

Coastal and Upland Wetland Restoration of Kahoolawe, HI (NAWCA U.S. Small Grants)

BACKGROUND

The purpose of this project is to enhance the temporary wetland sites at Keanakeiki and Lua 'O Kealialalo through the removal of invasive plants and out planting of natives. Activities are to be completed in partnership with the Maui Nui Seabird Recovery Project, the Protect Kaho'olawe 'Ohana Education Committee and KIRC community volunteers. Period of Performance runs from 2021-2023.

DELIVERABLES

- Remove invasive species
- Out plant native species
- Monitor through photo points

AWARD AMOUNT: \$100,000

FUNDER: North American Wetland Conservation Act - USFWS

HIGHLIGHTS

Deliverables are straight forward, and reporting is relatively minimal. Grant funding is spent on Materials and Supplies, Travel Costs, and a portion of PKO Access Fees.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

SPENT	BILLED	RECEIVED
\$32,780	\$0	\$0

PROJECT UPDATE: October 1st, 2022 – January 31st, 2023

One volunteer access trip was completed in November. Kiawe was chipped onsite at Keanakeiki.



The Pacific Whale Foundation volunteer group after clearing a grove of kiawe at Keanakeiki.