



Hawai'i Emergency Management Agency

Legislative Climate Change Informational Briefing
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HI-EMA's Mission:
To help the Hawai'i 'ohana prepare for, mitigate against, respond to, and recover from disaster.

Preparedness - Mitigation - Response - Recovery



HI-EMA Core Values

Mālama: *To care for and protect*

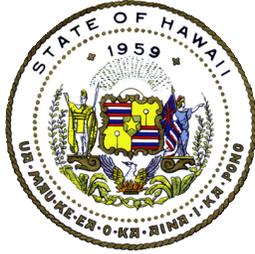


Po'okela: *Striving to undertake every action with excellence and ensuring continuous improvement*

Wiwo'ole: *Serving the people of Hawai'i with courage and fearlessness*

Kupono: *To be honest, fair transparent and open*

Laulima: *To cooperate and work successfully with others*



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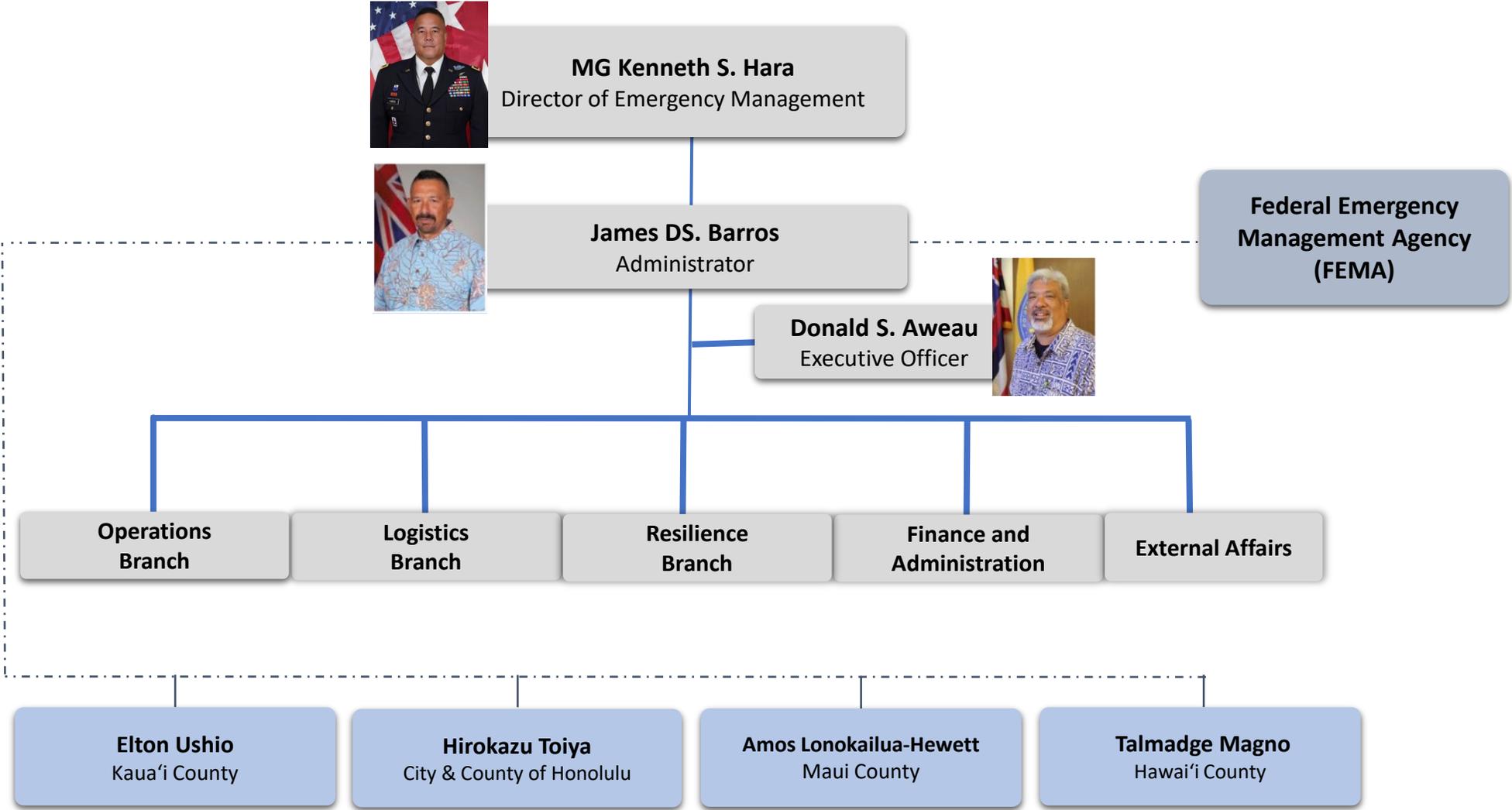
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Governor's Hazard Mitigation Strategy



