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## Aloha kākou,

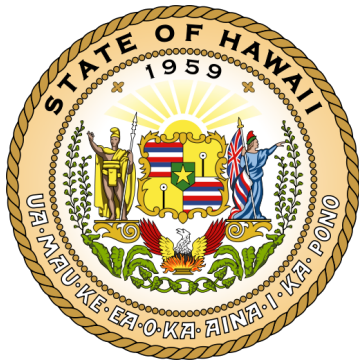
To begin, I'm honored to serve as your representative in the Hawai'i State House. As we begin the new year, I am confident that we can achieve great things by working hand-in hand to move our community forward.

When we welcome visitors to our community, we mean it. We greet our guests with aloha and, no matter how little we have, offer them a seat at the table.

We strive, each day, to uplift our neighbors. Nearly 4 percent more people live in poverty in Wahiawā than in the rest of Hawai'i, on average, but we are one 'ohana. Our unemployment rate is three times our state's average, but we work hard to create an economy that works for all.

Unfortunately, our society is steeped in cynicism. When we read reports about the ethical lapses of our political leaders, we resign ourselves to a continuation of the status quo.

Yet, change is possible. As a civic educator, I know that our



**2019 Legislative  
Priorities**

**Economic Justice**

- Raise the minimum wage.
- Provide tax relief for working families.
- Build safe sidewalks.

**Educational Opportunity**

- Increase funding for public schools.
- Reduce standardized testing.
- Support whole child learning and special needs keiki.

**Aloha 'Aina**

- Audit the Agribusiness Development Corporation.
- Expand renewable energy.
- Stop pesticide abuse.

**Health and Human Rights**

- Boost homeless services.
- Advance drug treatment.
- End sexual exploitation.

*Putting people first!*

lawmakers are role models for democratic engagement. My students and my own children look up to legislators who use their power to help the most vulnerable in our society—people like Patsy Mink, who championed gender justice in our schools.

It's that commitment to our state's most vulnerable residents that I will carry with me as your representative each and every day. I will never stop fighting to boost prosperity for working families, preserve our 'āina for future generations, and provide a quality education for our keiki.

Additionally, I will work tirelessly to protect working families by raising the minimum wage, building truly affordable housing for those living at or near poverty, and rebuilding our education system, so that all of our keiki have a chance to succeed.

I look forward to partnering with you during the 2019 legislative session. When we remain committed to the public good, we can build a better future for ourselves and our children. We just need the courage to keep marching forward, for the sake of the generations to come.

Mahalo nui loa,

*Rep. Amy Perruso*

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