
HOUSE RESOLUTION

COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359 -
HAWAIIAN KIDS FOR ITS OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENTS.

1 WHEREAS, proudly representing Waialua High & Intermediate
2 School, WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359 - HAWAIIAN KIDS has
3 demonstrated an unwavering commitment to excellence in science,
4 technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM), fostering a
5 team culture that promotes innovation, teamwork, and critical
6 problem-solving skills among its members; and
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8 WHEREAS, WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359 - HAWAIIAN KIDS has
9 consistently represented the school and the broader Waialua
10 community with distinction through active participation in
11 competitive robotics events, earning numerous awards, advancing
12 in regional and national competitions, and showcasing
13 exceptional technical skills, creativity, and perseverance in
14 designing, building, and programming robotic systems; and
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16 WHEREAS, notable achievements of WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359
17 - HAWAIIAN KIDS include winning the 2026 FIRST Robotics
18 Competition Hawaii Regional and receiving the 2026 Hawaii
19 Regional FIRST Impact Award and 2026 Canadian Pacific Regional
20 Woodie Flowers Finalist Award; and
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22 WHEREAS, WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359 - HAWAIIAN KIDS has
23 devoted significant time and effort to learning engineering
24 concepts and working collaboratively to overcome challenges; its
25 achievements at the state and national levels are a testament to
26 the hard work and dedication of its student members and the
27 invaluable support provided by mentors, coaches, educators, and
28 families; and
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30 WHEREAS, the members of WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359 -
31 HAWAIIAN KIDS serve as exemplary role models for their peers,
32 promoting STEM education and encouraging future generations to



1 pursue careers in technology through hosting robotics workshops
2 for local schools, organizing annual community STEM fairs, and
3 establishing meaningful partnerships with local businesses and
4 organizations to provide hands-on learning opportunities that
5 inspire students and the broader community; now, therefore,
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7 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
8 Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Hawai'i, Regular Session
9 of 2026, that this body hereby commends and congratulates
10 WAIALUA ROBOTICS TEAM 359 - HAWAIIAN KIDS for its outstanding
11 accomplishments and extends to the team its warmest aloha and
12 best wishes for continued success as the team prepares for the
13 upcoming national and international robotics competitions,
14 pursues new STEM outreach initiatives, and strives to achieve
15 greater milestones in the year ahead.
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