

**Invitation to Apply
County of Maui
Department of Housing & Human Concerns
Grant Application (FY2023 & FY2024)**

In an effort to meet the needs of Maui County residents, all qualified private non-profit and for-profit organizations providing or planning to provide services and programs in the areas of social welfare, youth services, alcohol and substance abuse, homelessness, youth centers and other public service programs within Maui County are invited to submit a Grant Application to the Department of Housing and Human Concerns (DHHC).

Funding periods:

FY2023 (July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023) and

FY2024 (July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024)

Grant Fund Categories:

- Acculturation
- Affordable Rental Housing
- Early Childhood Programs
- Food, Shelter and Safety
- Health, Human Services and Education
- Homeless Programs
- Self-Sufficiency Programs
- Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment
- Youth Centers and Programs
- Animal Management (sheltering, enforcement and spay/neuter)*

** This does NOT include feral animal control programs. See qualifying requirements for enforcement and spay/neuter programs below.*

Qualifying Requirements for Applicants:

- Must be a profit organization incorporated under the laws of the State of Hawaii, or a nonprofit organization determined to be exempt from federal income tax by the Internal Revenue Service.
- In case of a nonprofit organization, have a governing board whose members have no material conflict of interest and serve without compensation.
- Have bylaws or policies which describe the manner in which business is conducted. Such bylaws or policies shall include provisions relating to nepotism and management potential conflict-of-interest situations.
- Be licensed and accredited in accordance with applicable requirements of federal, state, and county governments, as necessary.

Grant Application Submission:

Qualified organizations wishing to submit a request for grant funds are required to use the DHHC Grant Application (FY2023 & FY2024) forms.

Grant Applications will be reviewed by the DHHC, and a list will be compiled and forwarded to the Mayor's office for consideration in the Mayor's FY 2023 Budget Proposal to the Maui County Council during the annual budget hearings process.

Applications Available: August 1, 2021

Online at <https://www.mauicounty.gov/252/Grants-Management-Division>. A request can also be made to have an application emailed by calling 270-7807 or emailing grants.hhc@mauicounty.gov.

Applications DUE: No Later Than August 31, 2021

Hand delivered applications: Must be received by the DHHC/GMD at 2200 Main St, Ste 547, Wailuku, Maui, **No Later Than: 4:30 p.m. on August 31, 2021.**

Mailed applications: Must be sent to the DHHC, Grants Management Division at 200 South High Street, Wailuku, Hawaii, 96793 and postmarked **No Later Than: August 31, 2021.**

Late applications and incomplete applications will not be considered.

Animal Management Program

General Information

Maui County is mandated to establish and maintain an animal management shelter and supplemental program services pursuant to Title 6 of the Maui County Code and Section 711-1109 Hawaii Revised Statutes (H.R.S.) regarding the shelter, care, and prevention of cruelty to old, homeless, abandoned, sick, or injured animals. *This does not include feral animal control programs. A separate invitation to apply will be announced for feral animal control programs.

Qualifying Standards

ANIMAL ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM

In order to qualify for funding consideration, all applicants for the Maui Animal Enforcement Program must meet the following minimum qualifications: Must have at least ten (10) years of qualified experience in the oversight and enforcement of laws and regulations governing animal sheltering, dispositions, and cruelty prevention.

- Must have a secure and verifiable organization fiscal track record which meets all County audit and other fiscal accountability requirements.
- Must have the capacity to immediately assume and perform and enforcement of laws & regulations governing animal protection and control, as well as supplemental areas of responsibility, to include emergency after-hours services for injured animals.
- Must be fully and immediately capable of providing adequate animal management enforcement personnel certified in animal related law enforcement, emergency response and care, enforcement vehicles capable of safely transporting numerous animals and radio dispatch operations in conjunction and cooperation with State and County of Maui law enforcement, fire, and other emergency and operational governmental entities.
- Must be capable of providing general community education and awareness information regarding animal related topics, services, trends, and/or events with direct bearing on community health and safety.
- Must be qualified to study and make recommendations on the feral animal situation on Maui.

SPAY/NEUTER PROGRAM

In order to qualify for funding consideration, all applicants for the Maui Spay/Neuter Program must meet the following minimum qualifications:

- Must be able to efficiently and effectively operate a low cost community spay/neuter program for cats and dogs which may include feral cat population.
- Must have a clinic and licensed veterinarian/s to perform spay/neuter surgeries or must be able to partner with Maui veterinarians to assist with large spay/neuter initiatives.
- Must be able to promote spay/neuter services to the community through education and outreach.

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND HUMAN CONCERNS
GRANTS MANAGEMENT DIVISION
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