

Proclamation In Recognition of

C-SPAN 50 Capitals Tour

WHEREAS, this year marks the 25th anniversary of the C-SPAN Bus program traveling the country; and

WHEREAS, the C-SPAN Bus is on the road visiting all 50 state capitals as part of a 14-month tour to engage teachers, students, elected officials and viewers, and to showcase C-SPAN's multi-platform public service resources; and

WHEREAS, the C-SPAN Bus tour offers in-depth public affairs event coverage, promotes public access to the political process, and gathers information on local history; and

WHEREAS, at each destination in the tour, state elected officials are interviewed about issues that are important in their state, and local citizens can voice issues that affect their community; and

WHEREAS, the C-SPAN Bus visits schools, universities, book festivals, campaign events, museums and conventions, allowing interested persons an inside look at C-SPAN's comprehensive educational and political resources; and

WHEREAS, the C-SPAN Bus is equipped with 11 touchscreen tablets, a 360° video station, selfie station, and an onboard HD production studio; and

WHEREAS, bus visitors can test their knowledge about political processes with interactive quizzes, stay connected via Facebook, Twitter, YouTube and other mobile apps, and browse through the extensive video library archives with over 230,000 hours of searchable video from 1979 forward; and

WHEREAS, Hawai'i was last showcased on the C-SPAN Bus tour in 1997, and on its 25th anniversary, the C-SPAN Bus will visit 0'ahu and Maui;

THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, and I, DOUGLAS S. CHIN, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim August 15-22, 2018 as

"C-SPAN WEEK IN HAWAI'I"

and ask the people of the Aloha State to join us in welcoming the C-SPAN Bus to the Aloha State, come and learn about the political process on an innovative, high-tech platform, and see all that the C-SPAN Bus has to offer our citizens and students.

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

Governor, State of Hawai'i

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i