



Council for Native Hawaiian Advancement

A Nonprofit Hawaii Corporation

Founded in 2001

*To Enhance the Cultural, Economic &
Community Development of Native Hawaiians*

Membership Packet

Revised: January 2015



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Become a CNHA Member - Join the CNHA Network!

Unified Fundraising ~ Strong Policy Voice ~ Relevant Information & Resources
Best Practices ~ Networking ~ Effective Convening ~ Collaboration

“CNHA not only creates opportunities for diverse community leaders to convene, but to work together on common challenges.”

Alvin Parker, Ka Waihona o ka Na`auao PCS ~ CNHA Board Chairman

About CNHA

The Council for Native Hawaiian Advancement (CNHA) was formed in August 2001 to support community development organizations dedicated to Native Hawaiians and to convene annually around common challenges and solutions.

“CNHA provides a coordinated voice for us as community-based organizations, and supports our capacity needs to deliver our programs in Hawaii.”

Jeff Gilbreath, Hawaiian Community Assets ~ CNHA Board Director

Our Mission

Our mission is to enhance the well-being of Hawaii through the cultural, economic and community development of Native Hawaiians. CNHA achieves its mission through policy advocacy, community convening, leadership development, grant training and intermediary services, and linking resources and solutions to community challenges.

“With a small dynamic team, CNHA provides crucial support services and partnerships that are immediately useful to community leaders and their organizations.”

Andrew Ah Po, Kanaka Maoli o Kaleponi ~ CNHA Board Director



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Benefits of CNHA Membership ~ Collaboration that Works!

• Hawaiian Way Fund

- Eligible to apply for direct funding support
- Eligible to utilize as fundraising vehicle for member organization - Donor Designation Program

• Native NewsClips

- Receive informative reports and articles relevant to Native communities
- Eligible to submit press releases, announcements and/or job openings

• Leadership Network Program

- Eligible for designation of Next Generation Leadership interns/fellows to member projects
- Preference on leadership development opportunities and experiences
 - annual orientation trip to Washington DC, relationship building trips and meetings, capacity-building scholarships, etc
 - annual leadership visits to other Native communities in the Pacific, Continent & Alaska

• Grant Training & Convening Sessions

- Access Grantstation.com
- Discounts for member staff, board and volunteers to all Grant Forums/Workshops
- Recommend and Identify Priorities for Grant Sessions (Hawaii and Continent)

• Annual Native Hawaiian Convention

- Opportunities to present member work and accomplishments
- Convene with policy makers and community leaders from diverse fields of interest
- Discounts for member staff, board and volunteers

• Native Hawaiian Policy Center

- Participation on Policy Calls & Special Convenings
- Recommend and Assist with Agenda of Annual Policy Forums (Hawaii & DC)
- Receive Policy Alerts & Updates on Legislative Issues
- Recommend Policy, Legislative & Product Development Priorities for CNHA to Work On

• Board of Directors

- Eligible for election or appointment, influencing the direction of CNHA
- All members welcome to attend meetings

• Meeting Space Utilization (CNHA Kapolei Office)

- Conference room (*based on scheduling availability*)



Founded in 2001, CNHA unifies and serves a network of more than 100 Native Hawaiian Organizations nationally. As a certified Native CDFI and a nonprofit Community Development Corporation, CNHA works for the cultural, economic and public policy interests of Native Hawaiians.

The following organizations hold elected seats on the CNHA Board of Directors and/or are partners in the Native Hawaiian Policy Center which guides CNHA in its policy priorities and projects.



