

Government

Section 4

GOVERNMENT

This section presents data on election districts, registered voters and votes cast, county operating revenues, general excise and use tax base, real property valuations and rates, government debt, and the state and local tax burden.

Local government in the State of Hawai'i is vested in one combined city and county (Honolulu, consisting of the Island of O'ahu and outlying islets), three non-metropolitan counties (Hawai'i, Kaua'i and Maui), and one area (Kalawao County) administered by the Hawai'i State Department of Health. Separate municipal governments do not exist.

Official results for the primary, general and special elections are published by the Office of Elections. Reapportionment for Maui County was effected in May 2012.

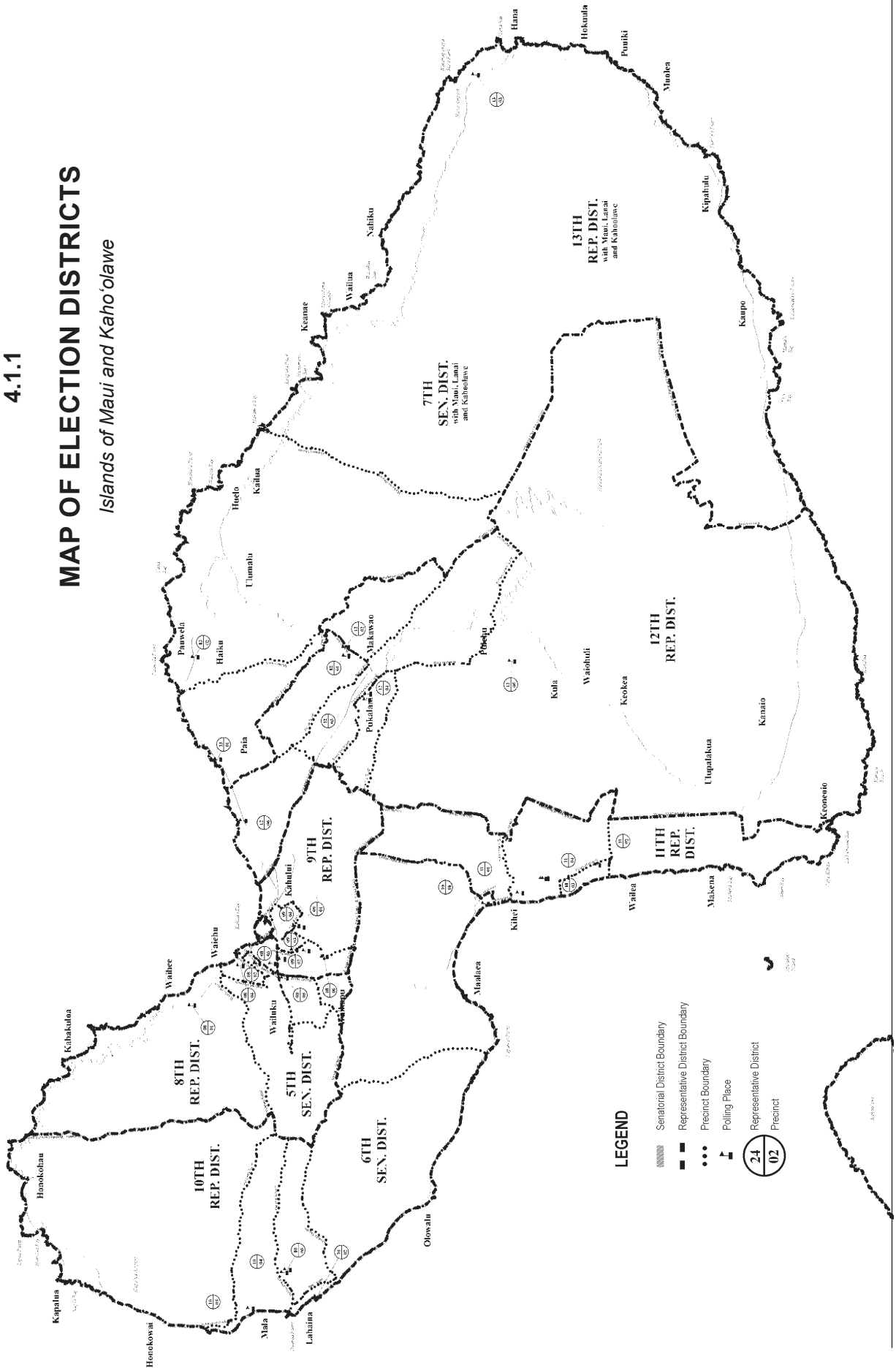
Important sources on statistics on government include: Government in Hawai'i; Revenue Trends (monthly tax collection reports), Hawai'i State Department of Taxation; State of Hawai'i Data Book, and Hawai'i State Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism.

