

Planning for Tomorrow

We can manage our ocean resources on Maui today so that tomorrow's generations will enjoy and experience all that our ocean has to offer.

Together, we share kuleana to care for our ocean. *With your kōkua, Maui can establish a way forward to make sure there are enough fish to feed our families. We can ensure that fishes in Maui's nearshore waters are plentiful and thriving.*

Threats to our reefs — from pollution, overfishing, climate change, and poor land use practices — are being addressed by many community initiatives across our islands. As the State agency responsible for the unique aquatic resources and ecosystems, DAR is able to contribute to the larger effort by working with the community to address threats to nearshore resources.



The **Aloha+ Challenge** is a statewide public-private commitment to achieve Hawaii's social, economic, and environmental goals by 2030. One of its goals is to significantly increase the percentage of Hawaii's marine waters under effective management by 2030.



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For healthy fish and reef, what might our way forward look like?

Do nothing?

Voluntary measures?

Individual commitments to restrict or reduce catch.

Aquatic rules and regulations?

State laws and rules pertaining to marine resources in Hawai'i. Not always specific to an island or place.

Marine management areas?

An area where specific fishing rules or regulations apply.

An integrated network of management?

Connected and thoughtful placement of regulations, management, enforcement and long-term monitoring to inform adaptive management.



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