



Proclamation

The international honorary sorority, Alpha Delta Kappa was founded in 1947 in Kansas City, Missouri, by visionaries Agnes Shipman Robertson, Marie Neal, Marion Southall and Hattie Poppino – all who saw a need to recognize and support the professional efforts of outstanding women educators.

The Hawai'i Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa was founded in 1959 by Gladys Leiser, and today consists of more than 600 members participating in 20 chapters across O'ahu, Maui, Kaua'i, and the Big Island.

Based on peer recognition, membership is honorary in Hawai'i's Alpha Delta Kappa and offers opportunities for leadership development and networking through workshops, training sessions, conferences and conventions.

Hawai'i's Alpha Delta Kappa sorority supports educational and humanitarian programs through annual scholarships, along with providing monetary donations and volunteer services to community groups.

Members of the Hawai'i chapter generously contribute to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, the Koke'e Discovery Center on Kaua'i, Honolulu Theater for Youth, Keiki's Dream on Maui, Kids Voting Hawai'i and the University of Hawai'i—Mānoa's Theatre department.

THEREFORE, I, LINDA LINGLE, Governor, and **I, JAMES R. "DUKE" AIONA, JR.**, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim October 13, 2007, as

ALPHA DELTA KAPPA FOUNDER'S DAY

in the Aloha State, and urge our citizens to recognize this national association and the benefits they offer locally in our community and to women educators in Hawai'i.

Done at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this seventh day of October 2007.

Linda Lingle
Governor, State of Hawai'i

James R. "Duke" Aiona, Jr.
Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawai'i