

# Workforce Development Division Report

MVAC Meeting April 20, 2023

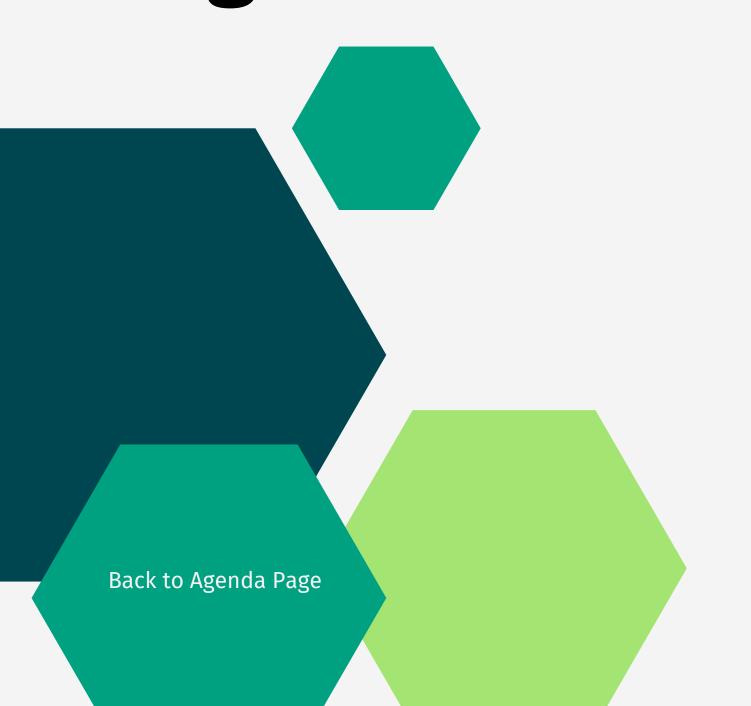


#### Federal Job Fair April 11, 2023 Keehi Lagoon Memorial Park



- 27 Federal Agencies participated
- 600+ job seekers attended
- Included 150+ veterans/TSMs
- Collaboration with Federal Executive Board, WDD, Work for Warriors, and others

## Hele Imua State Internship Program



85 Interns to date w/more scheduled to start

Variety of occupations: e.g., IT Specialist, HR Assistant, Accountant, Engineer, Marketing Specialist, Housing Coordinator

Agencies: Office of the Governor, Departments of Ag, Land, Defense, Labor, Budget & Finance, Public Safety, etc.

### Federal QUEST Grant

- \$10.5 million
- Serving marginalized communities including dislocated workers, vets
- Purpose: Build economic resiliency through more stable employment in quality jobs
- Service providers: Counties of Hawaii,
   Maui, and City; WDD Branches
- Internships with state, county, a sector
- Contracts being developed



### KAUAI JOB FAIR April 12, 2023 War Memorial Convention Center

60 private /government employers

4 apprenticeship programs: Plumbers, Carpenters, Drywall/Painters, Roofers

E.g, Hawaiian Air, Southwest Air, Hawaii Business Supply, USPS, State Tax Dept

Collaboration with County Office of Economic Development

135 jobseekers

Next Job Fair October 11, 2023