

NOTICE TO OFFERORS
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The Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR), Division of Forestry and Wildlife (DOFAW), is soliciting proposals to implement watershed management plans negotiated with private landowners. The State of Hawaii is investing in the management and protection of important forested watershed areas as an efficient and economical way to ensure a sustainable supply of water. Managing these areas now, before forests have become degraded, is less expensive and difficult than trying to restore them once they are gone. A copy of the Request for Proposals (RFP WP17) may be downloaded from the State Procurement Office (SPO) website (<http://spo3.hawaii.gov/notices/notices>).

Sealed proposals will be received by the Division of Forestry and Wildlife via a Web Portal Application Form <https://webportalapp.com/appform/login/hawaiidl nrwatershed> and must be received by 4:00 pm (Hawai'i Standard Time-HST) on August 26, 2016 as evidenced by the date and time registered by the State of Hawai'i email system. Anything received after this time and date will not be considered and will be returned to the applicant unopened. There are no exceptions to this requirement. Notification of grant award or denial will be made according to dates outlined in the RFP.

The State reserves the right to cancel or modify this RFP at any time and reject any and all proposals or to waive any defect, when in its opinion, such cancellation, rejection or waiver will be in the best interests of the State of Hawai'i. The State of Hawai'i assumes no financial responsibility in the preparation of any responses to this RFP.

Written (mail) inquiries regarding this RFP should be directed to Katie Ersbak at the Division of Forestry and Wildlife office, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 325, Honolulu, HI 93813, by phone at 808-587-4189, or email Katie.C.Ersbak@hawaii.gov. The deadline to submit written questions regarding this RFP is August 1, 2016.



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