

Resolution

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CONGRATULATING THE 2016
MAUI PONY ALL-STARS FOR WINNING THE
WEST ZONE CHAMPIONSHIP AND ADVANCING
TO THE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME AT THE PONY
LEAGUE BASEBALL WORLD SERIES

WHEREAS, the Maui PONY All-Stars, a team of 13- and 14-year-olds, won the PONY League West Zone championship on July 31, 2016 in West Covina, California; and

WHEREAS, the Maui PONY All-Stars were undefeated in four games in the West Zone tournament; and

WHEREAS, the Maui PONY All-Stars advanced to the West Zone after winning the State championship on Kauai in June; and

WHEREAS, after winning the West Zone championship, the Maui PONY All-Stars went on to play in the PONY League Baseball World Series in Washington, Pennsylvania, August 6-10, 2016; and

WHEREAS, at the World Series, the Maui PONY All-Stars qualified for the championship game after three consecutive wins, 9-0 over Germany, 6-5 over Laredo, Texas, and 19-3, Bay County, Michigan; and

WHEREAS, the Maui PONY All-Stars lost to Taiwan in the championship game at the PONY League Baseball World Series; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 Maui PONY All-Stars team consists of players Andre Beaudoin, Hauoli Caliva, Isaiah Duarte, Haku Dudoit, Ka'aimokuokalani Dukelow, Kaipo Haole, Cade Kalehuawehe, Kaeo Kamau, Micah Kele, Roy Meinen, Konnor Palmeira, Graydon Tanaka, Dawson Tokishi, Kevin Varner, Jr., and Adam Yamashita; coaches Craig Okita and Kevin Galicinao; and managers Dean Yamashita and Shane Awai; and

WHEREAS, the exceptional performance, dedication, and team spirit of the Maui PONY Maui All-Stars have brought pride and honor to the people of the County of Maui; now, therefore,

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Maui:

1. That it hereby congratulates the 2016 Maui PONY All-Stars for winning the West Zone championship and advancing to the championship game at the PONY League Baseball World Series; and
2. That certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Maui PONY All-Stars players, coaches, and managers; the Honorable David Ige, Governor, State of Hawaii; the Honorable Shan Tsutsui, Lieutenant Governor, State of Hawaii; and the Honorable Alan Arakawa, Mayor, County of Maui.

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