: www.htdc.org/sbir/default.asp

MEO Business Development Corporation

Small Business Micro-enterprise Loan Program for low and moderate-income people offering loans from \$500 to \$5,000+, Bi-monthly entrepreneurial training classes and business consultation services. For further information, call: 249-2990, Fax: 249-2991, Email: micro@meoinc.org. Moloka'i Island Branch Office, Tel: (808) 553-3216

Note: The entrepreneurial assistance organizations starting on page 2 can help you prepare and get organized for your loan application.

HIGH TECHNOLOGY

For further information about starting or bringing a high technology business to Maui or Hawai'i, visit these websites:

Maui Economic Development Board, Inc., www.medb.org

MEDB supports the growth of technology industries and manages Maui Research and Technology Center's incubation program and services.

High Tech Maui, www.hightechmaui.com/

Provides assistance, information and collateral about Maui's technology assets.

Maui Research & Technology Center, www.mrtc.org

A high-tech business incubator dedicated to supporting technology-oriented businesses and promoting the growth of high added-value jobs.

Maui Tech Ohana, www.hightechmaui.com/TechOhana/TO_intro.html

A networking group for those interested in technology and science related business. Organized by MEDB and Hawai'i SBDC Network.

Maui High Performance Computing Center (MHPCC), www.mhpcc.edu

MHPCC is an Air Force Research Laboratory Center managed by the University of Hawai'i. Ranked as one of the top twenty supercomputer sites in the world, MHPCC provides world-class, parallel computing capability to the research, science, and warfighter communities.

High Tech Hawai'i, www.hitechhawaii.com/

HiTechHawaii.com is Hawai'i's high-tech portal website for marketing and promoting high technology in the Islands.

High Technology Development Corporation, www.htdc.org

Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism, State of Hawai'i, HTDC is a State agency tasked with the development and growth of Hawai'i's commercial high technology industry.

Pacific Disaster Center, www.pdc.org

The PDC is an information, technology-based applications center designed to provide information resources supporting natural hazard mitigation, preparation, response and recovery and humanitarian assistance within the Indian/Pacific Ocean region.

Tax Incentives for High Technology Businesses

Hawai'i offers high technology businesses tax incentives through legislative initiatives (ACT 221, SLH 2001). For further information on high technology incentives, visit: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/immi/incentv.html

INSURANCE FOR BUSINESSES

Contact your insurance agent or broker. It is prudent for any business to purchase a number of basic types of insurance. Law requires some types of coverage, others simply make good business sense.

The types of insurance listed below are among the most commonly used and are merely a starting point for evaluating the needs of your business.

General Liability Insurance – One of the most common types of liability is product liability, which may be incurred when a customer suffers harm when using the business’ product.

Property – It is important to determine the property you need to insure for the continuation of your business and the level of insurance you need to replace or rebuild.

Business Interruption – This insurance can provide sufficient funds to pay your fixed expenses during a period of time when your business is not operational.

Key Man – If you are so critical to the operation of your business that it cannot continue in the event of your illness or death, you should consider this type of insurance.

Automobile – You may need special insurance (called “non-owned automobile coverage”) if you use your personal vehicle on company business.

Officer and Director - Officers and directors of a corporation may become personally liable for their actions on behalf of the company.

Home Office – It’s a good idea to update your homeowners’ insurance policy to include coverage for office equipment

LABOR/WORKFORCE

One-stop resource center for access to job applicants, training solutions, and other employment issues that can help your business thrive. Contact:

Worksource Maui

2064 Wells Street, Suite 108, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 984-2091, Fax: 984-2090

Molokai: 55 Makaena Street, Kaunakakia, HI 96748

Tel: (808) 553-1755, Fax (808) 553-1754

NEWSLETTERS

Hawai'i SmallBiz E-News: Monthly newsletter focused on issues and announcements affecting Hawai'i small businesses.
Subscribe at hbrl@hbrl-sbdc.org

