# Coconut Rhinoceros Beetle Response Update October 2-15, 2016

#### Detections

- On Base (All DOD property on Oahu; including Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH))
  - 22 adults detected (of 2,858 adults detected since 12/23/2013).
- Off Base:
  - 4 adults detected (of 368 adults detected since 12/23/2013).

#### Surveillance & Trapping

- Investigation into possible breeding sites continues within established buffer zones.
- o 3,298 trap services conducted on 3,008 total traps during this reporting period.
- New panel traps installed at Honolulu International Airport (7) and Waikele Golf Course (5).
- Mulch/breeding site surveys/resurveys at Pearl City Peninsula, West Loch Golf Course, Waipahu Intermediate School, and Takano Nakamura Landscaping – all negative for CRB.
- Palm trimming/removal inspections conducted at Iroquois Point (2 adult CRB detected in crowns) and at Navy-Marine Golf Course (negative for CRB).
- Palm damage survey/resurvey conducted at Honolulu International Airport (2 damaged palms), Fort DeRussy, Waikiki, West Loch – all negative for CRB damage.

### Mitigation & Outreach

- 54 members of the public interacted with in the field during this reporting period.
- 26 public reports responded to during this reporting period.
- 9 businesses were interacted with in the field during this reporting period.
- Presentations made at Waianae Grocery Store booth (55), Cole Academy (30), Landscape Industry Council of Hawaii trade show (150), Kapolei HS (300), Kaneohe Rotary Club (10).
- o Toured Maili and Malama Learning Center, restricted areas of HNL Airport.
- Participated in bi-weekly military updates at JBPH-H and bi-weekly CRB interagency meetings, CRB costume design meeting.

## Research

 Research is still underway to better understand the cyclic nature of weekly, monthly, and annual trap capture rates.

#### Beetle Fact

 Survey: For the most up-to-date methods for survey and identification, see Approved Methods on the CAPS Resource and Collaboration Site, at http://caps.ceris.purdue.edu.