

EDA'S IMPACT

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN HAWAII

THIS DATA REFLECTS EDA INVESTMENTS FROM 2018 –EARLY 2024

EDA INVESTMENT IN HAWAII

37
Awards

\$54.81M+
EDA Investment

EXPECTED IMPACT ACCORDING TO GRANTEE ESTIMATES¹

1,693
Jobs Created
or Retained

\$51.71M+
Private Investment

THESE PROJECTS INCLUDED²

INVESTMENT	PROGRAM	# OF AWARDS
\$8.58M+	Construction	4
\$22.61M+	Workforce Training and Development	8
\$1.70M	Manufacturing/ Advanced Manufacturing	7
\$4.74M+	Disaster Supplemental (all years)	3
\$5.35M	CARES Act	5
\$39.75M+	American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)	7
\$300k	STEM Talent Challenge	1
\$1.03M+	Build to Scale	3

EXAMPLE PROJECT

In FY2021, EDA awarded **\$1,838,634 in Economic Adjustment Assistance – FY2019 Disaster Supplemental funds to support the Natural Energy Lab of Hawaii** with building on the success of the pilot HATCH aquaculture accelerator program and developing a medium to long-term program to incubate additional aquaculture startups as well as host company building workshops in Hawaii County, Hawaii. The project will assist with recovery efforts from the Puna East Rift Zone lava eruption, which destroyed four acres of NELHA property.

“EDA was the first funding source that allowed us to do business in the islands. It was this initial source of money that allowed us to start and, from that point, grow and expand.”

Patti Chang, CEO, Feed the Hunger

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All data as of 2/23/2024; State totals are based on the location of the grantee; All dollar amounts rounded.

¹ Applicant estimated at the time of award.

² Projects may be counted multiple times across themes if they align to multiple themes.