Connections: Maui Chamber of Commerce's membership newsletter.
Contact: 871-7711, or visit: www.mauichamber.com

High Tech Maui: quarterly newsletter features high technology news and issues related to Maui. Call 1-800-298-Maui, or Email: Info@medb.org

Small Business News: Tel (808) 396-1724, Email: sbh@lava.net
Internet: www.smallbusinesshawaii.com

Trade/Invest Hawai'i's Monthly Bulletin: Focuses on international business, marketing reports, trade leads and the latest events regarding international trade.
For a free subscription, call 587-2584, or Email: tradeinvest@dbedt.hawaii.gov

PERIODICALS

The Maui News, Tel: 244-3981, Fax: 242-9087, Internet: www.mauinews.com

Lahaina News, Tel: 667-7866, Fax: 667-2726, Email: info@lahainanews.com

Haleakala Times, Tel: 572-9289, Fax: 572-0168, Email: haltimes@maui.net

Maui Weekly, Tel: 875-1700, Fax: 875-1800, Email: info@mauiweekly.com,
Internet: www.mauiweekly.com

Moloka'i Dispatch, Tel: (808) 552-2781, Fax: (808) 552-2334,
Email: mkkdisp@aloha.net, Internet: www.aloha.net/~mkkdisp/

The Honolulu Advertiser, Maui News Bureau, Tel: 244-4800, Fax: 242-1520
Internet: www.honoluluadvertiser.com Email: hawaii@honoluluadvertiser.com

The Honolulu Star-Bulletin, Maui Tel: 244-3207, Fax: 249-2434,
Internet: www.starbulletin.com

Pacific Business News, Tel: (808) 955-8100, Fax: 955-8031,
Internet: www.bizjournals.com/pacific

Hawai'i Business Magazine, (808) 537-9500, Fax: (808) 537-6455
Internet: www.hawaiiibusinessmagazine.com

PUBLICATIONS

The following publications are useful references, and are available to the public at the Hawai'i Business Research Library (HBRL), (808) 875-2400:

Maui County Data Book [annual] (Hawai'i Business Research Library). A statistical overview of the current state of Maui and Hawai'i's visitor industry, including data on arrivals, visitor expenditures, visitor plant inventory, hotel occupancies, etc. Can be purchased at the Hawai'i Business Research Library. Or visit: www.hbri-sbdc.org/mcldb/htm

State of Hawai'i Data Book [annual]. (Department of Business, Economic and Tourism, State of Hawai'i) The official summary of statistics on the social, economic, and political organization of our state. Can be purchased from the Business Action Center, call (808) 586-2545). Or visit: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/db01/index.html

Native Hawaiian Data Book (Office of Hawaiian Affairs)
Call (808) 594-1938, or visit www.oha.org/databook/

The State of Small Business Hawai'i [annual]. (Hawai'i Business Research Library, Hawai'i Small Business Development Center Network). Annual report on Hawai'i small businesses. Includes survey results, analysis, and policy recommendations. Available for reference at the Hawai'i Business Research Library, or view at their website: www.hbri-sbdc.org/

Census 2000 Hawai'i Community Profiles. Customized packaging of Census 2000 data for a specific geographic area. Includes age, income, ethnic, employment and educational breakdowns by census divisions and census-designated places. Great for business plans. Call the HBRL, or visit the website: www.hbri-sbdc.org/

VI. DIRECTORY

(alphabetical order)

All State government phone numbers can be reached toll -free from Maui County.
See instructions for dialing *TOLL-FREE* on the inside front cover of this book.

Agricultural & Business Workshop Coalition

Maui Chamber of Commerce
250 Alamaha Street, Unit N16A, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: (808) 871-7711, Fax: (808) 973-9455
Internet: www.hawaiiag.org/hdoa/ Email: ABWC@mauichamber.com
Loan programs including direct, insured and participation loans to qualified farmers, aquaculturists, and food manufacturers.

