

HCR 87

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Sent: Wednesday, April 14, 2010 8:52 PM
To: EDTTestimony
Subject: HCR 87

TO: Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair
Senate Economic Development and Technology Committee

RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii

FROM: Perry Sorenson, Member, Board of Directors of the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

Ms. Chairwoman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

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"In the presence of eternity, the mountains are as transient as the clouds. -Robert Green Ingersoll, lawyer and orator" (1833-1899)

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From: Patrick Dugan [Patrick.Dugan@MWC-Anthology.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 15, 2010 5:53 AM
To: EDTTestimony
Subject: I Support HCR87: Surf Week - Week of August 24th

Aloha Senator Fukunaga and committee members,

As a volunteer board member of the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation, please count me among those supporting HCR87 and the declaring of the week of August 24th as "Surf Week in Hawaii."

This particular week is especially notable in the annals of Hawaii surfing history as August 24 is the birth date of the legendary Duke Paoa Kahanamoku. This year represents the 120th anniversary of Duke's birthday. I'm sure a recounting of Duke's many incredible accomplishments isn't necessary, except to say that Duke is regarded worldwide as the "Father of International Surfing" and probably had more influence on the growth of surfing in Hawaii and around the world than any other person.

The date August 24 also serves as the signal point for the annual Duke's OceanFest in Waikiki. Now in its 9th year, Duke's OceanFest has evolved, in my opinion, into Waikiki's premier ocean sports festival. In tribute to the enduring legacy of Duke Kahanamoku, several of the events are centered around surfing.

Thus, it would be perfectly appropriate for the Legislature to support the passing of HCR87 and formally declare the week of August 24 as "Surf Week in Hawaii."

Mahalo nui loa,
Patrick Dugan
Board Member, 2004-Present
Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

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Subject: Supporting Testimony for HCR87

Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair
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Aloha Chairwoman Senator Fukunaga and Vice Chairwoman Senator Baker:

On behalf of all of the beach boys, lifeguards, surf instructors, boat crews and managers of the Waikiki Beach Activities ohana who work every day on Duke Kahanamoku Beach and Duke Kahanamoku Lagoon we all support HCR87. Duke Kahanamoku should be honored in this way.

Mahalo for passing this legislation.

Aloha,

Bob Hampton
President
Waikiki Beach Activities

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Subject: In support of HCR87

I am in support of the resolution below.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE, 2010
STATE OF HAWAII

H.C.R. NO. 87

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

WHEREAS, section 5-13.5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, provides that surfing is adopted, established, and designated as the official individual sport of the State; and

WHEREAS, he'e nalu, or surfing, was a sport originally enjoyed by Hawaiian alii, and ultimately by commoners as well; and

WHEREAS, many Hawaiians believe that surfing has its roots in the Kumulipo, the epic Hawaiian creation chant; and

WHEREAS, in writing about the Kumulipo chant, Palani Kanak'ole Kahahele stated that:

The Kumulipo articulates and reveals the connections of the sky and earth, the ocean and land and man, the man and gods and returns again to repeat the cycle with the sky and earth, who are the gods. The Kumulipo recognized that the interrelationships of all things in an everlasting continuum, it is Ponahakeola, the chaotic whirlwind of life.

The Kumulipo is the reality of our dim past, the foundation for our present and the pathway into the future. It is a cognizant reminder of our ancestors, their intelligence, failure, conquest, and defeat. This song is a gift which encourages the Warrior within us to awake to the contests and challenges which consistently confront us by using intelligence and ancestral experiences. It is our genealogy connecting mankind to earth and sky. You are the Kumulipo, know that esoteric soul inside of you and celebrate your ponahakeola; and

WHEREAS, the essence of surfing is further tied to the Kumulipo chant by the words of Kimo Campbell, in his preface to The Kumulipo: A Hawaiian Creation Myth:

Here we are speaking not only affection for past times and people but of respect and understanding for them. As we try to understand the things we have valued and still value in Hawaii, we create a moral vision of what we would like a future Hawaii to be; and

WHEREAS, the international popularity of surfing makes it one of the world's most dominant ocean sports, with approximately twenty-three million surfers worldwide; and

WHEREAS, the designation of a Surf Week would honor and celebrate the surfing tradition of Hawaii's watermen and water women; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the Twenty-fifth Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2010, the Senate concurring, that there shall be a designated Surf Week in Hawaii, during the week that includes August 24, the birth date of one of Hawaii's most famous and skillful watermen, Duke Kahanamoku; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Governor, the Hawaii Surfing Association, and the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

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Attachments: HCR87: Surf Week - Week of August 24th

March 16, 2010
1:30 p.m. - Conference Room 423

TO: Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair
Senate Economic Development and Technology Committee

RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

FROM: Kathryn Heller , OceanFest Committee

Ms. Chairwoman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

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RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

FROM: **JEFFREY AKA** , OceanFest Committee

Ms. Chairwoman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

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FROM: **Nancy Daniels**, OceanFest Committee

Ms. Chairwoman:

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FROM: **Claudette Luana Maitland** , OceanFest Committee

Ms. Chairwoman:

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Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair
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RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii.

FROM: Earl Pamai Tenn, Liaison for Nadine A. Kahanamoku

Ms. Chairwoman:

I support HCR 87, DESIGNATING THE WEEK THAT INCLUDES AUGUST 24TH AS SURF WEEK IN HAWAII.

Please note the following exceptions:

The 4th WHEREAS, name should be Pualani Kanakaole Kanahele and not Palani Kanak'ole Kahahele.

Mahalo nui for allowing me to testify on HCR 87.

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From: RCullenOrg@aol.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 14, 2010 3:38 PM
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Subject: Support for Surf Week HCR87

Please know that I am in support of Bill HCR87 in support of Surf Week, the week of August 24th. This would be especially wonderful as this is the date of legend Duke Kahanamoku's birth.
Sincerely,

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From: David Buck [david@hawaiihomelistings.com]
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To Whom it May Concern,

In memory of Duke Kahamoku, I am in support of HCR87 to support Surf Week, the week of the Duke's birthday.

Mahalo,
David

David Buck

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TO: Senator Carol Fukunaga, Chair
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair
Senate Economic Development and Technology Committee

RE: Testimony in SUPPORT of HCR 87: Designating the week that includes August 24th as surf week in Hawaii

FROM: William Philpotts, Board Member, Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation

Ms. Chairwoman:

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Chairperson Senator Carol Fukunaga
Vice Chairperson Rosalyn H. Baker
Senate Economic and Development
And Technology Committee

Dear Senator as former President of the Outrigger Duke Kahanamoku Foundation I would ask for your support and pass resolution HCR87 to support Surf Week during the week of Duke Birthday's and Duke's OceanFest.

Regards,

James M. Fulton