

Status of Federal Emergency Relief Funds

March 2, 2023

Committee on Budget and Finance



 This presentation updates information previously presented to the Board on the Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF) to UH as part of federal coronavirus response funding:

HEERF Status Reports to Board of Regents										
March 2023										
September 2022	June 2021									
June 2022	March 2021									
November 2021	November 2020									

• This update includes all expenditures reported in conformance with federal reporting guidance through December 31, 2022. These reports are also available online (https://www.hawaii.edu/offices/government-relations/cares-act-grant-funds/).



Three COVID Response Bills

- Three COVID response packages that are providing funding to UH:
- CARES Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act
 - Signed into law on March 27, 2020.
- 2. CRRSAA Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act
 - Signed into law on December 27, 2020.
- 3. ARPA American Rescue Plan Act
 - Signed into law on March 11, 2021.

The HEERF is the formula-funded support in all three packages; these are sometimes referred to as HEERF I, II and III.



Three Tranches of HEERF

- HEERF exists in each of the three coronavirus response packages, and within HEERF are three tranches, or groups of funds.
- CARES established the three tranches, but CRRSAA and ARPA added to and extended the deadlines for each tranche rather than create new tranches.

Tranche 1 (Student Grants) is to "...provide emergency financial aid grants to students for expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus including eligible expenses under a student's cost of attendance, such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and child care."

Tranche 2 (Institutional Portion) may be used to "...cover any costs associated with significant changes to the delivery of instruction due to the coronavirus, so long as such costs do not include payment to contractors for the provision of preenrollment recruitment activities; endowments; or capital outlays associated with facilities related to athletics, sectarian instructions, or religious worship."

Tranche 3 (Minority-Serving Institutions) may be used to "...defray expenses (including lost revenue, reimbursement for expenses already incurred, technology costs associated with a transition to distance education, faculty and staff training, payroll) incurred by institutions of higher education and for grants to students for any component of the student's cost of attendance including food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and child care."



HEERF Expenditure Summaries as of December 31, 2022

		Tranche	e 1	(Student Gra	nt	s)	Tranche 2 (Institutional)							Tranche 3 (Minority-Serving)					
Campus		Awarded		Expended	ı	Balance		Awarded		Expended		Balance		Awarded		Expended		Balance	
Mānoa	\$:	26,715,185	\$	26,715,185	\$	-	\$	33,290,037	\$	29,269,285	\$	4,020,752	\$	38,870,705	\$	36,663,805	\$	2,206,900	
Hilo	\$	7,554,430	\$	7,552,830	\$	1,600	\$	9,550,494	\$	7,868,353	\$	1,682,141	\$	11,142,949	\$	8,586,849	\$	2,556,100	
UHWO	\$	4,127,015	\$	4,127,015	\$	-	\$	5,372,842	\$	4,594,832	\$	778,010	\$	6,057,048	\$	3,352,042	\$	2,705,006	
HawCC	\$	3,493,518	\$	3,407,137	\$	86,381	\$	4,786,754	\$	3,556,112	\$	1,230,642	\$	5,217,215	\$	1,694,351	\$	3,522,864	
HonCC	\$	3,389,248	\$	3,388,348	\$	900	\$	4,764,747	\$	4,510,267	\$	254,480	\$	5,060,264	\$	3,330,395	\$	1,729,869	
KapCC	\$	5,954,955	\$	5,954,955	\$	-	\$	8,190,280	\$	4,946,465	\$	3,243,815	\$	8,811,090	\$	7,607,695	\$	1,203,395	
Kauai	\$	1,652,345	\$	1,652,345	\$	-	\$	2,369,121	\$	2,125,245	\$	243,876	\$	2,517,974	\$	1,836,790	\$	681,184	
LeeCC	\$	6,313,150	\$	6,307,864	\$	5,286	\$	8,729,648	\$	7,604,653	\$	1,124,995	\$	9,411,817	\$	6,142,834	\$	3,268,983	
Maui	\$	3,627,333	\$	2,932,853	\$	694,480	\$	5,000,469	\$	3,551,116	\$	1,449,353	\$	5,398,972	\$	3,503,680	\$	1,895,292	
WinCC	\$	1,874,950	\$	1,794,064	\$	80,886	\$	2,642,607	\$	2,399,069	\$	243,538	\$	2,768,347	\$	1,229,945	\$	1,538,402	
Total	\$	64,702,129	\$	63,832,596	\$	869,533	\$	84,696,999	\$	70,470,508	\$	14,226,491	\$	95,256,381	\$	73,948,387	\$	21,307,994	

- Of the total \$244.7 million awarded to UH, \$208.3 million has been expended or given as student grants as of December 31, 2022, with a remaining balance of \$36.4 million.
- The expected expiration date of these funds is June 30, 2023.
- UH has expended 99% of Tranche 1 funds, 83% from Tranche 2, and 78% of Tranche 3.



