



# *Proclamation*

*In Recognition of*

## **Boy Scouts of America Troop 10 Centennial**

**WHEREAS**, Boy Scouts have collectively contributed over the last century to the cultural and economic fabric of this great state, teaching scouting skills, developing character, building friendships and creating lifelong memories of outdoor activities; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 7, 1917, Troop 10 of the Kapi'olani District – Aloha Council, the longest continuously chartered Boy Scout Troop in Hawai'i, was founded by Honolulu Mayor Charles Crane; and

**WHEREAS**, dedicated leaders like Charles Crane, who served as the first Scoutmaster for 28 years, and Masao Miyamoto, who served as the second Scoutmaster for 47 years, set the foundation for the troop's success; and

**WHEREAS**, during World War II, scouts and leaders of Troop 10 volunteered as messengers, first-aiders and firemen, assisting the Red Cross Motor Corps, Office of Civilian Defense and other government agencies, and earning a U.S. Treasury citation and Minuteman flag for their support of the War Bond Drive; and

**WHEREAS**, Troop 10 has produced many outstanding scouts who have gone on to serve the public, including Hawai'i Supreme Court Chief Justice William S. Richardson, Maui Chief of Police Abraham Aiona, State Senator Bertrand Kobayashi Jr., and United States Army General Walter Tagawa; and

**WHEREAS**, the scouts of Troop 10 have consistently contributed to the community through a variety of service projects, such as Memorial Day at the Punchbowl National Cemetery, Kaimuki Christmas parade, and hundreds of individual Eagle projects benefitting the Honolulu Zoo, Coconut Island, Wakiki Health Center's Youth Outreach House, Hale O Honolulu Club, Catholic Charities, HUGS and many more; and

**WHEREAS**, Troop 10 has reached over 2,100 young men of Honolulu and Kaimuki and continues to promote courage, confidence and character in scouts, training them to serve their communities and make the world a better place;

**THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, and I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim July 2, 2017 as the day of commemoration for the**

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in Hawai'i and encourage the citizens of Hawai'i to recognize the positive contributions that Troop 10 of the Boy Scouts of America has made to our communities.

**DONE** at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this first day of June 2017.

DAVID Y. IGE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

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