Agricultural Loan Division

Department of Agriculture, State of Hawai`i
1428 S. King St., Honolulu, HI 96814
Tel: (808) 973-9460, Fax: (808) 973-9455
Internet: www.hawaiiag.org/hdoa/
Loan programs including direct, insured and participation loans to qualified farmers, aquaculturists, and food manufacturers.

Alu Like, Inc.

567 S. King, Ste. 400, Honolulu, HI 96713
Tel: 536-4494 Fax: 524-1344
Maui: 1977 Kaohu St., Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 242-9774 Fax: 244-7880
Moloka`i: P.O. Box 1859, Kaunakakai, HI 96748
Tel: 553-5393 Fax: 553-9888
Entrepreneurship training for Native Hawaiian youth and adults, business plan preparation, loan application assistance, and business incubator projects.

Business Action Center

Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism,
State of Hawai`i
1130 N. Nimitz Highway, Ste. A-220, Honolulu, HI 96817
Tel: (808) 586-2545, Fax: (808) 586-2544
Internet: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/bac/home.html
A one-stop business license and permit center; assists businesses in understanding federal, state and county government regulations.

Business Research Library, Hawai'i

Hawai'i Small Business Development Center Network
Maui Research and Technology Park
590 Lipoa Parkway, Suite 136, Kihei, HI 96753
Tel: 875-2400 Fax: 875-2406
Internet: www.hbri-sbdc.org Email: hbri@hbri-sbdc.org
Starting a new business assistance; information and research; books, magazines and database searches.

Chamber of Commerce, Maui

250 Alamaha St., Ste. N16A, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 871-7711, Fax: 871-6028
Internet: www.mauichamber.com
Business advocacy; marketing and networking; seminars and training classes; business referrals/resource center.

Chamber of Commerce, Moloka'i

PO Box 515, Kaunakakai, Moloka'i, HI 96748
Tel: 553-3773, Fax: 553-3883
Internet: www.molokaichamber.org/

Commerce and Consumer Affairs, Department of

State of Hawai'i, 1010 Richards St., Honolulu, HI 96813
Business Registration Division: (808) 586-2744
Professional and Vocational Licensing Division: (808) 586-3000

Maui Office (forms only): Puuone Plaza, 1063 Lower Main, Ste. C216,
Wailuku, HI 96793; Tel: 243-5808
Internet: www.hawaii.gov/dcca/dcca.html
Email: breg@dcca.state.hi.us

Cooperative Extension Service

College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources, UH Manoa
Maui: 310 Kaahumanu Ave., Bldg. 214, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 244-3242, Fax: 244-7089
Moloka'i: P.O. Box 159, Kaunakakai, HI 96748
Tel: 567-6833, Fax: 587-6818
Internet: www.ctahr.hawaii.edu
Email: ta_htahr@avax.ctahr.hawaii.edu
Provides research -based information from the College of Tropical Agriculture & Human Resources (CTAHR) for individuals, families, businesses, and communities on Maui, Moloka'i, and Lana'i.

Customs Service, U.S. Department of the Treasury

Port Director, P.O. Box 1458, Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 877-6013, Fax: 877-5703
Internet: www.customs.ustreas.gov/xp/cgov/home.xml
Import/export laws, requirements and procedures

Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism,

State of Hawai`i

1130 N. Nimitz Highway, Ste. A-220, Honolulu, HI 96817

Tel: (808) 586-2545, Fax: (808) 586-2544

Internet: www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/bac/home.html

A one-stop business license and permit center; assists businesses in understanding federal, state and county government regulations.

Development Services Administration, County of Maui

Department of Public Works and Environmental Management,

Tel: 70-7250, Fax: 270-7972

Building permits

Economic Development, Office of

County of Maui, 200 South High St., 6th Floor, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 270-7710 Fax: 270-7995

Email: economic.development@co.maui.hi.us

Internet: www.co.maui.hi.us

Informational support for existing and new businesses and community development projects.

