



Territorial Climate and Infrastructure Workshop

March 28-30, 2022
Honolulu, HI

Presented by
The Office of Insular Affairs

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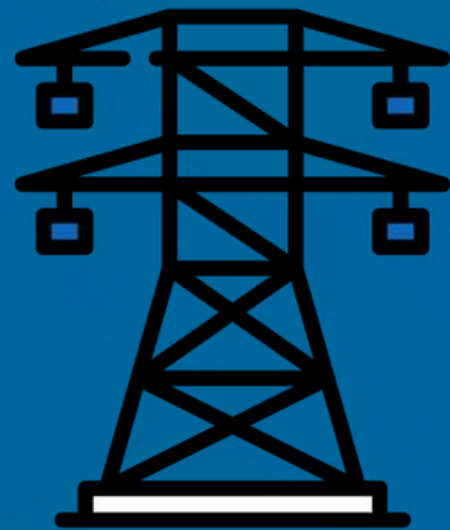
Workshop Details

- **Overview:** DOI's Office of Insular Affairs will convene the U.S. Territories, Federal agencies, and other important partners to work together to deliver significant climate and infrastructure support provided by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL).
- **Objective:** To carry on the momentum from the 2022 Interagency Group on Insular Areas (IGIA) Conference to further explore Territorial infrastructure needs and focus on strategies to support the successful implementation of projects supported by the BIL.
- **Format:** The workshop will be held March 28-30, 2022 in a hybrid (in-person/virtual) format in Honolulu, HI and virtually to allow for maximum participation by Territorial stakeholders.



BIL Topics Covered in the Workshop

- Water
- Built Infrastructure
- Natural (Blue-Green) Infrastructure
- Broadband
- Energy
- Legacy Pollution



WORKSHOP AGENDA

Day 1, March 27th

- Arrival

Day 2, March 28th

- Welcome
- **Topic 1: Water**
 - Territorial Presentations
 - Federal Agency Presentations
- **Topic 2: Built Infrastructure**
 - Territorial Presentations
 - Federal Agency Presentations
- **Topic 3: Natural (Blue-Green) Infrastructure**
 - Territorial Presentations
 - Federal Agency Presentations
- Office Hours/Networking Café

Day 3, March 29th

- **Topic 4: Broadband**
 - Territorial Presentations
 - Federal Agency Presentations
- **Topic 5: Energy**
 - Territorial Presentations
 - Federal Agency Presentations
- **Topic 6: Legacy Pollution**
 - Territorial Presentations
 - Federal Agency Presentations
- Office Hours/Networking Café

Day 4, March 30th

- Technical Assistance Working Session
- Closing and Next Steps



Target Audience and Partners

Target Audience:

- Territorial government directors, administrators, managers, and practitioners in the BIL-related sectors of *Water, Broadband, Built and Natural Infrastructure, Energy, and Legacy Pollution*
- Federal agencies
- Nongovernmental agencies
- Community and Indigenous leaders

NGO Partners (Proposed):

- Micronesia Challenge
- The Nature Conservancy
- Global Island Partnership
- Island Conservation
- East-West Center

USG Partners (Proposed):

- EPA
- USDA (NRCS, USFS)
- Commerce (NOAA, EDA)
- Defense (USACE)
- Energy
- Transportation
- DHS (FEMA)



Requests for our Federal Partners and Next Steps!

Weeks of 3/2 and 3/7:

- Identify appropriate regional staff lead(s) for the Territories in the BIL topics of Water, Broadband, Built Infrastructure, Natural Infrastructure, Energy, and Legacy Pollution
- Submit agency participant names to OIA that will be attending and/or presenting

Week of 3/14:

- Attend Federal agency partners prep meeting (*Date/time TBD*)
- Register all presenters and attendees on the forthcoming WHOVA event site

Week of 3/21:

- Finalize PPT presentations focused on the Territorial priorities and projects and send to OIA

Week of 3/28:

- Attend workshop in Hawaii (in person or virtually)!





Thank You!

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