Execute priority projects identified in County/State mitigation and recovery plans



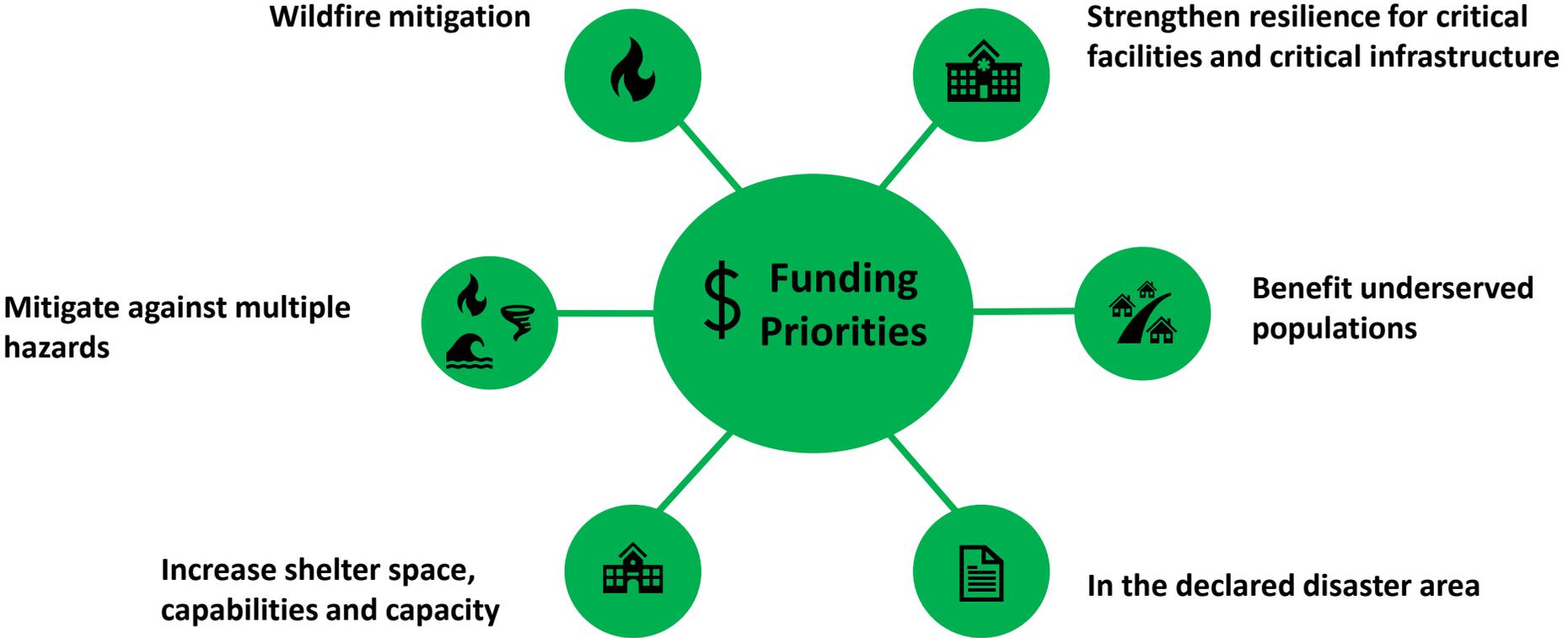
Multi-hazard projects utilizing nature-based solutions and emerging technologies



