



NEWS RELEASE

Media Video Recap: https://1drv.ms/v/s!Ajwp12dgjkj8ryptYNP_HHP_5wYkn?e=CubAqd

Hawai'i Rotary steps it up for Mother Earth by recruiting volunteers to clean up our island home.

Aiea, Hawai'i, April 22, 2023 — On this day, Mother Earth is clearly urging a call to action. For the past 50 years, Earth Day has been celebrated annually on April 22nd by billions of people around the globe to join together in promoting awareness for the health of our environment.

Throughout our Island home, members of Hawai'i Rotary coordinated community service projects to care for the 'āina.

On Oahu, the Rotary Club of Hickam Pearl Harbor joined efforts with the City and County of Honolulu to clean up the Pearl Harbor Historic Trail, a 10.5 mile out-and-back trail. A popular trail for road biking, running, and walking, this annual event brings together volunteers from various offices and organizations, including Hawai'i Rotary, Hawai'i Bicycle League, Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit (HART), Council Member Radiant Cordero, ALTRES, and many more.

The Rotary Club of Hickam Pearl Harbor is one of 53 Rotary clubs in the state that host community service projects throughout the islands and the public is invited to attend. For more information visit www.RotaryInHawaii.org.

Rotary members throughout the world take action to make communities better. They contribute their time, energy, and passion to carry out meaningful and sustainable projects that promote peace, fight disease, provide clean water, help mothers and children, support education, and grow local economies.

About Rotary

Rotary brings together a global network of community leaders dedicated to tackling the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges. We connect 1.4 million members from more than 35,000 Rotary clubs in almost every country in the world. Their service improves lives both locally and internationally, from helping those in need in their own communities to working toward a polio-free world.

Visit Rotary.org and endpolio.org for more about Rotary and its efforts to eradicate polio.

About Hawai'i Rotary District 5000

Rotary in Hawai'i has approximately 1,500 member Rotarians in 53 Clubs located on the islands of Oahu, Maui, Lanai, Kauai, and Hawaii Island. We are a part of 1.2 million Rotarians across the globe, comprised of neighbors, friends, and community leaders who are creating positive, lasting change in our communities and around the world. Our diverse occupations, cultures, and experiences give us a unique perspective. Our shared passion for service helps us



accomplish remarkable feats. Through our programs for emerging leaders, we're also helping young people get the skills and experience they need to make a real difference in the lives of others. We offer both service clubs and programs to help students and young professionals strengthen their leadership skills, expand their world understanding, and make new friends. **For more information about Rotary in Hawaii, go to rotaryinhawaii.org.**

###

CONTACT: JOSHUA LAGUANA
ROTARY CLUB OF HICKAM PEARL HARBOR
808-223-7156
ROTARYHPH.ORG