

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) is a volunteer organization; and

WHEREAS, the success of Scouting for Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, Venturing, Exploring and Sea Scouts depends on our community organizations; and

WHEREAS, there are 197 churches and synagogues, schools and parent-teacher associations, service and fraternal clubs, and other community organizations that have been chartered in our area by the Boy Scouts of America to implement Scouting programs; and

WHEREAS, many trained and certified volunteer leaders are performing an outstanding service for over 5,000 young men and women throughout Hawai'i; and

WHEREAS, the Aloha Council-Boy Scouts of America was established in 1911 and its corps of dedicated volunteer leaders continue to provide necessary support to the pack, troop and crew leaders:

THEREFORE I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the **State of Hawai'i,** do hereby proclaim September 26–October 2, 2020 as

"SCOUTING WEEK"

in Hawai'i and encourage our keiki and their families to participate in the Virtual Open House on September 26, learn more about the fun, practicality and value of scouting, and join the adventure.

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

Governor, State of Hawai'i