

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Filipino Chamber of Commerce of Hawai'i (FCCH) provides leadership, promotes Hawai'i's business community through its programs and activities, and broadens opportunities for Filipino entrepreneurs and member businesses; and

WHEREAS, as the leading voice of Filipino Business in Hawai'i, FCCH strengthens business connections between Hawai'i and the Philippines; and

WHEREAS, FCCH assists in the professional growth of its members and supports the well-being of our community; and

WHEREAS, FCCH continues to enhance working relationships in the Filipino community through membership, networking opportunities, and entrepreneurial and business workshops; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with a Cooperative Memorandum of Understanding signed of March 9, 2016 by the presidents of the Chinese, Filipino, Japanese and Korean Chambers of Commerce, FCCH seeks opportunities to work together in the areas of business, education and preservation of culture; and

WHEREAS, FCCH is participating in the Chamber of Commerce Hawai'i's "Chamber Week" which features a series of events designed to encourage local businesses to become more involved in the legislative process and to give members the opportunity to hear from key legislators on matters facing our economic future;

THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor, and I, JOSHUA B. GREEN, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim January 13–17, 2020 as

"CHAMBER WEEK"

in Hawai'i and ask the people of the Aloha State to join us in recognizing the Filipino Chamber of Commerce Hawai'i for its efforts to "Believe for Better" and for its part in strengthening the presence of Filipino businesses in Hawai'i.

Done at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this tenth day of January 2020.

JOSHUA B. GREEN

Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawai'i

DAVID Y. IGE

Governor, State of Hawai'i