For more detail on government finances and spending, see Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, County of Maui; and Consolidated Federal Funds Report, U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, which has detail on Federal Government spending down to the county level. It is available on the Internet at <http://www.census.gov/>. The State of Hawai'i does not report on its spending by county.

4.1.1

MAP OF ELECTION DISTRICTS

Islands of Maui and Kaho'olawe

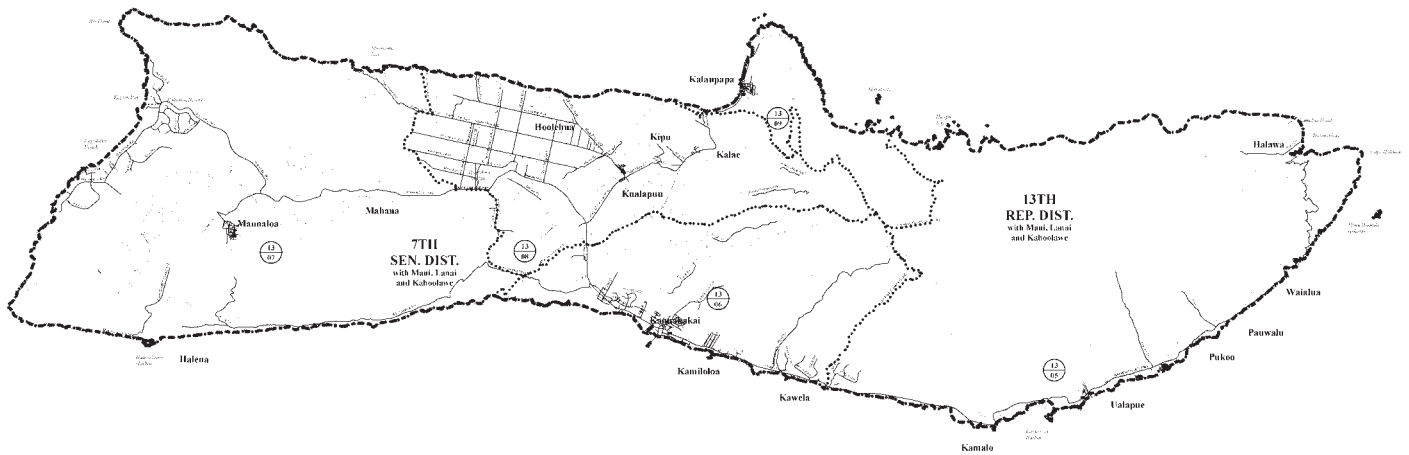


SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAII, OFFICE OF ELECTIONS, JANUARY 2016.