'Aha Pūnana Leo



'Ahaui Siwila Hawai'i Kapōlei



Association of Hawaiians for Homestead Lands



Friends of Moku'ula



Hawaiian Community Assets



Homestead Community Development Corporation



Ka Waihona O Ka Na'auao PCS



Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission



Ka 'Ohana O Kalaupapa



Kanaka Maoli O Kaleponi, Inc



Maku'u Farmers Association



Malama O Koloa



Native Books / Nā Mea Hawai'i



Nā Pualei O Likolehua



Native Hawaiian Economic Alliance



Native Hawaiian Political Action Committee



Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation



Papakolea Community Development Corporation

Sovereign Councils
of the



Hawaiian Homelands
Assembly

Sovereign Councils of the Hawaiian Home Lands Assembly

I Mua Group



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CNHA Board of Directors 2015-2016

Hālau Nā Pualei O Likokehua

Leinā'ala Kalama Heine
Pi'ilani Hanohano
Expires: 2015

Maku'u Farmers Association

Pualani Fernandez
Shirley Pedro
Expires: 2015

Native Books / Na Mea Hawai'i

Maile Meyer
Expires: 2015

Vacant

*Expires: 2015

Hawaiian Community Assets

Jeff Gilbreath
Kehau Filimoeatu
Expires: 2016

Native Hawaiian Economic Alliance

William Ornellas
Austin Nakoa
Li Garcia-Ballard
Expires: 2016

Native Hawaiian Political Action Committee

Judge Bill Fernandez
Robin Danner
Expires: 2016

'Aha Pūnana Leo

Namaka Rawlins
Expires: 2017

Friends of Moku'ula

Blossom Feiteira
Hokulani Holt
Expires: 2017

Ka 'Ohana O Kalaupapa

Sol Kaho'ohalahala
Valerie Monson
Expires: 2017

Vacant

*Expires: 2017

Ka Waihona O Ka Na'auao PCS

Alvin Parker
Misipati Krapani, Jr.
Expires: 2015

Mālama O Kōloa

Teddy Blake
Haunani Kaimina'auao/Ken Posney
Expires: 2015

Sovereign Councils of the Hawaiian Homeland Assembly

Kali Watson
Expires: 2015

Association of Hawaiian For Homestead Lands

Skippy Ioane
Expires: 2016

Homestead Community Development Corporation

Kipukai Kualii
Myrna Bucasas
Expires: 2016

Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation

Moses K. N. Haia, III
Ihilani Chu
Expires: 2016

Papakōlea Community Development Corporation

Lilia Kapuniai
*Expires: 2016

'Ahahui Siwila Hawai'i O Kapolei

Lance Holden
Melissa Lyman
Expires: 2017

I Mua Group

Judge Mel Soong (Retired)
Bob Moore/Eddie Lee
*Expires: 2017

Kanaka Maoli O Kaleponi, Inc.

Andrew Ah Po
Tammy Moana Silva
Expires: 2017



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2014-2015 CNHA Organizational Members – 154 Voting/37 Non-Voting

Updated As of December 31, 2014

The Following Organizations are Voting CNHA Members (primary mission serves Native Hawaiians)

6 Public & Ali'i Trusts (4%)

Department of Hawaiian Home Lands
Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission
Kamehameha Schools

King William Charles Lunalilo Trust
Queen Lili'uokalani Trust
Queen's Health System

7 Advocacy & Legal Organizations (5%)

I Mua Group
Kanaka Maoli O Kaleponi, Inc.
Pacific Justice & Reconciliation

Native Hawaiian Bar Association
Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation
Native Hawaiian Legal Defense & Education Fund
Native Hawaiian Political Action Committee

8 Civic Organizations (5%)

'Ahahui Kiwila Hawai'i O San Diego
'Ahahui Siwila Hawai'i O Kapolei
'Ewa-Pu'uloa Hawaiian Civic Club
Hui Hawai'i O Utah

Kai Ula Pono Texas Hawaiian Civic Club
Ke Ali'i Victoria Ka'iulani
Las Vegas Hawaiian Civic Club
Na Keiki O Hawai'i Hawaiian Civic Club

34 Homestead Organizations (22%)

Anahola Hawaiian Homes Association
Anahola Hawaiian Land Farm Lots Association
Association of Hawaiians for Homestead Lands
Hau'oli O Lana'i Hawaiian Homestead Community Association
Ho'olehua Homestead Agriculture Association
Ho'olehua Homestead Association
Homestead Community Development Corporation
Hui Kāko'o 'Āina Ho'opulapula
Kailapa Community Association
Kalawahine Streamside Association
Kamiloloa-One Ali'i Homestead Association
Kapa'akea Homesteaders Association
Kaupe'a Homestead Association
Kekaha Hawaiian Homestead Association
Kewalo Hawaiian Homestead Community Association
La'i'ōpua 2020
Maku'u Farmers Association

