

**Table 9.5-- STATE GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURES, BY FUNCTION:  
2003 TO 2006**

(In thousands of dollars. For fiscal year ending June 30)

<b>Functions</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>5,971,576</b>	<b>5,972,173</b>	<b>6,399,696</b>	<b>7,062,832</b>
Current	5,577,253	5,670,658	6,077,748	6,615,255
General government	429,448	450,975	508,154	493,301
Public safety	256,740	265,432	291,369	322,578
Highways	254,648	222,672	301,784	267,213
Conservation of natural resources	65,787	64,774	74,188	86,628
Health	512,864	518,667	564,807	685,679
Welfare	1,418,056	1,545,322	1,614,559	1,709,810
Lower education	1,744,625	1,758,424	1,798,208	1,984,129
Higher education	537,709	480,296	559,379	678,338
Other education	38,160	22,807	19,667	19,183
Culture and recreation	70,549	66,884	73,774	87,478
Urban redevelopment and housing	17,265	55,077	52,698	60,725
Economic development and assistance	231,402	215,133	214,377	215,559
Other	-	4,195	4,784	4,634
Debt service	394,323	301,515	321,948	447,577

Source: Hawaii State Department of Business, Economic Development and Tourism, Website:  
<http://www.hawaii.gov/dbedt/>