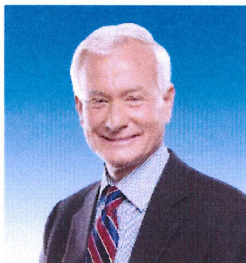


MESSAGE FROM MAYOR KIRK CALDWELL



It gives me great pleasure to invite you to visit Honolulu to enjoy our wonderful weather, Hawaiian culture, attractions, accommodations, and shopping as a participant of the 38th Annual Pan-Pacific Festival.

The Pan-Pacific Festival has become a much-anticipated tradition in Honolulu since its inception in 1980 as “Matsuri in Hawai`i”. Each year, thousands of people attend the Festival’s *ho`olaule`a*, parade, and performances. The multitude of festivities offered represent the unity of the various cultures living here in Hawai`i. The root of the Pan Pacific Festival’s success lies in the shared celebration of the participants.

On behalf of the people of the City and County of Honolulu, I extend my deep appreciation to Kintetsu International Hawai`i and encourage you to partake in one of Honolulu’s premier events.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kirk Caldwell". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Kirk Caldwell