POSITION TITLE: Urban Corps Crew Leader

ABOUT HAWAII URBAN CORPS: The Hawaii Urban Corps is a new initiative by Kupu that seeks to provide under-resourced young adults (ages 17-24) with opportunities to take steps forward in life. Corps members will learn about issues affecting Hawaii's natural environment through participating in conservation work at sites throughout Oahu. Corps members will also have opportunities to participate in life skills and professional development workshops throughout the program.

POSITION DESCRIPTION: The Urban Corps Crew Leader will supervise Corps members' work and will support and encourage Corps members to reflect on their character, skills, and behaviors in order to make positive life choices that will assist them in making a successful transition into adulthood. Crew Leader responsibilities include:

- Coordinating transportation and driving Corps members to and from program activities
- Supervising Corps members during program activities
- Collecting data to demonstrate the value of Corps members' service
- Leading Corps members in daily calisthenics exercises
- Coordinating weekly community service projects
- Supervising daily reflection and mentoring activities

This position is a full-time position (40 hours/week) that runs from October 2011 through October 2012. Applicants must be U.S. citizens, nationals, or lawful permanent resident aliens age 17 or older. The Crew Leader will be working primarily at project sites, and the physical ability and desire to work outdoors is important. Previous experience working with under-resourced or atrisk youth and/or young adult populations is desired but not required.

WHAT YOU GET:

- Modest living stipend
- \$5,350 AmeriCorps education award
- Health coverage
- Student-loan forbearance
- Child care (for those who qualify)

HOW TO APPLY: Submit an application to Kupu's Year Round Program at www.kupuhawaii.org.

QUESTIONS: (808) 735-1221 ext. 2004