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Army Corps Awards Contract for Solar Water Heater Upgrades at Fort Shafter

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(FORT SHAFTER, HI NR 19-09) The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Honolulu District, awarded a \$1,084,000 contract August 12 to Innovative Constructors Hawaii, Ltd., an 8(a) contractor from Aiea, Hawaii for a fiscal year 2009 project to help foster a clean energy-independent and efficient infrastructure on Oahu.

The 100 percent American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA)-funded project entails repairing and restoring showers, plus replacement of outdated water heaters with energy-efficient solar water heaters in buildings 520 and 525 at Fort Shafter.

The federal government funds ARRA projects to stimulate the economy and create local jobs in the state.

Contract number W9128A-09-C0006 has a 300 calendar day performance period.