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# Increasing Recreational Fisheries Engagement through the FHPs

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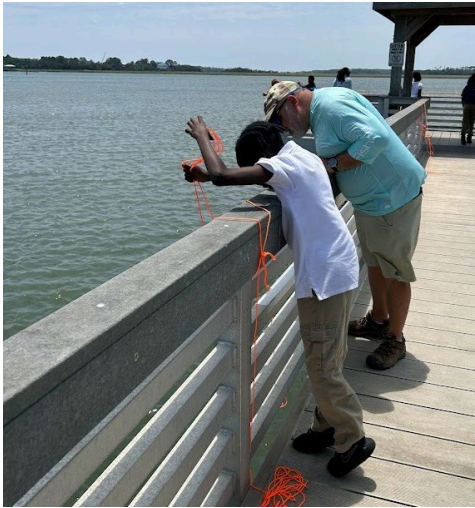
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- **Goal:** enhance collaboration with recreational, subsistence, cultural, and non-commercial fishing communities and to protect and restore habitat.
- Last 6 years of funding:

FY	Total NOAA Support	# projects	FHPs Supported
FY19	>\$120,000	3	SARP, ACFHP, Kenai
FY20	~\$170,000	4	SEAKFHP, WNTI, PMEP, ACFHP
FY21	~\$250,000	4	SARP, ACFHP, PMEP, WNTI
FY22	~\$150,000	3	Hawaii, SEAKFHP, SARP
FY23	~\$180,000	4	Hawaii, SEAKFHP, Mat-Su, ACFHP
FY24	~\$175,000	3	Hawaii, SARP, PMEP

# FY24 NFHP Projects Selected for Funding



**Expanding  
engagement with  
underrepresented  
communities in  
South Carolina  
(SARP)**

**Continuing  
community-based  
coral restoration in  
West O'ahu  
(Hawaii FHP)**

**Engaging recreational  
anglers to protect  
groundfish habitat in  
the Cascade Marine  
Reserve in Oregon  
(PMEP)**

# Upcoming Events

- At the September 11<sup>th</sup> FHP call NOAA staff will discuss funding capacity through NOAA's BIL/IRA funding opportunities.
- At the October 2 Board meeting, NOAA will share an update about this discussion with FHPs.