Family Business Center of Hawai`i Program

College of Business Administration,

UH Manoa, 2404 Maile Way #A303, Honolulu, HI 96822

Tel: (808) 956-4298

Internet: www.cba.hawaii.edu, Email: kimmer@cba.hawaii.edu

Provides up-to-date information to help families survive and thrive.

Farm Credit Services of Hawai`i

2828 Paa Street, Ste. 2085, Honolulu, HI 96819

Tel: (808) 836-8009, Fax: (808) 836-8610, Toll-free (800) 894-4996

Internet: www.farmcreditservicesofhi.org

Provides mortgage and operating loans exclusively to farmers, ranchers, fishermen, nursery owners and country homeowners throughout the Islands.

Farm Service Agency, U.S. Department of Agriculture

Millyard Plaza, 210 Imi Kala Street, Suite 207, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 244-3100 x2, Fax: 242-7005

Internet: www.fsa.usda.gov

Loans for farm ownership, operating costs, emergencies, guaranteed loans; special assistance for beginning farmers and ranchers.

Finance, Department of

Division of Motor Vehicles and Licensing Division

County of Maui Service Center

70 E. Kaahumanu Avenue #A17, Kahului, HI 96732-2176

Tel: 270-7840

Business licenses and real property taxes

Hawai'i Small Business Loan Program**HEDCO Local Development Corporation**

222 S. Vineyard Street, PH-1, Honolulu, HI 96813-2445

Tel: 1-800-455-1888 or (808) 521-6502

Cooperative lending program supported by local financial institutions; loans for purchasing new machinery and equipment, making leasehold improvements, acquiring working capital, and starting new businesses.

Hawai'i Strategic Development Corporation

Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism,

State of Hawai'i, P.O. Box 2359, Honolulu, HI 96804

Tel: 587-3829 Fax: 587-3832

Internet: www.htdc.org/hsdc.html

Provides seed and venture financing for growth companies to stimulate economic development and job creation

Health, Department of

District Health Office and Environmental Health

54 S. High St., Room 300, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 984-8230, Fax: 984-8237

Internet: www.hawaii.gov/doh/permits/index.html

Permits for food and restaurant; environment-based, medical facilities and other trades & professions.

High Technology Development Corporation

Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism

2800 Woodlawn Dr., Ste. 100, Honolulu, HI 96822

Tel: (808) 539-3600, Fax: (808) 539-3611

Internet: www.htdc.org

Manages the business incubation centers and provides assistance in technology marketing and project development.

Immigration Services, Bureau of Citizenship and

Honolulu District Office, U.S. Department of Justice

595 Ala Moana Blvd., Honolulu, HI 96813

Tel: (808) 532-3721 or Tel: 1-800-870-FORM to request forms

Internet: www.immigration.gov

Employee certification of citizenship (Form I-9)

Internal Revenue Service, US Department of Treasury

Tel: 1-800-829-1040

Internet: www.irs.gov/businesses/small/index.html

Links to information on starting your business.

Labor and Industrial Relations, Department of, State of Hawai'i

54 S. High St., Room 201, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 984-2072 (ask for Employee Services)

Internet: www.dlir.state.hi.us

To file Form UC-1 for unemployment insurance; information on obtaining worker's compensation, temporary disability, and pre-paid health care coverages; occupational safety standards.

Liquor Control, Department of

County of Maui, 2145 Kaohu St. #105, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 270-7486

Liquor licenses

Lokahi Pacific

1935 Main Street, Ste. 204, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 242-5761 Fax: 244-2057

Internet: www.communitycapital.org/cdfi_locator/lokahi_pacific.html

Rural Development Loan Program for entrepreneurs unable to secure bank financing for business start-up and expansion and community development projects.

Maui Economic Opportunity Inc.

99 Mahalani St., Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 249-2990 Fax: 249-2991

Internet: www.meoinc.org

Maui-to-Work job location program, Community Services, Transportation, B.E.S.T. Reintegration Program, Headstart Programs, Enlace Hispano and Youth Bank

Maui Economic Development Board, Inc.

