

**JOB PROGRESS REPORT
DEVELOPMENT PROJECT SEGMENT**

STATE: Territory of Guam

PROJECT NO: F-9-D
SEGMENT: 5

JOB TITLE: Marine Fish Habitat Improvement and Aggregating Devices (2323)

PERIOD COVERED: October 1, 2000 to September 30, 2001

OBJECTIVE

1. To maintain, preserve and replace DAWR's fish aggregating devices.
2. To maintain, preserve and replace DAWR's shallow water moorings.
3. To establish new DAWR FADs along Guam's offshore waters.
4. To establish new DAWR SWMs within Marine Preserve areas along Guam's nearshore waters.

RESULTS

In FY/01, no FADs were redeployed and no offline FADs were recovered due to contracting problems. However, 15 new buoys and other system materials were purchased. The project also involved the production of FAD location maps for fishers. Currently, the following 5 (out of 14) systems are offline: Number 1, Number 4, Number 5, Number 6, and Agat Bay. The scope of work for an RFP for FAD deployment is ready to be announced as soon as FY/02 accounts are established. No work was done on maintaining, preserving, and replacing DAWR's SWMs, establishing new FAD's, nor establishing new SWMs due to personnel shortages.

PROGRAM COST: \$81,119

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