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**Dear Chair Keith-Agaran, Vice-chair Rhoads and Members of the Committee:**

**I strongly support both SR30 and SCR78 which seek to recognize April 15 through April 22, 2018, as Volunteer Week in the State of Hawaii. I encourage and thank you for supporting these resolutions.**

The intention of these Resolutions are the bservance of National Volunteer Week which has been scheduled during one week a year in April every year since 1974.

Kanu Hawaii seeks to engage our community in acting compassionately and in the best interest of all to increase awareness of volunteering opportunities, to build relationships and contribute to a culture of aloha across Hawaii. We have worked on important issues such as civic engagement/voter engagement, energy conservation, solid waste/recycling, Eat Local/Buy Local, and many others. We hope to use National Volunteer Week to get our members out into the community and connected with service projects from a host of different partner organizations, with the kokua of our business community.

Your support would be most appreciated.

Sincerely,

Karen Shishido

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<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
ada mcfeely	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

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<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Alita Smith	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and won't be able to testify in person.

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<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Anthony Garma	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and cannot make it to the hearing. I believe in the importance of this resolution. Volunteer work is very important. I agree the most with the part of the resolution that says, individuals and communities are at the center of social change, discovering their power to make a difference

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**Testimony in Support of SCR 78 and SR 30**  
Senate Committee on Judiciary and Labor  
March 22, 2017 at 9:35am  
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Aloha Chair Keith-Agaran, Vice-Chair Rhoads, and Committee members,

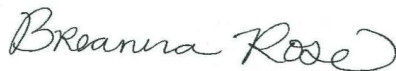
**I strongly support both SR30 and SCR78**, which seek to recognize April 15 through April 22, 2018, as Volunteer Week in the State of Hawai'i.

National Volunteer Week has been scheduled nationally during one week a year in April since 1974, and is an opportunity to inspire community service for the betterment of our island home. In addition to helping address the many needs facing our communities, this would provide a platform for education, connectivity and partnerships, and the spirit of aloha.

Kanu Hawai'i empowers people to build more compassionate and resilient communities rooted in island style values and personal commitments to change. Kanu has engaged tens of thousands of individuals across the state for the past decade, and seeks to organize residents, volunteers, local businesses, non-profits, community organizations and other partners as part of Hawai'i's Volunteer Week. This opportunity can have a lasting impact on Hawai'i's residents and diverse communities.

I respectfully encourage your support for these resolutions, and appreciate your consideration.

Mahalo,  
Breanna Rose

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Breanna Rose". The signature is written in dark ink on a light-colored background.

Board President  
Kanu Hawai'i

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<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Ellane Kato	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and cannot testify in person. Please pass this resolution.  
Thank you

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Fiona Medina	Individual	Support	No

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Imelda Slater	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and cannot make it to testify in person. Volunteer work is very important and should be recognized. Thank you

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Jason Lloreta	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and won't be able to testify in person. I support volunteer work and encourage others to do the same. Thank you

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Joni Shigematsu	Individual	Support	No

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<b>Submitted By</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Testifier Position</b>	<b>Present at Hearing</b>
Joshua Lloreta	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and cannot make it to testify in person. Volunteer work is important. We are all able to volunteer and should. Thank you

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Kevin Yasuda	Individual	Support	No

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**SR30**

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Kylee Mar	Individual	Support	No

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Larry Yasuda	Individual	Support	No

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Lizann Vihinha	Individual	Support	No

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Melissa Lida	Individual	Support	No

Comments: I live on Kauai and cannot testify in person. Thank you for hearing this. Volunteer work is very important and it is something everyone of us is able to do!

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Merle Takashima	Individual	Support	No

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Richard Mizusawa	Individual	Support	No

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Willabeth Ludington	Individual	Support	No

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