590 Lipoa Parkway, Ste. 103, Kihei, HI 96753

Tel: 875-2300, Fax: 879-0011

Internet: www.medb.org Email: info@medb.org

Supports the growth of technology industries. Manages Maui Research and Technology Center's incubation program and services.

MEO Business Development Corporation

99 Mahalani St., Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 249-2990 Fax: 249-2991 Email: micro@meoinc.org

Small Business Micro-enterprise Loan Program for low and moderate-income people offering loans from \$500 to \$5,000+, Bi-monthly entrepreneurial training classes and business consultation services.

National Federation of Independent Business

1588 Piikea St., Honolulu, HI 96818

Tel: 422-2163, Fax: 422-2163

Small business lobbying; education and research on special problems of small business.

Natural Resources Conservation Service

U.S. Department of Agriculture
Millyard Plaza, 210 Imi Kala Street, Ste. 209, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 244-3100 x3 Fax: 242-7005
Internet: www.nrcs.usda.gov/
Serves farmers; provides engineering design for conservation measures and resource management systems.

Office of Continuing Education & Training

Maui Community College, 310 Kaahumanu Ave., Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 984-3231, Fax: 244-9632
Internet: www.hawaii.edu/maui/vitec
Training in personal development and specific skills for starting and managing a business.

Office of Hawaiian Affairs

State of Hawai'i, 140 Ho'ohana Place, Suite 206 Kahului, HI 96732
Tel: 243-5219, Fax: 243-5016
Internet: www.oha.org
Serves native Hawaiians by providing grants to non-profit organizations for community-based economic development projects; agricultural loans and grants.

Pacific Business Center Program, College of Business Administration

UH Manoa, 2404 Maile Way #A413, Honolulu, HI 96822
Tel: (808) 956-6286 Fax: (808) 956-6278
Internet: www.cba.hawaii.edu/pbcp
Email: director@pbcp.cba.hawaii.edu
Professional staff & other U. experts team up with MBA students to provide management consulting to UH resources at moderate costs.

Pacific Gateway Center

Satellite Office Maui, 1464 Lower Main St., Wailuku, HI
Tel: 249-8656, Fax: 249-8656
Internet: www.pacificgateway.org
Helps immigrants, refugees and low-income residents of Hawai'i. Programs are geared towards delivering products and services to promote business startups and growth in the community.

Planning, Department of

County of Maui, 250 S. High St., Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 270-7253, Fax: 270-7634
Zoning permits

Rural Development, U.S. Department of Agriculture

Millyard Plaza, 210 Imi Kala Street, Suite 206, Wailuku, HI 96793
Tel: 242-3100 x4
Internet: www.rurdev.usda.gov/
Loans for agriculture; business planning and technical assistance.

Small Business Administration, U.S.

300 Ala Moana Blvd., Room 2-235, Honolulu, HI 96850

Tel: (808) 541-2990 Fax: (808) 541-2976

Internet: www.sbaonline.sba.gov

Business information; counseling; training; financial assistance; Minority Enterprise Development Program certification

SCORE of Hawai'i, Inc

1041 Nu'uuanu Avenue, Suite A, Honolulu, HI 96817

Tel: (808) 522-8132, Fax: (808) 522-7494

Internet: www.hawaiiSCORE.org Email: HNLscore@aol.com

Offers free and confidential small business counseling provided by dedicated and experienced volunteer men and women counselors!

Small Business Development Center Network, Hawai'i

Maui Research and Technology Park

590 Lipoa Parkway, Suite 136, Kihei, HI 96753

Tel: 875-2402 Fax: 875-2406

Internet: www.hawaii-sbdc.org Email: dfisher@maui.com

Support service for small or new businesses; training; free consulting through professional staff and business professionals; business plan assistance.

