



Proclamation
In Recognition of
National Parents' Day

WHEREAS, on October 14, 1994, President Bill Clinton approved a resolution that was unanimously adopted by the U.S. Congress, designating the fourth Sunday in July as National Parents' Day to commemorate the important role in raising children; and

WHEREAS, on this day, we honor all parents who are exceptional role models and exemplify parental love, service, and dedication to their family; and

WHEREAS, Parents' Day presents a wonderful opportunity for communities, organizations, and various congregations to honor parenthood and to encourage families everywhere to invest in our most precious resource—our children; and

WHEREAS, Parents' Day recognizes outstanding parents, celebrates teamwork in raising children, and supports the role of parental guidance in building a strong, stable society; and

WHEREAS, in raising children to be responsible citizens, parents play a crucial role in providing a strong foundation for a healthy, peaceful community; and

WHEREAS, the Universal Peace Federation Hawai'i, primary sponsor of the National Parents' Day Celebration Banquet in Hawai'i, along with Collegiate Association for the Research of Principles, Family Federation for World Peace and Unification, and American Clergy Leadership Conference, advocate for programs and activities that promote and protect the family;

THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, and I, DOUGLAS S. CHIN, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim July 20, 2018 as

“PARENTS' DAY”

in Hawai'i and ask the people of the Aloha State to join us in recognizing the important role of parents in providing a safe, loving and nurturing environment for children as they grow into adulthood.

Done at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this eleventh day of July 2018.

DAVID Y. IGE
Governor, State of Hawai'i

DOUGLAS S. CHIN
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i