

# Marine Science Education and Training from a Hawaiian Perspective on Kahoʻolawe: A Pilot Program for Maui Youth (NOAA PIRO Grant)

#### BACKGROUND

This grant project focused on providing marine science students at high schools on Maui specialized curriculum with the help of the KIRC staff. The curriculum integrates Native Hawaiian knowledge and traditional practices with science-based approaches to marine resource conservation and management, all done to encourage more local students into the field of marine sciences and resources management. **Grant Life: Nov. 2019- Oct. 2021** 

## **DELIVERABLES**

- 24 hours of student workshop contact time.
- 16 students and 2 teachers will be able to access Kaho'olawe.
- Staff will emphasize the importance of the science-based management of the Kahoʻolawe Island Reserve marine ecosystem through the use of local and traditional Native Hawaiian knowledge.

**AWARD AMOUNT: \$15,000.00** 

**FUNDER**: NOAA-Pacific Island Regional Office (PIRO)

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

• Completion of grant

#### FINANCIAL UPDATE

 SPENT
 BILLED
 RECEIVED

 \$15,000.00
 \$0.00
 \$0.00

## PROJECT UPDATE: Reporting period February 2022 to June 2022

• All deliverables have been met over this reporting period and staff is currently working with DLNR Fiscal office to complete the reimbursement process.