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MAP OF ELECTION DISTRICTS

Island of Moloka'i



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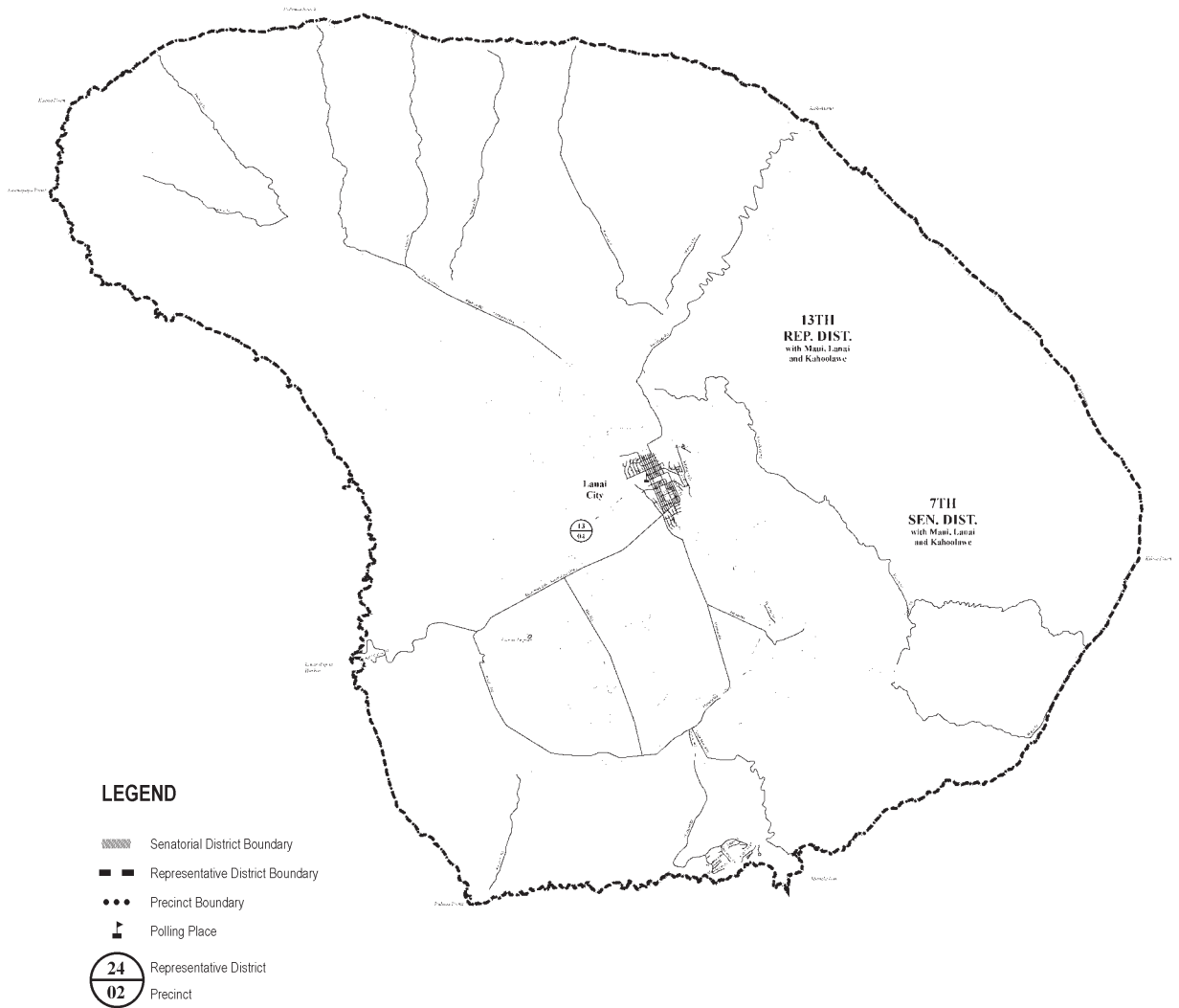
-  Senatorial District Boundary
-  Representative District Boundary
-  Precinct Boundary
-  Polling Place
-  Representative District
-  Precinct

SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAII, OFFICE OF ELECTIONS, JANUARY 2016.

4.1.3

MAP OF ELECTION DISTRICTS

Island of Lānaʻi



SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAII, OFFICE OF ELECTIONS, JANUARY 2016.

4.1.4

LIST OF POLLING PLACES

8th Representative District

Kahakuloa, Waihe'e, Waiehu, Wailuku, Kahului

1. Waihe'e Elementary School
2. Santos Community Center
3. Baldwin High School
4. Paukūkalo Hawaiian Homes Comm. Ctr.
5. ʻĪao Intermediate School
6. Pomaika'i Elementary School
7. Maui Economic Opportunity Center

9th Representative District

Wailuku, Kahului, Spreckelsville

1. Kahului Elementary School
2. Maui Waena Intermediate School
3. Lihikai Elementary School
4. Maui High School

10th Representative District

Lahaina, Ma'alaea, North Kīhei

1. Kenolio Recreational Complex
2. Kamehameha III Elementary School
3. Lahaina Intermediate School
4. Princess Nahī'ena'ena Elementary School
5. Lahaina Civic Center

