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Soldiers Help Cleanup Riverbed at Waimea Trails

PŌHAKULOA TRAINING AREA, HILO, HAWAII (April 3, 2023) — U.S. Army Garrison Pōhakuloa Training Area (PTA) partnered with the non-profit, volunteer organization Waimea Trails & Greenways to clear debris from the riverbed at Waimea Trails, April 2, 2023. Almost 40 Soldiers from the 84th Engineer Command based on Oahu, spent the morning on this community service project. Soldiers gave up their free time after completing their training mission at PTA to support this project. The U.S. Army and PTA are proud to give back to the community, and routinely conducts community service projects such as cleaning up DKI Highway, beach cleanups, and other projects.

Clemson Lam, with Waimea Trails & Greenways says the amount of work the Soldiers provided would have taken volunteers about two years to complete.

Photos and video from event are available at <u>https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1x1BaWDzdJuIRNBGXtlrW3COBzCBRM6mN?usp=sharingv</u> Contact Public Affairs Officer Amy Phillips if you have questions: <u>amy.phillips.civ@army.mil</u>, office 808-787-7839 or mobile 808-824-1474.

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