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MESSAGE FROM U.S. SENATOR MAZIE K. HIRONO

In Honor of the 20th Annual Mahatma Gandhi Day Event



October 2, 2025

Aloha and welcome to everyone attending the 20th annual Mahatma Gandhi Day Event commemorating his 156th birthday and recognizing the International Day of Non-Violence.

October 2nd has been designated Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi Day in Hawaii. Every year, the Gandhi International Institute for Peace hosts a day of celebration and reflection in which participants gather to enjoy music, cultural dance, meditation, and much more.

The theme of this year's event is Global Peace, which serves as an important reminder of how crucial it is that we reaffirm our commitment to non-violence, even in the hardest of times. May we all continue to be inspired by Mahatma Gandhi's legacy to build a better and more inclusive future together.

Mahalo to the Gandhi International Institute for Peace for their continuous efforts to promote non-violence, tolerance, respect for diversity, human rights, and fundamental freedoms for all.

My best wishes for a memorable event and for your continued success.

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Sincerely,

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