

## Outstanding Efforts:

Spring 2012, Hau'oli Mau Loa Foundation received the Hawai'i Green Business Program Award for outstanding efforts to reduce, reuse, and recycle as well as promoting sustainability. The Foundation's mission includes "...promoting preservation, protection and stewardship of our natural resources." The Hau'oli Mau Loa Foundation offices' recent renovation, culminating in the achievement of LEED Platinum certification in 2011, has helped to inspire sustainability in Hawai'i.

## Energy Efficiency & Water Conservation:

- Achieved 90% penetration of office space with natural light
- Installation of high-efficiency lighting fixtures, daylighting controls, occupancy sensors for both lighting and A/C
- Installed light shelf, translucent partitions and lightened surfaces for optimal light dispersion
- Implemented green procurement of Energy Star appliances and equipment
- Staff and tenant training on energy conservation using variable A/C and lighting controls
- Window retrofit lowered cooling costs by reducing solar heat gain
- Installation of daylight sensors for all interior light fixtures
- 43% reduction in water use through instituting green cleaning practices and higher efficiency fixtures
- Reduced electricity usage by 18,500 kWh which is equal to 32,000 lbs. of CO<sub>2</sub> averted

## **Recycling & Waste Reduction Practices:**

- Implemented a recycling program which includes cardboard, paper, food waste, glass, aluminum, and e-waste
- Reduced construction waste by retaining existing walls and ceilings
- Promoted sustainable design with recycled and rapidly renewable content for partitions, flooring, countertops, and furnishings
- Collaborated with the local youth of Ma Ka Hana Ka 'Ike to create a reception mural comprised of reclaimed wood
- Recycling of construction waste and reuse of existing materials resulted in a diversion of 75% of landfill bound waste

## A Progressive Future Outlook:

- Hau'oli Mau Loa Foundation has a grantmaking program that targets the prevention of invasive species in Hawai`i; in 2012 the Foundation began expanding career pathways for Hawai`i's youth to careers in environmental resource management
- In partnership with Hawai'i Architecture, the Foundation is actively raising awareness through public outreach tours of its LEED Platinum offices