

ASSOCIATION OF HAWAIIAN CIVIC CLUBS

A RESOLUTION

No. 2019 - 10

HONORING AND REMEMBERING THE LIFE OF ULULANI KELI'IKOA SHERLOCK

WHEREAS, Ululani Keli'ikoa Sherlock was born to Joseph David Keli'ikoa and Caroline Hinano Namahoe on October 9, 1940, and raised in the Nānākuli Hawaiian Homestead Community; and

WHEREAS, Ulu, as she was fondly called, attended Nānāikapono Elementary and graduated from Kamehameha Schools for Girls in 1958, and moved to Chicago and attended Harper Community College; and

WHEREAS, while in Chicago, she met her loving husband Robert Sherlock and started her family with the birth of their son, Richard Joseph Kamuela Sherlock; and

WHEREAS, Ulu returned to Hawai'i in 1979 and continued her education at Hawai'i Community College, graduated from the University of Hawai'i at Hilo in 1999 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in liberal arts; and

WHEREAS, Ulu served the Hawaiian community in positions with the Office of Hawaiian Affairs and retired from the University of Hawai'i system and the Office of Mauna Kea Management; and

WHEREAS, Ulu was a dedicated member of Hawaiian Civic Club of Laupāhoehoe, a past president of the Prince David Kawānanakoa Hawaiian Civic Club, a lifetime member of Nānāikapono Hawaiian Civic Club, and a charter member of the Ke Ali'i Victoria Ka'iulani Hawaiian Civic Club of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, she served as the chair of the Employment and Housing Committee for the annual convention of the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs from 2005 to 2008; and

WHEREAS, she also chaired the 'Aha Mele at the annual convention in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Ulu was a lifetime member of 'Ahahui Ka'ahumanu, Hilo Chapter, Helu III;
and

WHEREAS, Ulu was a faithful and outstanding member of Hale O Nā Ali‘i O Hawai‘i, Hālau ‘O Kalākaua Inc, Helu ‘Elua from her initiation on January 11, 1981; serving as an officer holding the positions of Ikū Kau (Secretary) 1981-1987, Ikū Nu‘u (Second Vice President) 1988, Ikū Ha‘i (President) 1988-2006, and Ikū Naha (Retired Past President) 2007; and

WHEREAS, while serving as a Hale O Nā Ali‘i Hālau ‘O Kalākaua officer, she concurrently served on its ‘Aha Kahuna Nui (State Board of Governors) as the Ikū Kau Nui (Secretary), Ikū Lani Nui (State Vice President), Ikū Ha‘i Nui (State President) from 1993-2001, retiring and being elevated to Ikū Naha Nui II; and

WHEREAS, as a leader for Hale O Nā Ali‘i O Hawai‘i, she championed for the lāhui with the promotion of respect for Maunakea, post-secondary education in West Hawai‘i and ali‘i legacies; and

WHEREAS, Ulu was proud of her commitment and service to the many organizations her was a member of, including: Alu Like, Kahu Kū Mauna, Hawai‘i Island Burial Council, Hawai‘i Volcanoes National Park Kūpuna Council, Pōhakuloa Training Area Kūpuna Advisory Council and Keaukaha Community Association; and

WHEREAS, on June 9, 2019, at her home in Keaukaha, Waiākea, Hilo, Hawai‘i, Ulu breathed her last breath of our earthly realm and entered into the presence of her ancestors; and

WHEREAS, the ‘Ahahui Hale O Nā Ali‘i O Hawai‘i adopted a similar resolution at its 69th annual convention held in July 2019.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs at its 60th Annual Convention in Lahaina, Maui, in the malama of Welehu and the rising of Lā‘au Pau, this 16th day of November 2019, honoring and remembering the life of Ululani Keli‘ikoa Sherlock; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to Nanialoa Langridge, Richard Sherlock, the Hawaiian Civic Club of Laupāhoehoe, as well as the Governor of the State of Hawai‘i, President of the State Senate, Speaker of the State House of Representatives, Chair of the State Senate subject matter committee on Hawaiian Affairs, Chair of the State House subject matter committee on Hawaiian Affairs, Chair of the Board of Trustees of the Office of Hawaiian Affairs, and all County Mayors.



The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted in the malama of Welehu and the rising of Lā'au Pau on the 16th day of November 2019, at the 60th Annual Convention of the Association of Hawaiian Civic Clubs in Lahaina, Maui.

Handwritten signature of Hailama V. K. K. Farden in cursive script.

Hailama V. K. K. Farden, President