

Honouliuli Watershed Makai Restoration

Restoring Abundance Through Community Empowerment and Partnerships



Project Overview: Hui o Ho`ohonua - a community networking non-profit has activated the community to restore the makai section of the Honouliuli Watershed at Kapapahu Point Park. This effort, supported by multiple funders partners, local schools, military volunteers and neighbors has drawn over 18,000 community volunteers. Together we've cleared over 12 acres of invasive mangrove, replanted native vegetation - reigniting pride of place and hope. The amazing Field Restoration Tech crew and our community volunteers are witnessing the restoration of abundance to a place that once fed thousands. Innovative collaboration, diving into 'ike kūpuna (ancestral Kānaka Maoli knowledge) and demanding work in the sun/rain/mud have opened the shoreline of Pu`uloa to positive, community-driven change!

We believe this holistic, sustainable approach is providing an innovative pathway to restoring the region to `āina momona - thriving land, thriving people.