11th Representative District

Kīhei, Mākena, Wailea, Maui Meadows

1. Trinity Episcopal Church
2. Kamali'i Elementary School
3. Kīhei Community Center
4. Kīhei Elementary School

12th Representative District

Hāli'imaile, Pukalani, Makawao, Kula, 'Ulupalakua

1. Kalama Intermediate
2. Eddie Tam Memorial Center
3. Pukalani Elementary
4. Mayor Hannibal Tavares Comm. Ctr.
5. Kula Community Center
6. Kaunoa Senior Citizen Center

13th Representative District

Pā'ia, Ha'ikū, Ke'anae, Hāna

1. Pā'ia Community Center
2. Ha'ikū Community Center
3. Hāna High and Elementary

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4. Lāna'i High and Elementary

Island of Moloka'i

5. Kilohana Community Center
6. Kaunakakai School
7. Maunaloa Community Center
8. Kualapu'u Community Center
9. Kalaupapa Settlement

SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAII', OFFICE OF ELECTIONS, 2014 PRECINCT DETAILS.

4.2.1

**REGISTERED VOTERS AND VOTES CAST
NOVEMBER 4, 2014 GENERAL ELECTION**

District	Precinct Name	Registered Voters		Turnout		District	Precinct Name	Registered Voters		Turnout	
		Voters	Cast	%	Count			Voters	Cast	%	Count
8-1	Waihe'e Elementary School	1,867	534	28.6%		11-1	Trinity Episcopal Church	3,113	862	27.7%	
8-2	Santos Community Center	3,326	825	24.8%		11-2	Kamali'i Elementary School	4,319	1,197	27.7%	
8-3	Baldwin High School	1,472	368	25.0%		11-3	Kihei Community Center	3,766	1,033	27.4%	
8-4	Paukūkalo Hwn Homes Comm Ctr.	1,905	370	19.4%		11-4	Kihei Elementary School	3,874	1,021	26.4%	
8-5	'Īao Intermediate School	3,917	942	24.0%			Absentee walkins		413		
8-6	Pomaikai Elementary School	1,613	455	28.2%			Absentee mail		2,430		
8-7	Maui Economic Opportunity Ctr.	1,106	269	24.3%							
	Absentee walkins		793			12-1	Kalama Intermediate School	3,268	998	30.5%	
	Absentee mail		4,259			12-2	Eddie Tam Memorial Center	2,084	701	33.6%	
9-1	Kahului Elementary School	3,565	1,040	29.2%		12-3	Pukalani Elementary School	2,872	884	30.8%	
9-2	Maui Waena Intermediate School	3,264	866	26.5%		12-4	Mayor H. Tavares Comm Ctr.	3,177	964	30.3%	
9-3	Lihikai Elementary School	2,246	591	26.3%		12-5	Kula Community Center	4,758	1,434	30.1%	
9-4	Maui High School	2,324	524	22.5%		12-6	Kaunoa Senior Citizen Center	256	110	43.0%	
	Absentee walkins		380				Absentee walkins		538		
	Absentee mail		2,885				Absentee mail		4,137		
10-1	Kenolio Recreational Complex	1,394	376	27.0%		13-1	Pā'ia Community Center	1,711	546	31.9%	
10-2	Kamehameha III Elementary Sch.	2,290	650	28.4%		13-2	Ha'ikū Community Center	6,552	2,188	33.4%	
10-3	Lahaina Intermediate School	2,366	713	30.1%		13-3	Hāna High and Elementary Sch.	1,365	442	32.4%	
10-4	Princess Nahi'ena'ena Elem. Sch.	1,806	485	26.9%		13-4	Lāna'i High and Elementary Sch.	1,740	533	30.6%	
10-5	Lahaina Civic Center	5,769	1,502	26.0%		13-5	Kilohana Community Center	612	213	34.8%	
	Absentee walkins		175			13-6	Kaunakakai School	2,019	505	25.0%	
	Absentee mail		1,827			13-7	Maunaloa Community Center	379	99	26.1%	
						13-8	Kualapu'u Community Center	1,190	338	28.4%	
						13-9	Kalaupapa Settlement	42	0	0.0%	
							Absentee walkins		942		
							Absentee mail		2,648		

SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAII, OFFICE OF ELECTIONS, 2014 PRECINCT DETAILS.