Taxpayer Services, Department of Taxation, State of Hawai'i

Maui: 54 S. High St., Room 208, Wailuku HI 96793

Tel: 984-8500 Fax: 984-8522

Moloka'i: P.O. Box 275, Kaunakakai, HI 96748 Tel: 553-5541

Internet: www.hawaii.gov/tax/tax.htm

For all state tax-related questions. Web site contains forms that can be downloaded.

Tri-Isle Resource Conservation and Development Council, Inc.

U.S. Department of Agriculture

210 Imi Kala Street, Ste. 208, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 244-3100 Fax: 242-7005

Assists communities in planning for future conditions and securing funding for community-based projects; promotes economic and community development; preservation of natural resources and improvement of the environment.

Worksource Maui

2064 Wells Street, Suite 108, Wailuku, HI 96793

Tel: 984-2091, Fax: 984-2090

Molokai: 55 Makaena Street, Kaunakakia, HI 96748

Tel: (808) 553-1755, Fax (808) 553-1754

VII. OTHER COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

Local service organizations make an important contribution to a better life throughout all of Maui County. Entrepreneurs starting a business can also use this directory to locate the many types of existing service organizations and hopefully support them by joining and lending their business expertise and talent.

Ahupua`a of Maui Island, 773 Kawananakoa St., Wailuku, HI 96793
Alliance for the Heritage of East Maui, PO Box 455, Hana, HI 96713
American Association of University Women (AAUW), Maui Branch 572-0901,
2710 Iolani St., Pukalani, HI 96768, www.aauw.org
Boys Girls Club Central Clubhouse, 270 7981, 100 Kanaloa Ave., Wailuku, HI
96793
Business & Professional Women's Club Maui
Decisions Maui, 416 Alio St., Lahaina, HI 96761
Filipino Chamber of Commerce, 782 Wailupe Drive, Wailuku, HI 96793
Haiku Community Association, 572-8787
Haleakala Lions Club, PO Box 6297, Kahului, HI 96732
Haliimaile Community Association, 37 Paihua St., Haliimaile, HI 96787
Hana Community Association, PO Box 202, Hana, HI 96713
Japanese Chamber of Commerce, c/o Lloyd Kimura, 242-9100
Japanese Cultural Society of Maui, www.jcsmaui.com
Kahakuloa Community Association, 3499 Kahekili Hwy, Wailuku, HI 96793
Kahului Filipino Community Association, Central Pacific Bank, Kahului, HI
96732
Kahului Lions Club, PO Box 4060, Kahului, HI 96733
Kahului Town Association, 117 W. Papa Avenue, Kahului, HI 96732
Kanaio Community Association, PO Box 918, Kula, HI 96790
Kaupo Community Association, H.C.I. Box 253, Hana, HI 96713
Kihei Community Association, 879-5390, PO Box 662, Kihei, HI 96753,
Kihei Lions Club, PO Box 982, Kihei, HI 96753
Kiwanis Club of Kahului, 242-6102, www.kahuluikiwanis.com
Kiwanis Club of Maui, www.kiwanisclubofmaui.org
Korean Community Association, 740 East Kuiaha Road, Haiku, HI 96708
Kula Community Association, 878-1342, PO Box 417, Kula, HI 96790
Kumu A`o, PO Box 814, Wailuku, HI 96793
Lahaina Town Action Committee, 667-9175, 648 Wharf St., Ste. 102, Lahaina,
HI 96761, www.visitlahaina.com, Email: info@visitlahaina.com
Lumana`i O Samoa I Maui, 93 West Papa Avenue, Kahului, HI 96732
Maalaea Community Association, 150 Hauoli St. #203, Wailuku, HI 96793
Makawao Main Street Association, PO Box 1712, Makawao, HI 96768
Makena Community Association, 193 Makena Road, Kihei, HI 96753
Marshallese Association of Maui, 385 Konahea St., Wailuku, HI 96793
Maui Business & Professional Women's Club, 244-9574
Maui Chinese School Cultural Club, Kahului Shopping Ctr. Kahului, HI 96732
Maui Contractors' Association, 871-5733, 319 Ano St., Kahului, HI 96732
Maui County Bar Association, 244-2390, PO Box 116, Wailuku, HI 96793