Federal Expenditure Reports

- Expenditure reports are provided to the federal government on a quarterly basis for all Tranches.
- There are 21 (up from 15 in prior reports) different expenditure categories to report for each tranche of funds from each of the campuses.
 - The Indirect Costs category was added to the June 30, 2022 reports and was previously reported in the Other category.
- The following slides present the data provided to the federal government from the latest report (as of December 31, 2022).
- Any defined categories that did not have expenditures by any campus have been removed from the list for brevity.



Use of Funds – Tranche 2 as of December 31, 2022

						Add'l Technology to			
Campus	St	tudent Grants	R	Reimbursements	Indirect Costs		Students		High Speed Internet
Mānoa	\$	-	\$	1,967,193	\$ 274,494	\$	-	\$	-
Hilo	\$	1,369,898	\$	-	\$ 307,411	\$	154,843	\$	-
UHWO	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 268,871	\$	368	\$	163,508
HawCC	\$	618	\$	-	\$ 271,271	\$	98,439	\$	-
HonCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 36,046	\$	-	\$	-
KapCC	\$	18,668	\$	-	\$ 541,027	\$	683,631	\$	-
Kauai	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 102,843	\$	11,164	\$	719
LeeCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 719,141	\$	385,747	\$	501,186
Maui	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 76,709	\$	15,980	\$	22,534
WinCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 124,291	\$	1,366	\$	26,574
Total	\$	1,389,184	\$	1,967,193	\$ 2,722,104	\$	1,351,538	\$	714,521

	Housing/Travel for		Additional Class	Campus Safety &	Add'l Instruction Eq
Campus	Density/Isolation	Food Service	Sections	Operations	& Supplies
Mānoa	\$ 603,536	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,744,888	\$ -
Hilo	\$ -	\$ 1,254	\$ -	\$ 665,363	\$ 11,901
UHWO	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 47,602	\$ 476,480
HawCC	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 163,124	\$ 555,442
HonCC	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 737,198	\$ 43,300
KapCC	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 581,315	\$ 910,937
Kauai	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 50,970	\$ 8,355
LeeCC	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 289,194	\$ 1,092,032	\$ 826,206
Maui	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 41,734	\$ 342,235	\$ -
WinCC	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 48,350	\$ 231,147	\$ 105,230
Total	\$ 603,536	\$ 1,254	\$ 379,278	\$ 6,655,874	\$ 2,937,850



Use of Funds – Tranche 2 as of December 31, 2022 (continued)

				Lost Non-tuition			Eq for Distance	Coronavirus			
Campus	Lost Tuition Revenue		Revenue			Training	Learning		Monitoring		
Mānoa	\$	-	\$	5,320,747	\$	2,741	\$ 1,362,297	\$	280,442		
Hilo	\$	2,280,000	\$	-	\$	92,540	\$ 2,028,501	\$	56,756		
UHWO	\$	1,782,057	\$	-	\$	34,024	\$ 639,832	\$	17,636		
HawCC	\$	1,076,933	\$	25	\$	38,764	\$ 675,349	\$	4,250		
HonCC	\$	1,354,317	\$	102,806	\$	10,943	\$ 973,255	\$	79,961		
KapCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	782,641	\$ 324,075	\$	-		
Kauai	\$	179,377	\$	-	\$	22,695	\$ 219,203	\$	206,160		
LeeCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	86,217	\$ 1,922,203	\$	843,809		
Maui	\$	1,147,608	\$	1,383,036	\$	42,622	\$ 130,818	\$	21,309		
WinCC	\$	723,326	\$	277,274	\$	7,682	\$ 179,317	\$	194,275		
Total	\$	8,543,618	\$	7,083,888	\$	1,120,870	\$ 8,454,850	\$	1,704,598		

	N	Mental Health	Ou	treach to Fin				
Campus		Resources	Ai	Aid Applicants		Lost Revenue	Other	Total
Mānoa	\$	172,600	\$	-	\$	14,401,184	\$ 2,139,163	\$ 29,269,285
Hilo	\$	-	\$	7,087	\$	-	\$ 892,799	\$ 7,868,353
UHWO	\$	-	\$	-	\$	377,743	\$ 786,711	\$ 4,594,832
HawCC	\$	23,781	\$	-	\$	(1,750)	\$ 649,876	\$ 3,556,122
HonCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	837,803	\$ 334,638	\$ 4,510,267
KapCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 1,104,171	\$ 4,946,465
Kauai	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,226,164	\$ 97,595	\$ 2,125,245
LeeCC	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 938,918	\$ 7,604,653
Maui	\$	83,760	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 242,771	\$ 3,551,116
WinCC	\$	10,358	\$	-	\$	381,747	\$ 88,132	\$ 2,399,069
Total	\$	290,499	\$	7,087	\$	17,222,891	\$ 7,274,774	\$ 70,425,408



Use of Funds – Tranche 3 as of December 31, 2022

						Tuition	Ad	d'l Technology to
Campus	Student Grants	Re	eimbursements	Indirect Costs		Discount	S	Students
Mānoa	\$ 6,578,259	\$	762,586	\$	2,285,629			
Hilo	\$ 3,048,153			\$	356,664		\$	70,704
UHWO				\$	273,262	\$ 24,372		
HawCC	\$ 83,812			\$	134,727			
HonCC	\$ 1,139,068			\$	356,021		\$	113,023
KapCC				\$	155		\$	3,474
Kauai	\$ 601,598			\$	158,944		\$	38,118
LeeCC	\$ 596,916			\$	286,051		\$	3,153
Maui	\$ 58,364			\$	567,779		\$	13,869
WinCC	\$ 384,201			\$	125,271		\$	128,743
Total	\$ 12,490,371	\$	762,586	\$	4,544,503	\$ 24,372	\$	371,084

