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**Better Business Bureau names Hawaii Detective & Guard as the 2024 Spark Award for Entrepreneurship winner for Hawaii**

**(HONOLULU, HI) October 24, 2024** - Better Business Bureau Great West + Pacific today announced [Hawaii Detective & Guard](https://www.bbb.org/us/hi/honolulu/profile/security-guards/hawaii-detective-guard-1296-1000130009) (HD&G) of Honolulu, HI the recipient of its [2024 Spark Award for Entrepreneurship](https://www.bbb.org/local/1296/bbb-awards/spark) in Hawaii.

The Spark Awards honors exceptional local businesses that have been operating for three years or less and entrepreneurs aged 35 or younger.

"BBB Foundation is thrilled to honor Hawaii Detective & Guard as the winner of the 2024 Spark Award for Entrepreneurship," said Tyler Andrew, President and CEO of BBB Great West + Pacific. "This emerging business has demonstrated exceptional ethical leadership, rising to the top in a competitive selection process. Their commitment to integrity sets a powerful example for the entrepreneurial community, and we're excited to support their continued growth in fostering a trustworthy marketplace."

[Hawaii Detective & Guard](https://hawaiidetectiveandguard.com/) was selected by an independent panel of judges based on the company’s commitment to ethical practices and building trust in the marketplace.

“HD&G is growing every day and becoming a leader in training and education for Hawaii security guards,” said Jimmie Lloyd, owner of Hawaii Detective & Guard. “As the owner, I hold HD&G to higher standards... HD&G trains its guards to know that they have value and make a difference in the lives of our clients and the public. HD&G guards present service with Aloha and we operate with high standards of integrity.”

BBB is encouraged by Hawaii Detective & Guard’s efforts in operating an honest and ethical business. These efforts align with [BBB’s eight Standards for Trust](https://www.bbb.org/all/standards-for-trust) and demonstrate the reason people come to BBB.org to [find reliable businesses](https://www.bbb.org/search).

The announcement of Hawaii Detective & Guard as the Spark Award winner for Hawaii was announced as part of a virtual ceremony that was held on October 24, 2024. Visit [thebbb.org/awards](https://thebbb.org/awards) for more information and to be notified when next year’s applications open.

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