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Ke Kulanui o Hawai'i

David Lassner
President

September 3, 2024

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi, The Honorable Scott Saiki, Speaker
President and Members of the Senate and Members of the House of Representatives
Thirty-Second State Legislature Thirty-Second State Legislature
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

For your information and consideration, the University of Hawai'i is transmitting one copy of the Annual Report on the Hawaiian Early Learning Trust Fund (Section 304A-2356, Hawai'i Revised Statutes) as requested by the Legislature.

In accordance with Section 93-16, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, this report may be viewed electronically at: <https://www.hawaii.edu/offices/government-relations/2025-legislative-reports/>.

Should you have any questions about this report, please do not hesitate to contact Stephanie Kim at (808) 956-4250, or via e-mail at scskim@hawaii.edu.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'David Lassner'.

David Lassner
President

Enclosure

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI‘I SYSTEM ANNUAL REPORT



REPORT TO THE 2025 LEGISLATURE

Annual Report on the Hawaiian Early Learning
Trust Fund

HRS 304A-2356

September 2024

**Report to the Hawai'i State Legislature
Pursuant to
HRS §304A-2356**

The Governor signed into law Act 46, SLH 2020, which established the Hawaiian early learning trust fund (HELTF) for the University of Hawai'i at Hilo to expend moneys in the trust fund "for the purposes of Hawaiian early learning."

The legislation established that deposits into the fund would be comprised of:

1. Donations to the fund;
2. Appropriations made by the legislature to the fund;
3. Revenues regardless of their source; and
4. Earnings on moneys in the fund.

This report details the activities of the HELTF as required in accordance with HRS §304A-2356. For the period July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024, no moneys were deposited into this fund, and no expenditures of moneys were made from this fund.