4.2.2

GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS MAUI COUNTY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014

	Votes	%		Votes	%
U.S. Senator			Mayor, County of Maui		
D) Schatz, Brian	31,668	68.8%	Arakawa, Alan	25,435	55.3%
R) Cavasso, Cam	10,165	22.1%	Paltin, Tamara	18,162	39.5%
L) Kokoski, Michael	1,634	3.6%	Blank Votes	2,372	5.2%
Blank Votes	2,507	5.4%	Councilmember (East Maui)		
U.S. Representative, Dist. 2			Carroll, Robert (Bob)	27,071	58.9%
D) Gabbard, Tulsi	35,487	77.1%	Nikhilananda, Nick	11,730	25.5%
R) Crowley, Kawika	6,974	15.2%	Blank Votes	7,162	15.6%
L) Kent, Joe	1,406	3.1%	Councilmember (West Maui)		
Blank Votes	2,111	4.6%	Cochran, Elle	22,124	48.1%
Governor and Lt. Governor			Buenconsejo, Ka'ala	18,792	40.9%
D) Ige/ Tsutsui	23,669	51.4%	Blank Votes	5,047	11.0%
R) Aiona/ Ahu	12,614	27.4%	Councilmember (Wailuku Waihe'e Waikapū)		
I) Hanneman/ Chang	7,641	16.6%	Victorino, Michael (Mike)	25,289	55.0%
L) Davis/ Marlin	1,073	2.3%	Blackburn, Joseph	12,606	27.4%
Blank Votes	927	2.0%	Blank Votes	8,060	17.5%
State Senator, Dist. 5			Councilmember (Kahului)		
D) Keith-Agaran, Gil	9,770	64.7%	Guzman, Don	23,856	51.9%
R) Kamaka, Joe	4,149	27.5%	Pontanilla, Joe	15,719	34.2%
Blank Votes	1,172	7.8%	Blank Votes	6,379	13.9%
State Senator, Dist. 6			Councilmember (South Maui)		
D) Baker, Roz	7,210	56.8%	Couch, Don	24,990	54.3%
R) Dubois, Jared	2,916	23.0%	Fitzpatrick, John	13,942	30.3%
L) Kaahui, Bronson	1,196	9.4%	Blank Votes	7,029	15.3%
Blank Votes	1,349	10.6%	Councilmember (Makawao, Ha'ikū, Pā'ia)		
State Representative, Dist. 8			White, Mike	23,042	50.1%
D) Souki, Joe	5,359	60.8%	Molina, Mike	16,938	35.7%
R) Kapoi, Cranston	2,715	30.8%	Blank Votes	6,504	14.1%
Blank Votes	736	8.3%	Councilmember (Upcountry)		
State Representative, Dist. 10			Baisa, Gladys Coelho	26,117	56.8%
D) McKelvey, Angus	3,522	61.5%	Bruch, Courtney	12,819	27.9%
R) Marten, Chayne	1,666	29.1%	Blank Votes	7,025	15.3%
Blank Votes	534	9.3%	Councilmember (Lāna'i)		
State Representative, Dist. 11			Hokama, Riki	28,546	62.1%
D) Ing, Kaniela	4,926	70.8%	Blank Votes	17,437	37.9%
R) Brock Pat	1,362	19.6%	Councilmember (Moloka'i)		
Blank Votes	661	9.5%	Crivello, Stacy Helm	28,250	61.4%
State Representative, Dist. 12			Blank Votes	17,733	38.6%
D) Yamashita, Kyle	6,639	68.0%			
R) Pohle, Richard	1,950	20.0%			
Blank Votes	1,174	12.0%			

SOURCE: HAWAII'S STATE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS.