Maui County Library Association, 873-3098, PO Box 2934, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Maui Fijian Association, PO Box 2161, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Maui Guild of Media Artists 879-0439, 940 S. Kihei Rd., #B101, Kihei, HI 96753, www.mauimedia.org
 Maui Japanese Community Association, 1885 Main St., #404, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Maui Korean Community Association, 129 Holau Place, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Maui Lions Club, 572-8590, 132 Ikea St., Pukalani, HI 96768
www.maulionsclubhi.lionwap.org
 Maui Okinawa Cultural Center, 688 Nukuwai Place, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Maui Portuguese Cultural Club, PO Box 4035, Kahului, HI 96732
 Maui Puerto Rican Association, PO box 791057, Paia, HI 96779
 Maui Safety Association, 877-6905
 Maui Tomorrow, PO Box 429, Makawao, HI 96768
 Maui Tongan Association, PO Box 5103, Kahului, HI 96732
 Maui Visitors Bureau, 244-3530
 Maui Wedding Association, 573-3337, PO Box 684, Kihei, HI 96753
 Maui Young Business Roundtable, 242-6102, www.maiyoungbusiness.com
 Mediation Services of Maui Inc., 244-5744
 Mediation Services of Molokai, (808) 553-3844
 Molokai Visitors Association, 808-553-3876, PO Box 960, Kaunakakai, HI 96748, www.molokai-hawaii.com
 Na Kupuna O Maui, 320 Kaeo St., Lahaina, HI 96761
 Napili Hau Community Association, 5170 Hanawai St., Lahaina, HI 96761
 Olinda Community Association, 528-A Olinda Road, Makawao, HI 96768
 Paukukalo Community Association, 773 Kawananakoa St., Wailuku, HI 96793
 Portuguese Association of Maui, PO box 838, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Pukalani Community Association, PO Box 880323, Pukalani, HI 96788
 Realtors® Association of Maui, Inc., 873-8585, 441 Ala Makani Place, Kahului, HI 96732, Internet: www.mauiboard.com
 Rotary Club of Kahului, 1923 E. Vineyard St. #A, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Rotary Club of Kihei Sunrise, 2724 Puu Hoolai St., Kihei, HI 96753
 Rotary Club of Kihei-Wailea, PO Box 2010, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Rotary Club of Lahaina Sunrise, 817 Ho`okahua St., Lahaina, HI 96768
 Rotary Club of Lahaina, 150 Hauoli St. #203, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Rotary Club of Maui, 72 Aulii Place, Makawao, HI 96768
 Rotary Club of Wailuku, 69 Market St., Wailuku, HI 96793
 Rotary Club of Upcountry Maui, 2740 Kiholani St., #11, Pukalani, HI 96768
 Soroptimist International - Maui, PO Box 1514, Kahului, HI 96733
 Soroptimist International-West Maui, PO Box 672, Lahaina, HI 96767
 Sprecklesville Community Association, 306 Paani Place, Paia, HI 96779
 United Way-Maui, 244-8787, 1727-A Wili Pa Loop, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Waihee Community Association, R. R. 1, Box 88, Wailuku, HI 96793
 Waikapu Community Association, 61 Ili-Kupono St., Wailuku, HI 96793
 Wailea Community Association, 555 Kaukahi St., Suite 214, Kihei, HI 96753
 Wailuku Main Street Association/Tri-Isle Main St. Resource Center, 244-3888, 2035 Main St., Suite 1, Wailuku, HI 96793, www.mauitowns.org
 West Maui Filipino Association, 810 Niheu Place, Lahaina, HI 96761
 West Maui Taxpayers Association, PO Box 10338, Lahaina, HI 96761