
HOUSE RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING THE LIFELONG CONTRIBUTIONS OF PATRICIA SAIKI AND
COMMENDING HER OUTSTANDING PUBLIC SERVICE.

1 WHEREAS, it is customary for the Legislature of the State
2 of Hawaii recognize the extraordinary contributions of its
3 citizens; and
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5 WHEREAS, Patricia Saiki's contributions to the state of
6 Hawaii as well as the United State of America are more than
7 worthy of such commendations; and
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9 WHEREAS, Patricia Saiki began her career teaching history
10 in Hawaii's public and private schools for twelve years; and
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12 WHEREAS, Patricia Saiki was elected to the Hawaii State
13 House of Representatives in 1968, where she served for six
14 years; and
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16 WHEREAS, Patricia Saiki ran for and was elected to the
17 State Senate in 1974; and
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19 WHEREAS, Patricia Saiki later successfully ran for U.S.
20 Congress in 1986, where she became the first Republican woman to
21 represent Hawaii in the House of Representatives since Mary
22 Elizabeth Pruett Farrington in 1954 as a Territorial Delegate;
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25 WHEREAS, while serving in Washington, D.C., Patricia Saiki
26 convinced the George H. W. Bush administration to cease bombing
27 operations on Kaho'olawe; and
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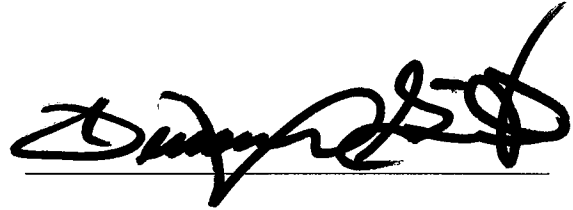
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1 WHEREAS, upon leaving Congress, Patricia Saiki was
2 appointed as director of the Small Business Administration by
3 President George H. W. Bush; and
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5 WHEREAS, Patricia Saiki is widely recognized and admired
6 for mentoring prominent Hawaii Republicans such as former
7 Governor Linda Lingle; now, therefore,
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9 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
10 Thirty-second Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
11 Session of 2023, that this body commends Patricia Saiki on the
12 many mentioned and unmentioned lifetime contributions to the
13 United States of America and the people of Hawaii and wishes her
14 all the success in her future endeavors.
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