

MAR 07 2025

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU TO LIGHT UP CITY HALL  
WITH PURPLE LIGHTS ON AUGUST 7 OF EACH YEAR IN HONOR OF  
NATIONAL PURPLE HEART DAY.

1 WHEREAS, the Purple Heart is one of the most recognized,  
2 respected, and oldest military decorations awarded to members of  
3 the United States Armed Forces; and

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5 WHEREAS, the Purple Heart is awarded to those service  
6 members who have been injured or killed in military service to  
7 the United States; and

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9 WHEREAS, the act of sustaining a wound or sacrificing one's  
10 life in the line of military duty has been recognized as a  
11 singularly meritorious act of extraordinary fidelity service  
12 warranting receipt of the Purple Heart; and

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14 WHEREAS, meritorious acts of extraordinary fidelity service  
15 are the foundation of many of the modern freedoms enjoyed by the  
16 people of this country; and

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18 WHEREAS, the Legislature finds it proper for the State to  
19 specifically honor the sacrifices of servicemembers who have  
20 received the Purple Heart; and

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22 WHEREAS, August 7 is recognized as National Purple Heart  
23 Day; now, therefore,

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25 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third  
26 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025, the  
27 House of Representatives concurring, that the City and County of  
28 Honolulu is requested to light up City Hall with purple lights  
29 on August 7 of each year in honor of National Purple Heart Day;  
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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified a copy of this  
2 Concurrent Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor of the City  
3 and County of Honolulu.  
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OFFERED BY:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Gaskin", is written over a horizontal line.