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I shall add to the cause. As a Veteran of American Military service, as I was held to a Code of Conduct and cannot see why civilian government employees are not held to such a thing. Are civilians incapable of adhering to such a concept? I'd like to believe they can, but money and power are simply too enticing. Unfortunately some military have been afflicted, but when they get caught, the code comes back to bite them, as it should be. I shall give you Gary Hooser's 5 points:

***The full public funding for all State and County elections in Hawai'i.** (the most important)

*Banning the solicitation or acceptance of campaign donations during the legislative session.

***Reducing the cap on campaign donations** from from \$6,000, \$4,000 and \$2,000 to \$100, \$100, and \$100. Montana caps their maximum donation for state legislative races at \$180 per election.

*Banning contributions from corporations and unions as 21 other states now do.

*Limit candidate campaign war chests. This is done in Alaska where candidates can only carry forward a small portion of their campaign account from one election to the next. This law was upheld by the Alaska Supreme Court which noted that when a candidate who is unopposed raises money and squirrels it away for a future election, they are effectively circumventing donation limits for that future election.

To quote Kai Kehele "Hawai'i not for sale!"

Mahalo for taking this into consideration, Dave Kisor: Damaged Veteran USN/USNR; Geographer BA/MA; retired USFS fire research technician

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