4.2.3

**GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS
OFFICE OF HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS TRUSTEES
AND STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS
MAUI COUNTY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014**

Office of Hawaiian Affairs

	Votes	Percent
At Large Trustee		
Waihee, John	17,571	12.7%
Trask, Mililani	14,096	10.2%
Akana, Rowena	13,302	9.6%
Akina, Keli	10,495	7.6%
Ahu Isa, Lei	9,280	6.7%
McInerney, Harvey	6,451	4.7%
Blank Votes	66,790	48.4%
Over Votes	19	0.0%
OHA Vacancy, Maui		
Lindsey, Carmen Hulu	19,141	41.6%
Wendt, Mahealani	13,342	29.0%
Blank Votes	13,502	29.3%
Over Votes	20	0.0%

State of Hawai'i Constitutional Amendments

	Votes	Percent	Votes	Percent	
Judicial Nominees Disclosures			Agricultural Enterprises		
Yes	37,326	81.1%	Yes	21,029	45.7%
No	4,648	10.1%	No	19,820	43.1%
Blank	4,010	8.7%	Blank	5,105	11.1%
State Justices and Judges			Early Childhood Education		
Yes	9,920	21.6%	Yes	22,201	48.3%
No	33,048	71.8%	No	21,020	45.7%
Blank	2,984	6.5%	Blank	2,728	5.9%
Dams and Bridges					
Yes	29,542	64.2%			
No	11,732	25.5%			
Blank	4,698	10.2%			

SOURCE: HAWAII'S STATE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS.

4.2.4

GENERAL ELECTION RESULTS MAUI COUNTY CHARTER AMENDMENTS NOVEMBER 4, 2014

Ballot Text Summaries and Results

Extend requirement that 2% of property tax revenue be allocated to affordable housing until 2021?

Yes	30,532	66.4%
No	11,507	25.0%
Blank Votes	3,915	8.5%

Increase the maximum penalties for violating Charter to \$25,000 fine and/or 1 year jail?

Yes	17,689	38.5%
No	21,355	46.4%
Blank Votes	6,901	15.0%

Prohibit cultivation and reproduction of genetically engineered organisms?

Yes	23,082	50.2%
No	22,005	47.9%
Blank Votes	872	1.9%

SOURCE: HAWAII STATE OFFICE OF ELECTIONS.

4.3.1

STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES MAUI COUNTY

In thousands of dollars. For year ending June 30

	2012	2013	2014	2015
Revenues				
Taxes	238,829	246,315	255,440	268,178
Licenses and Permits	26,649	27,231	28,185	30,946
Intergovernmental Revenues	68,001	64,074	69,449	72,049
Charges for Services	64,124	65,617	64,251	64,839
Fines and Forfeitures	2,131	3,018	2,250	2,075
Interest and investment earnings	1,416	1,018	1,747	1,358
Other	3,841	6,076	6,882	4,604
Assessments	1,219	791	1,086	1,322
Total Revenues	406,212	414,139	429,290	445,371
Expenditures				
General Government	105,552	89,510	190,718	105,479
Public Safety	79,427	80,782	78,981	90,349
Highway and Streets	33,798	35,926	44,878	40,260
Sanitation	41,891	45,366	46,344	54,552
Social Welfare	42,459	46,315	45,298	42,579
Culture and Recreation	27,257	26,346	39,739	29,530
Legislative	5,250	5,533	5,987	6,559
Capital Outlay	57,976	68,648	77,097	81,371
Debt Service: Principal	22,469	23,770	24,593	26,926
Interest	9,604	10,051	9,424	10,905
Total Expenditures	425,684	432,246	563,058	488,509
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues over Expenditures	(19,472)	(18,106)	(133,768)	(43,138)

Note: Due to rounding, details may not add to total.

SOURCE: MAUI COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORTS.