Reduce community long-term vulnerability to natural hazards



Governor's Hazard Mitigation Funding Priorities for DR-4724

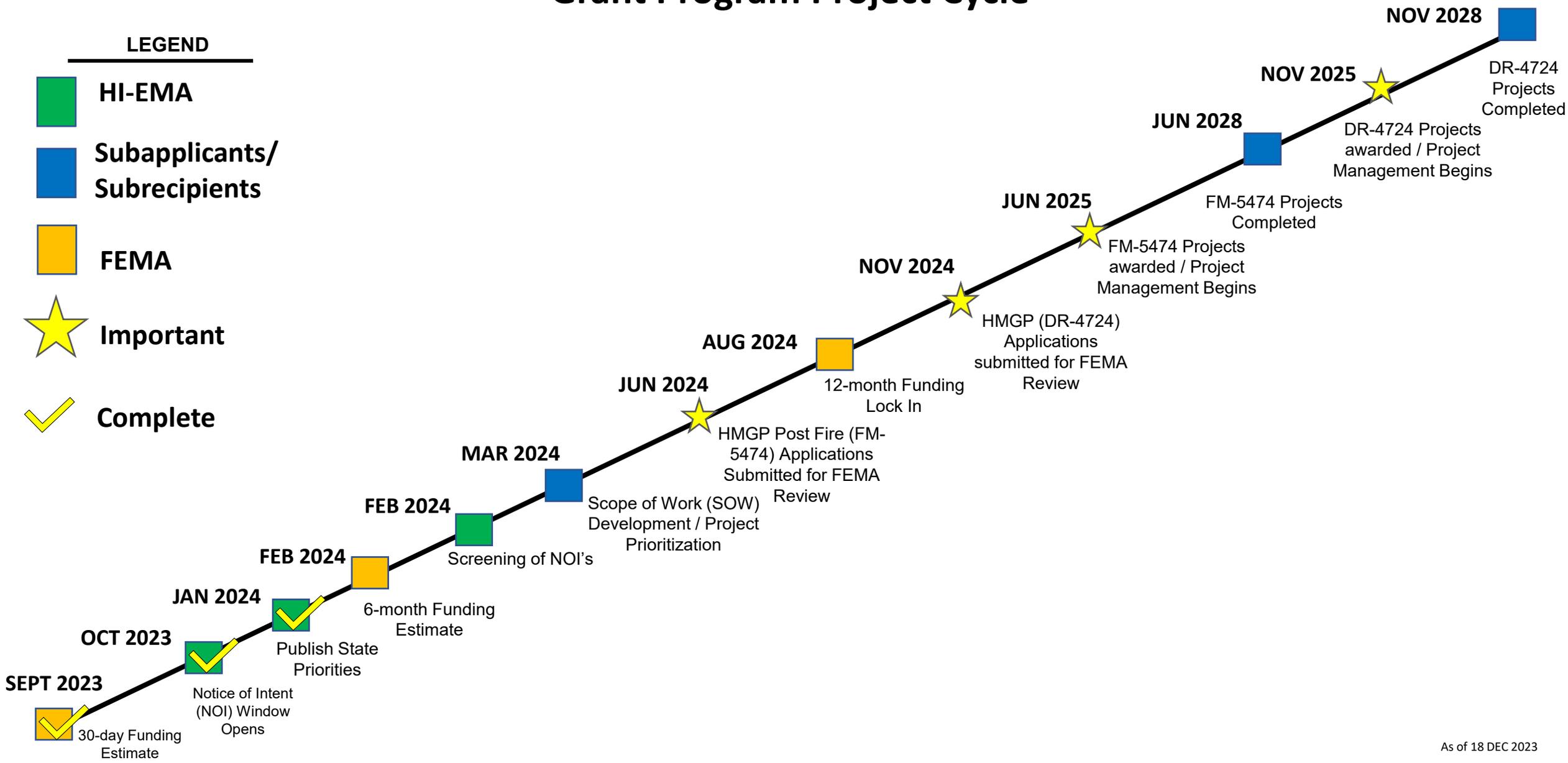




HI-EMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Project Cycle

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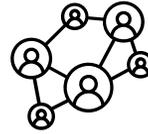
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- Subapplicants/
Subrecipients
- FEMA
- Important
- Complete



Community Outreach



Strengthen
partnerships



Develop
relationships with
partners



Build community
resilience hubs



Strengthen and
align operations
plan



Revamp HHARP 2.0





 **Enhance the resilience of your community**

 **Promote an understanding of multiple hazards and actions to be taken**

 **Leverage leading resources and best practices for disaster mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery**

 **Tap into cutting-edge tools to protect yourself, family, and loved ones**



Hawaii Hazards Awareness and Resilience Program

HHARP

Acting now to protect communities later.



Get involved!

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 <http://dod.hawaii.gov/hiema/resources/hharp>

HHARP is a program designed by the State of Hawaii to improve disaster resilience at the community level. Supported by subject-matter experts, communities complete a six-module program that promotes:

-  Awareness of Hawaii's hazards
-  Personal and family preparedness (build a kit, make a plan, protect property)
-  Understanding of risk and vulnerability
-  Identification of coping capacities and resources
-  Self-reliance in the immediate aftermath of a disaster





Questions?



Mahalo!

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