Hawaii Department of Transportation
Research, Development and Technology Transfer (RD&TT) Program

Who we are:

The Research and Technology Transfer Section (HWY-LR), Materials Testing and Research Branch (HWY-L), Highways Division (HWY), Hawaii Department of Transportation (HDOT), is responsible for overseeing the RD&TT Program.

How we are funded:

Program activities are funded primarily by SPR, Part II – Research and other Federal Funding (STIP, IBRC and Federal-Aid Construction Projects). Staff Labor is funded 100% by State Funds.

What we do:

Administer the federally mandated Research Program in accordance to CFR 23, Part 420, Subpart B - Research, Development and Technology Transfer Program. Majority of research projects are conducted by the University of Hawaii at Manoa.

Staff:

1 - Full-time engineer
2 - Part-time engineers
1 – Full-time technician.

Facilities:

The program and personnel are located at the same facilities as the Division’s Material Testing Facilities located at 2530 Likelike Highway, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Expertise:

None

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