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GRAINGER

- Save 10% off thousands of products through Grainger Industrial Supplies. FREE FREIGHT on Grainger.com

DODGE

- Members receive a \$500.00 discount on selected vehicles, including mini-vans and trucks.

MEDICAL AND DENTAL INSURANCE

- Members may apply for medical insurance through HMSA.
- Dental is offered through HDS or HMSA.
- Requires three (3) months of HFBB membership for eligibility.

SUPPLEMENTAL INSURANCE

- AFLAC, Cancer insurance
- John Hancock, Long-term care insurance

FINANCIAL SERVICES

- Members can join Hawaii USA FCU and Farm Bureau Bank.
- Checking, savings, low-interest loans, home mortgages, credit cards, and much more.

AIG HAWAII INSURANCE COMPANY, INC.

- Members can enjoy discounts on personal automobile insurance and benefits like free ID Theft Prevention & Restoration Services and Worldwide Emergency Travel & Medical Assistance Services.

NEWSLETTER

- Members receive the HFBB e-newsletter containing useful information about HFBB and the agriculture industry.
- Free subscription to the award winning magazine, *Agriculture Hawaii*.

MERCHANT DISCOUNTS

- Members can benefit from many Local, State, and National discount programs.

Join HFBB

Your support and participation will ensure agriculture has a strong and collective voice in Hawaii.



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Hawaii Farm Bureau
F E D E R A T I O N

**“Voice of
Agriculture”**



What We Do

HFBF is the only statewide agricultural organization representing all sectors of agriculture and taking action to address issues affecting all of agriculture. Through the local Farm Bureau chapters on each island, members are able to raise issues and concerns and participate in the decision-making process to affect changes to issues such as land and water use planning, environmental awareness, marketing, and regulations.

HFBF helps to promote Hawaii's agriculture industry year-round through venues such as the Hawaii State Farm Fair and County Farm Fairs, farmers' markets, school programs, trade shows and more.



About HFBF

The Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation (HFBF) is a non-profit organization of farming families united for the purpose of solving problems facing farmers and agriculture. We represent, protect and advance the social, economic and educational interest of Hawaii's farmers.

Founded in 1948, HFBF represents nearly 1,600 farm families on the islands of Kauai, Oahu, Maui, Molokai, and the Big Island.

HFBF has ten local chapters:

East Oahu County Farm Bureau

Hamakua County Farm Bureau

Hilo County Farm Bureau

Kauai County Farm Bureau

Kohala County Farm Bureau

Kona County Farm Bureau

Maui County Farm Bureau

Molokai County Farm Bureau

South Oahu County Farm Bureau

West Oahu County Farm Bureau



American Farm Bureau Federation

The Hawaii Farm Bureau Federation is affiliated with the American Farm Bureau Federation, which represents more than 5 million farm families nationwide.

Actions We Have Taken

In addition to the daily work with the government agencies, HFBF is very active in lobbying Congress, the State Legislature, and all County Councils for the interest of Hawaii's farmers and ranchers. The Farm Bureau is well respected by decision makers and has effectively lobbied for items for the agricultural industry, such as:

- Increase penalties and enforcement of agricultural theft and vandalism.
- Passage of Act 183, which establishes the framework for important agricultural lands.
- Hawaii Right to Farm Act (protecting the rights of existing farms from urban encroachment.)
- 1/2% Excise Tax on farm supplies (saving farmers thousands of tax dollars on fertilizers, plant nutrients and shade cloth.)
- \$1 million annually for research and development, and other projects benefiting Hawaii's farmers.

HFBF addresses many other agricultural related issues that affect farmers and ranchers.