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COUNTY OF HAWAI'I STATISTICS: **June**

	2003		2004		% Change	
	Month	YTD	Month	YTD	Month	YTD
BUILDING PERMITS						
Total value of building permits authorized \$1,000	47,339	343,095	108,579	443,949	129.4	29.4
Total number of building permits authorized	376	2,298	460	2,192	22.3	-4.6
Valuation of private projects (\$1,000)	45,979	329,044	106,100	421,194	130.8	28.0
Number of private projects authorized	363	2,231	443	2,127	22.0	-4.7
Valuation of public projects (\$1,000)	1,360	14,050	2,480	22,756	82.4	62.0
Number of public projects authorized	13	67	17	65	30.8	-3.0
Total new housing authorizations	179	1,333	382	1,372	113.4	2.9
New single-family units authorized	151	1,009	181	868	19.9	-14.0
New multi-family units authorized	28	324	201	504	617.9	55.6
TOURISM						
Number of domestic visitor arrivals	84,894 *	465,952 *	88,344	468,260	4.1	0.5
Number of international visitor arrivals	15,666 *	132,012 *	22,633	142,259	44.5	7.8
Number of foreign cruise ship arrivals	12,187 *	131,744 *	6,011	93,380	-50.7	-29.1
Hotel/Condominium Resort Occupancy (%)						
Hawai'i County average	64.2 *	67.3	73.0	73.3	8.8	6.0
Hilo	56.3	60.3	67.4	64.5	11.1	4.2
Kona	67.5 *	75.7	75.9	76.4	8.4	0.7
Kohala coast	64.8	65.7	73.1	74.1	8.3	8.4
LABOR FORCE						
Civilian labor force	76,200 *	74,200 *	76,800	75,883	0.8	2.3
Number of unemployed	6,100 *	4,583 *	4,300	3,883	-29.5	-15.3
Unemployment rate	8.0 *	6.2 *	5.6	5.1		
Total employed	70,100 *	69,600 *	72,400	71,983	3.3	3.4
Total wage & salary jobs ***	57,100	56,733 *	58,500	58,350	2.5	2.9
Natural Resources, Mining & Construction	4,300 *	4,200 *	4,500	4,533	4.7	7.9
Manufacturing	1,500 *	1,433 *	1,500	1,467	-	2.4
Trade, Transportation, Utilities	12,100 *	11,983 *	12,400	12,317	2.5	2.8
Wholesale Trade	1,400	1,400	1,500	1,433	7.1	2.4
Retail Trade	8,100 *	8,017 *	8,400	8,283	3.7	3.3
Finance & Insurance	1,000	1,000 *	1,000	1,000	-	-
Leisure & Hospitality Services	12,700 *	12,650 *	13,000	13,100	2.4	3.6
Accommodation & Food Services	11,200 *	11,150 *	11,400	11,550	1.8	3.6
Government	11,400	11,500 *	11,400	11,533	-	0.3
TRANSPORTATION						
Gasoline consumption (1,000 gals.)	5,772	41,414	7,368	37,761	27.7	-8.8
TAX COLLECTIONS (\$1,000)						
	21,190	116,330	27,452	140,146	29.6	20.5
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (Honolulu, all items)						
(1982-84=100) (1st = 183.2) (2d = 185.7)		184.5				
POPULATION (July 1, 2003)						
		158,423				

*Revised

**Duplex & apartment units

***Total wage & salary jobs incl. Multiple jobholders & excl. non-agric. Self-employed, unpaid family workers, domestics