4.3.2

STATE TAX COLLECTION MAUI COUNTY

In thousands of dollars

	2012	2013	2014	2015
Banks/Financial Corps	9,447	15,400	7,124	14,245
Employment Sec. Contri.	0	0	0	0
Fuel	8,635,224	7,688,458	3,142,763	4,952,341
GE License/Fees	0	0	0	0
General Excise & Use Tax ¹	185,980,539	187,252,238	187,280,786	202,188,522
Honolulu County Surcharge ²	1,482,700	1,531,316	1,517,910	1,625,325
Income-Corporate				
Decl. of Estimated Taxes	1,091,082	1,500,588	1,361,255	1,818,099
Payment With Returns	211,509	608,065	422,103	1,235,231
Refunds	(470,127)	(488,121)	(1,195,281)	(504,193)
Income-Individual				
Decl. of Estimated Taxes	29,587,919	41,579,293	35,595,168	41,135,847
Payment With Returns	15,434,069	20,823,234	20,682,519	23,023,611
Withholding Tax on Wages	67,091,566	68,572,254	75,704,027	82,351,800
Refunds	(40,900,536)	(43,397,847)	(41,937,074)	(41,127,638)
Inheritance/Estate	1,235,150	106,000	18,989	1,443,239
Liquor and Permits	7,696,672	7,208,954	7,352,755	7,580,791
Motor Vehicle Tax/Fees	18,544,126	20,171,880	19,716,743	20,759,191
Public Service Company	17,359,955	17,915,064	18,006,353	17,839,865
Tobacco and Licenses	10,140,584	9,469,335	7,191,025	4,328,226
Transient Accommod./Time Share Occup. Fees	0	0	0	0
Transient Accommod. Tax/Time Share Occup. Tax	51,620,149	44,676,518	31,850,226	35,980,172
All Others	220	145	220	165
Total	374,750,249	385,232,773	366,717,613	404,644,839

1. May also contain some revenue from the Honolulu County Surcharge.

2. Surcharge began in 2007. Businesses with activities in Honolulu may have to pay surcharge despite not being located on O'ahu.

Note: Due to rounding, details may not add to total.

SOURCE: HAWAII STATE DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION, STATE TAX COLLECTIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS.

4.3.3

ESTIMATED REAL PROPERTY TAX REVENUE MAUI COUNTY

In thousands of dollars

Fiscal Year 2015-2016

Assessor's gross valuation	47,554,054
Land	20,355,876
Improvement	27,198,178
Exemptions	6,279,830
Assessor's net taxable valuation	41,274,225
Half of valuation on appeal	562,504
Number of appeals	1,254
Valuation for tax rate purposes	40,711,720
Land	18,776,916
Improvement	21,934,807
Amount to be raised by taxation	254,111

SOURCE: CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET & FISCAL SERVICES, REAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT DIVISION.

4.3.4

**REAL PROPERTY TAX RATES
MAUI COUNTY**

Dollars per \$1,000 net taxable value

Land Use Class	Rate
Fiscal Year 2015-2016	
Building	
Residential	5.40
Apartment	6.00
Commercial	6.60
Industrial	6.85
Agricultural	5.75
Conservation	5.90
Hotel and Resort	8.85
Homeowner	2.75
Time Share	14.55
Commercialized Residential	4.35
Land	
Residential	5.40
Apartment	6.00
Commercial	6.60
Industrial	6.85
Agricultural	5.75
Conservation	5.90
Hotel and Resort	8.85
Homeowner	2.75
Time Share	14.55
Commercialized Residential	4.35

SOURCE: CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET AND FISCAL SERVICES, REAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT DIVISION.

4.3.5

DEBT OF MAUI COUNTY GOVERNMENT

In thousands of dollars

Fiscal Year	General Obligation Bonds	Notes Payable	Total Outstanding Debt
2005	263,508	6,938	270,446
2006	243,635	5,996	249,631
2007*	257,762	8,976	266,738
2008	281,530	12,990	294,520
2009	278,708	12,918	291,626
2010*	262,709	12,823	275,532
2011*	288,222	12,862	301,084
2012	263,180	14,609	277,789
2013	296,419	5,262	301,681
2014	287,193	17,672	304,865
2015	312,965	20,469	333,434

* Revised data.

SOURCE: MAUI COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORTS.

4.4

**PERSONNEL BY DEPARTMENT FOR FISCAL YEARS
MAUI COUNTY**

	2013	2014	2015	2016
Civil Defense	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Corporation Counsel	34.5	34.5	34.5	34.5
Environmental Management				
General	6.0	7.0	5.0	5.0
Wastewater	118.0	118.0	117.0	117.0
Solid Waste	95.0	94.0	95.0	99.0
Finance	139.8	142.8	142.8	145.8
Fire & Public Safety	313.0	318.0	318.0	319.0
Housing & Human Concerns	79.0	80.0	80.3	80.3
Liquor Control	26.0	26.0	26.0	26.0
Management	52.0	54.0	56.0	58.8
Parks and Recreation				
General	417.5	417.5	426.3	426.8
Golf	21.9	21.9	20.9	20.9
Personnel Services	18.0	18.0	19.0	18.0
Planning	62.0	62.0	62.0	62.0
Police	501.6	513.1	518.5	520.0
Prosecuting Attorney	71.0	71.0	72.0	72.0
Public Works				
General	82.8	82.8	115.0	115.0
Highways	170.0	175.0	143.0	145.0
Transportation	5.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Water Supply	216.0	216.0	219.0	219.0

