Coconut Rhinoceros Beetle Response Update May 26 – June 5, 2015

Detections

- On Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPH-HI)
 - 37 adults, 0 larvae detected on-base.
- Off Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPH-HI)
 - 3 adults, 0 larvae detected off-base.

Surveillance

- No new delimiting survey barrel traps were placed and 185 trap services were conducted on 145 total barrel traps during this period.
- No new delimiting survey panel traps were placed and 2,427 trap services were conducted on 2,794 total panel traps during this period.
- Three mulch sites were visually surveyed for CRB presence during this period out of 313 mulch piles surveyed to date. 10 CRB damaged palms were detected and no dead or damaged palms were removed during this period.

Outreach

- A total of 115 persons were provided outreach information and materials during this reporting period out of a total of 61,743 persons contacted since CRB was first detected on 12/23/13.
- No confirmed CRB reports were called in to the HDOA's 643-PEST hotline.
- **Beetle Fact:** According to the USDA-NRCS (2012), the main host, *Cocos nuciferα* (coconut palm) is found in Florida, Hawaii, North Carolina, and also Puerto Rico and the US Virgin Islands.

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