Moloka'i Homestead Livestock Association
Nānākuli Hawaiian Homestead Community Association
Pana'ewa Hawaiian Home Lands Community Association
Papakōlea Community Development Corporation
Paukukalo Hawaiian Homestead Community Association
Piuhonua Hawaiian Homestead Community Association
Sovereign Councils of the Hawaiian Homelands Assembly
Villages of La'i'opua Association
Villages of Leiali'i Association
Wai'anae Kai Homestead Association
Wai'anae Valley Homestead Community Association
Waiehu Kou I Homestead Association
Waiehu Kou II Homestead Association
Waiehu Kou IV Homestead Association
Waimea Hawaiian Homestead Association, Inc.
Waiohuli Hawaiian Homesteaders, Inc.
West Kauai Hawaiian Homestead Association

25 Health, Housing & Community Development Organizations (16%)

'Ahahui O Nā Kauka
'Ao'ao O Nā Loko I'a O Maui
Ha 'Ola, Inc.
Hawaiian Community Assets, Inc.
Hawaiian Community Development Board
Hawaiian Education & Reinstatement Foundation
Hemophilia Foundation of Hawaii
Ho'oulu-Lahui, Inc.
Holistic Honu Wellness Center
Huli Au Ola, Maui County AHEC
Ka 'Ohana O Kahikinui
Ka 'Ohana O Kalaupapa
Ka Honua Momona International

Ka'ala Farm, Inc.
Kahana Valley Community Association
Ke Alaula
Ke Aupuni Lokahi, Inc.
Living Life Source Foundation
Maui Native Hawaiian Diabetes Coalition
Maui Nui Botanical Gardens
Molokai Community Services Council
Nānākuli Housing Corporation – Base Yard Hawaii
Ohana Makamae, Inc. – Hana's Family Resource Center
Papa Ola Lōkahi
Partners in Development Foundation

55 Education & Culture Organizations (35%)

‘Aha Pūnana Leo
Aka‘ula School Molokai
Dyslexia Tutoring Center of Hawaii, Inc.
E Ho‘omanamaiola
Edith Kanaka‘ole Foundation
Friends of Moku‘ula, Inc.
Hālau Kū Māna Public Charter School
Hawai‘inuiākea School of Hawaiian Knowledge
Ho‘olupa Hawaiian Culture Foundation
Hokualele Canoe Club
Hui‘Ai Pohaku, Inc.
Hui Aloha ‘O Puna
Hui Kaleleiki Ohana
Hui Kalo O Waialua
Hui O Laka
Hui O Wa‘a Kaulua
INPEACE
Ipu Lani, Inc.
Ka Lama Mohala Foundation
Ka Waihona O Ka Na‘auao, Public Charter School
Kai Loa, Inc.
Kalaeloa Heritage and Legacy Foundation
Kamehameha Alumni Glee Club
Kamehameha Class of 1987
Kamehameha Schools Alumni Association Intermountain Region
Kamehameha Schools Alumni Association Northern California
Kanu O Ka ‘Āina New Century Public Charter School
Kanuikapono Public Charter School
Kawaikini New Century Public Charter School
Kauaheha, Inc.
Ke Kula Ni‘ihau O Kekaha Learning Center
Ke Po‘okela Cultural Foundation
Keiki O Ka ‘Āina Family Learning Centers
Kula no Na Po‘e Hawaii
Makaha Cultural Learning Center
Makauila, Inc.
Malama O Koloa
Mohala Hou Foundation
Moku Ola Educational Foundation
Nā Kamalei – K.E.E.P.
Na Hoaaloha ‘86
Nā Lei Na‘auao Alliance
Nā Mamo, Inc.
Nā Pualei O Likolehua
Nānāikapono Community School Museum
Native Hawaiian Education Association
Native Hawaiian Education Council
Native Hawaiian Hospitality Association
Pacific American Education & Scholastic Foundation
Papakū no Kāmeha‘ikana
Po‘ina Nalu: Native Hawaiian Career and Tech Ed. Program
Pu‘uhonua Society
Supporting the Language of Kaua‘i, Inc.
Surf Soccer Club Hawai‘i
The Reverend Joel Hulu Mahoe Resource Center