SOURCE: OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, BUDGET OFFICE, OPERATING BUDGETS.

4.5.1

**COUNTY PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS BY TYPE
MAUI COUNTY, FY 2015-2016**

Type of Exemption	Number	Amount (\$1,000)
Federal Government	79	46,257
State Government	1,354	1,802,695
County Government	582	479,399
Government Leases-Total	82	79,609
Government Leases-Portion	44	23,923
Hawaiian Homes Commission	567	30,795
Hawaiian Homes Land-Basic	702	115,894
Hawaiian Homes Land-Multiple	144	21,803
Hawaiian Homes Land-Total Land	1,282	129
Hawaiian Homes Land-Vacant Land	250	25
Hawaiian Homes-7 year	151	35,676
Homes-Fee (Basic)	19,112	3,755,259
Homes-Fee (Multiple)	5,612	1,097,360
Homes-Leasehold (Basic)	214	41,306
Homes-Leasehold (Multiple)	426	82,821
Blind	26	635
Deaf	7	125
Hansen's Disease (Leprosy)	1	25
Totally Disabled	394	8,985
Totally Disabled Veterans	258	123,057
Cemetaries	7	1,429
Charitable Organizations	232	273,302
Childcare	18	900
Churches	245	293,223
Credit Unions	17	20,465
Forest Reserve	3	67
Historic Residential Properties	7	14,949
Kuleana	48	21,186
Hospitals	11	39,573
Landscaping, Open-Space	1	10
Low-Moderate Income Housing	43	160,670
Public Utilities	77	95,680
Roadways and Waterways	1,691	6,364
Schools	17	142,626
Taro	52	88
Miscellaneous	2	245
Total	33,758	8,816,555

SOURCE: CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, DEPARTMENT OF BUDGET & FISCAL SERVICES, REAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT DIVISION.

4.5.2

LIQUID FUEL TAX BASE AND TAX COLLECTIONS MAUI COUNTY

Fiscal year ending June 30, 2015

Source of Revenue	Gallons	State Tax	County Fuel Tax	Total Tax
Gasoline	\$62,764,300	\$10,642,976	\$10,015,333	\$20,658,308
Diesel oil (non-hwy)	14,240,313	284,806	0	284,806
Diesel oil (hwy)	6,218,973	1,056,885	994,716	2,051,601
Liquid petro. gas (hwy)	0	0	0	0
Small boat (gas)	0	0	0	0
Small boat (diesel oil)	0	0	0	0
Aviation fuel	68,921,255	1,378,425	0	1,378,425
Other fuel	379,724	15,189	0	15,189
Subtotal	152,524,563	13,378,281	11,010,048	24,388,329
Environmental Tax	3,955,822	4,153,614	0	4,153,614
Total		17,531,895	11,010,048	28,541,943

SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAI'I, DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION, MONTHLY TAX COLLECTION REPORTS.

4.5.3

LIQUID FUEL TAX ALLOCATION BY FUND MAUI COUNTY

Fiscal year ending June 30, 2015

	Amount	Total Tax
State Highway Special Fund	\$11,879,858	
State Airports Special Fund	1,378,425	
State Boating Special Fund	230,099	13,488,382
County Fuel Tax:		
Lanai	137,341	
Molokai	173,786	
Maui	10,588,821	10,899,948
Environmental Response Fund	197,791	
Energy Security Fund	593,373	
Energy Development Fund	395,582	
Agricultural Development Fund	593,373	
General Fund	2,373,493	4,153,614
Grand Total		28,541,943

SOURCE: STATE OF HAWAI'I, DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION, , MONTHLY TAX COLLECTION REPORTS.