



'ōhā wai; *Clermontia lindseyana*

and 'Amakihi

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Native birds, such as the 'Amakihi play an important role in the pollination of Hawai'i's native plants. As the bird drinks nectar, a dusting of pollen will attach to its nose, which the 'Amakihi will then pass onto the next flower it drinks from. This image was captured in the Hakalau Forest National Wildlife Refuge on Hawai'i Island.

Although the *Clermontia lindseyana* is not a PEP plant, it is a federally listed endangered species.

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remaining, collaborating with conservation partners with a shared interest in preserving Hawai'i's unique biodiversity Mahalo to the US Forest Service and the IUCN for their support of the PEP Program.

