

**Department of Accounting and General Services State Procurement Office** 

Hawaii Awards and Notices Data System (HANDS)

Application Review

August 07, 2025







Background



Challenges & Objectives



Solution



Metrics & Successes



# (i) Background

- The State Procurement Office Hawaii Awards & Notice data system combines multiple procurement platforms and procurement requests into a centralized location
- Bidding Opportunities are classified by Island and Nationwide
- Contract Awards are grouped based on Category (Construction, Goods, Goods, Services & Construction, Health and Human Services, Services, Goods & Services, Professional Services)
- CPO (Chief Procurement Officer) requests for the Executive Branch are organized by procurement Type (Exemption 103F, 103D, Emergency, Crisis, Sole Source, Restrictive)
- Launched in 2017, the Hawaii Awards & Notices Data System continues to get updates including managing and tracking Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE) status, Contractor Performance, as well as small business registration



### Initial Challenges

- Procurement requests were documented in two legacy systems
   Professional Services Awards Database and Procurement Awards and Notices Database
- Buyers posted requests in multiple places/sites while tracking bidding opportunities on multiple procurement platforms

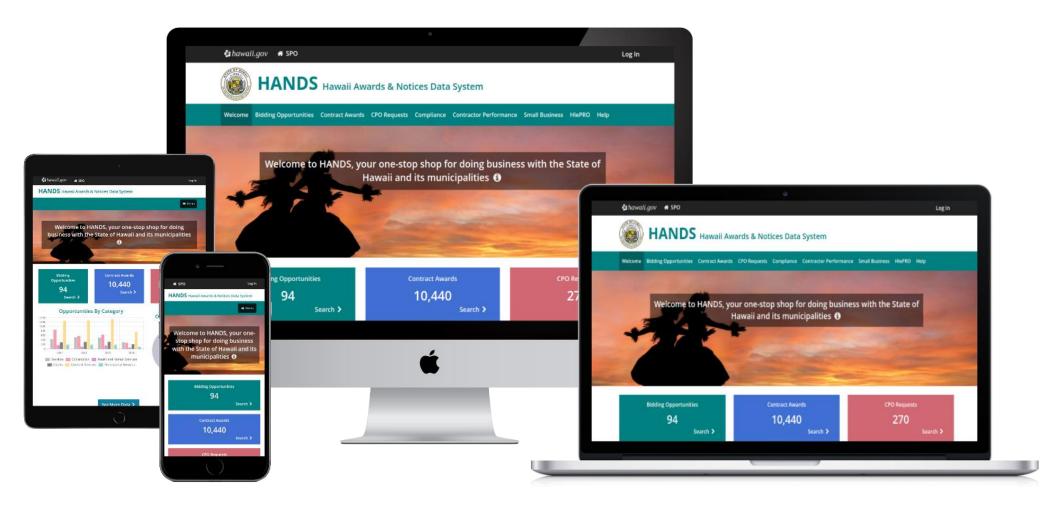
### Objectives

- Create a single source of truth for viewing, bidding, and managing procurement requests
- Seach procurement opportunities and awards from various jurisdictions throughout the state



- The Hawaii Awards Notices Data System connects the public to Hawaii's state and counties' opportunities
- Public users / vendors can:
  - Search for opportunities to do business with the state or county
  - Browse notice solicitations and awards
  - Register to be a part of the State's small business registration
- Procurement staff can:
  - Submit procurement request
  - Post new solicitations
  - Post, amend, and cancel award notices







**Bidding Opportunities** 



This page displays an up to date listing of notices for solicitations, requests for information, and other solicitation notices used to assist in the procurement of goods, services, construction, professional services and health and human services throughout the State and its municipalities. •

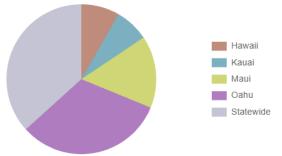
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### Opportunities by Island





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### **Contract Awards**

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**HANDS** Hawaii Awards & Notices Data System

Welcome Bidding Opportunities Contract Awards CPO Requests Compliance Contractor Performance Small Business HlePRO Help

Contract Awards: 10,469 Awards

This page displays the notice of awards for procurements done by the State and its municipalities. These are Award Notices ONLY, procurement records are maintained by the agency that conducted the solicitation.

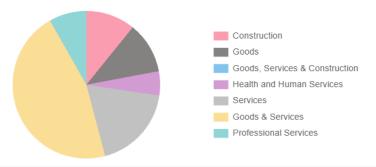
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### **Award Amounts by Category**

(Based on the last 12 months)





Compliance Tracking

**Small Business Registration** 

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#### Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE)

Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE), the State's online compliance portal and easiest way to provide proof of compliance for awarded State and County contracts. Pursuant to HRS 103D-310(c) proof of compliance is required at the time of award and for final payment of contracts and procurements of \$2,500 or more for the Executive Branch (\$25,000 for other Jurisdictions).

Hawaii Compliance Express is an optional program, all vendors retain the rights to provide paper documentation form the required departments. Original paper documents are only good for 6 months from effective stamp. Compliance certificates through HCE are available anytime for one calendar year. Awarding agencies will be able to pull their own HCE certificate alleviating this burden from vendors.

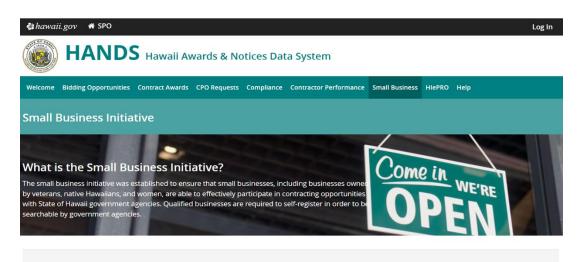
The only requirement to start the HCE process is an FEIN/SSN and a valid credit card to process the \$12\$ annual subscription. Please view the <u>HCE FAQs</u> for more information.

#### Log in to myHawaii

Log in to access protected services.

If you don't have an eHawaii.gov or myHawaii Single Sign On (SSO) account, you can sign up on the myHawaii login page. After your initial login, you may need to enter additional information.

Go to SSO login



#### How to Register

- 1. Verify that your business meets the <u>size standards for a small business</u> established by the Small Business Administration.
- 2. Create an myHawaii Account. Watch the Create Account video to learn how.
- 3. Complete the small business registration form.

Start a New Registration >



## Metrics & Successes

Benefits

Single site to access all information relevant to procurement



\$4,953,681,136

Contract Awards Amounts in FY2024

\$5,435,282,716

Contract Awards
Amounts in FY2023



3,114

Bidding Opportunities in FY2024

2,963

Bidding Opportunities in FY2023

Additional data can be found in the site directly at https://hands.ehawaii.gov/hands/data



## What's next?

Plans for future process review and improvement

- Update Hawaii Compliance Express (HCE)
- Integrate Aloha eBuys







### NOTE

As part of the ehawaii.gov program's bi-monthly AHC meetings, an application review of a service is presented by Tyler Technologies.

For more information, access https://ahc.ehawaii.gov/overview/

