



Proclamation

Presented to

The Waimea Arts Council

WHEREAS, the Waimea Arts Council serves the local art community by coordinating and promoting cultural activities and programs to develop and display creative and performing arts—including music, dance, graphic arts, or skilled crafts—for residents and visitors of all age groups; and

WHEREAS, the Waimea Arts Council, one of the oldest art organizations in the State of Hawai'i, is celebrating its 40th year of offering and supporting a variety of programs, exhibits, and visual art education to local artists; and

WHEREAS, the Waimea Arts Council is one of the original participants of the Waimea Cherry Blossom Heritage Festival, and the Council's Firehouse Gallery annually presents a cherry blossom-themed art show and invites attendees of all ages to get creative with chalk on the sidewalks winding through Waimea's Historic Center;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, and **I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI**, Lt. Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim February 6, 2016 as

“WAIMEA ARTS COUNCIL DAY”

in Hawai'i and ask all the citizens of the Aloha State to join us in honoring this organization that is open to anyone who is interested in the arts, whether as a supporter, observer, or artist.

DONE at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this twenty-seventh day of January 2016.

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

SHAN S. TSUTSUI
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i