			Additional Class	Campus Safety &	Add'l Instruction Eq
Campus	High Speed Internet	Food Service	Sections	Operations	& Supplies
Mānoa				\$ 124,307	
Hilo			\$ 3,625	\$ 316,716	\$ 2,209
UHWO				\$ 28,139	\$ 46,569
HawCC				\$ 29,946	\$ 429,646
HonCC			\$ 2,253	\$ 388,716	\$ 41,403
KapCC				\$ 27,612	\$ 15,521
Kauai	\$ 2,102		\$ 19,376	\$ 161,019	\$ 370,920
LeeCC	\$ 3,392	\$ 1,000	\$ 240,249	\$ 18,877	\$ 120,862
Maui	\$ 32,707	\$ 9,031	\$ 240,325	\$ 526,437	\$ 233,865
WinCC			\$ 29,395	\$ 50,487	\$ 14,819
Total	\$ 38,201	\$ 10,031	\$ 535,223	\$ 1,672,256	\$ 1,275,814



Use of Funds – Tranche 3 as of December 31, 2022 (continued)

			Lo	ost Non-tuition		E	q for Distance	Со	ronavirus
Campus	Los	st Tuition Revenue		Revenue	Training		Learning		onitoring
Mānoa	\$	6,162,344	\$	6,000,000	\$ -	\$	6,373,505	\$	209,237
Hilo			\$	1,402,291	\$ 10,404	\$	167,541	\$	10,823
UHWO					\$ 11,069	\$	220,394	\$	975
HawCC					\$ 77,017	\$	299,545	\$	21,038
HonCC					\$ 4,745	\$	826,451	\$	257,335
KapCC	\$	6,413,781			\$ 87,772				
Kauai					\$ 54,985	\$	190,732	\$	5,018
LeeCC	\$	2,465,955	\$	619,909	\$ 1,100	\$	288,767	\$	607,828
Maui					\$ 46,435	\$	35,548	\$	1,102,618
WinCC					\$ 121,960	\$	150,376	\$	104,662
Total	\$	15,042,080	\$	8,022,200	\$ 415,487	\$	8,552,859	\$	2,319,534

	Menta	al Health	Outread	ch to Fin					
Campus	Resources		Aid Applicants		Lost Revenue		(Other	Total
Mānoa	\$	228,346	\$	3,579	\$	7,648,170	\$	287,844	\$ 36,663,805
Hilo							\$	3,197,719	\$ 8,586,849
UHWO					\$	507,682	\$	2,239,581	\$ 3,352,042
HawCC	\$	52,595	\$	789	\$	207,582	\$	357,654	\$ 1,694,351
HonCC			\$	775			\$	200,605	\$ 3,330,395
KapCC			\$	1,172	\$	1,022,396	\$	35,813	\$ 7,607,695
Kauai	\$	77,246	\$	582			\$	156,150	\$ 1,836,790
LeeCC			\$	1,229	\$	(744)	\$	888,290	\$ 6,142,834
Maui	\$	42,605	\$	819			\$	593,278	\$ 3,503,680
WinCC	\$	37,528					\$	82,503	\$ 1,229,945
Total	\$	438,320	\$	8,945	\$	9,385,086	\$	8,039,436	\$ 73,948,387



From https://www.hawaii.edu/covid19/

The University of Hawai'i is updating its COVID-19 guidelines for the 10-campus system to reflect recent state and federal recommendations. The UH community will be notified when significant updates are made to the UH COVID-19 guidelines and web pages.

The University o providing a safer support staff.

There is a link from UH's main
COVID-19 page. This link will lead to
individual campus reports that follow
federal reporting requirements.
These reports are updated quarterly,
per federal guidelines.

Testing, Va

Testing sites: For state-approved testing locations, which include free testing options, go to https://hawaiicovid19.com/ and click on "testing."

Vaccination and booster sites:

- Hawai'i: hawaiicovid19.com/vaccine/
- National: www.vaccines.gov/search/

- Home
- COVID-19 Guidelines (updated 2022)
- Hawai'i COVID-19 Testing Sites
- COVID-19 Quarantine and Isolation Calculator
- COVID-19 Treatment Information
- COVID-19 Vaccinations and Boosters
 - Hawai'i Sites
 - National Sites
- UH financial aid campus information
- Emergency Financial Aid
- Travel Information
- Federal Emergency Relief Funds
- Mental Health Tips and Resources



- HEERF funds are one-time with no expectation of additional support beyond June 30, 2023.
- HEERF funds are to be used to address COVID-19 related costs and revenue shortfalls, including the need for enhanced student support.
- With a little less than half a year remaining for the expenditure of these funds, UH appears on track to expend these funds.