19 Business & Economic Development Organizations (13%)

‘A‘ALI‘I Tech Solutions, LLC
Ace Land Surveying, LLC
Alaka‘ina Foundation
Annelle Amaral & Associates, Inc.
Dawson Group, Inc.
Hawaiian Homestead Technology, Inc.
Hawaiian Native Corporation
Kala Power, Inc.
LGB & Associates, Inc.
Menehune Foundation
Nā Mea Hawai‘i / Ho‘omaika‘i, LLC
Native Hawaiian Economic Alliance
Native Hawaiian Environmental Services, LLC
Native Hawaiian Organizations Association
Puko‘a Kani ‘Āina Community Development Corporation
The NAKOA Companies, Inc.
The Strive Company
TiLeaf Group, Inc.
Waimana Enterprises, Inc.

The Following Organizations Are Not Voting CNHA Members

37 Supporting Organizations

Ahtna Government Services Corporation
Alaska Federation of Natives
Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum
Bank of Hawaii
Bay Clinic, Inc.
Bishop Museum
DOT – Rapid Transit Division
First Alaskans Institute
Enterprise Honolulu
First Hawaiian Bank
First Wind LLC
Hawai‘i Alliance for Community-Based Economic Development (HACBED)
Hawai‘i Charter School Network
Hawai‘i HomeOwnership Center
Hawai‘i Island Economic Development Board (HIEDB)
Hawai‘i State Foundation on Culture and Arts
Hawai‘i Technology Institute
Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc.
Historic Inalahan Foundation, Inc.
Ho‘okāko‘o Corporation
International Steel Concepts Corporation
Inter-Tribal Economic Alliance
Kaua‘i Island Utility Cooperative
Kealakehe Ahupua‘a 2020, Inc.
Lokahi Eternity-4-Life
National Coalition for Asian Pacific American Community Development (CAPACD)
National Congress of American Indians
Native American Contractors Association
Pacific Islander Community Development
Pacific Resource for Education and Learning
Rural Community Assistance Corporation
SMS Research and Marketing, Inc.
Sweet Aloha Polynesian Tours
The Rose Ensemble
The Trust for Public Land
Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council
Youth Vision



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Aloha and thank you for your interest in becoming a member of the Council for Native Hawaiian Advancement. Please complete this form and return it along with the dues for your category of membership. Please make checks payable to “CNHA.” Mahalo.

Date: _____

Contact Person: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Street Address or P.O. Box

City

State

Zip

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

Website: _____

Mission of your organization *(Please also submit any literature on your organization):*

FOR CNHA USE	Date:
CNHA Board Action	
Approved: <input type="checkbox"/>	Disapproved: <input type="checkbox"/> Tabled: <input type="checkbox"/>

Type of Member *(Please check one)*

Annual Dues

VOTING

Any organization, agency, association, group or foundation that is Native Hawaiian-controlled, or that pursues a mission that exclusively or primarily serves Native Hawaiians. Voting members are broken down into two types:

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|--------------------------|---|--------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Non-profit Native Hawaiian Organization | \$250 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Hawaii Headquarters | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Continental US Headquarters | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | For-profit Native Hawaiian Organization | \$500 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Hawaii Headquarters | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Continental US Headquarters | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Check here to request waiver of first year membership dues | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Check here to be enrolled in the <u>Hawaiian Way Fund</u> Donor Designation Program | |

NON-VOTING

- | | | |
|--------------------------|--|--------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Supporting Organization | \$500 |
| | Any agency, association, group, foundation, corporation, partnership, sole-proprietor or government agency | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Supporting Individual | \$25 |
| | Any individual, 18 years and older. Individual members will also be listed as donors to the Hawaiian Way Fund. | |

Date: _____ **Signature:** _____