



Proclamation

Presented

In Recognition of the 2013-2014 University of Hawai'i Men's Basketball Team

WHEREAS, the 2013-2014 University of Hawai'i Men's Basketball Team started the season with seven new faces, beginning what was its second season in the Big West Conference without three-year starter and two-time all-conference player Vander Joaquim; and

WHEREAS, the 2013-2014 University of Hawai'i Men's Basketball Team was led by fourth-year head coach Gib Arnold, who has brought an electrifying style of play to the Stan Sheriff Center, building an excitement that yielded the biggest crowds for the program in eight years, with senior Christian Standhardinger selected for the Reese's Division I College All-Star Game; and

WHEREAS, the 2013-2014 University of Hawai'i Men's Basketball Team finished the 2013-2014 season 20-11 overall and 9-7 in Conference play, finishing fourth in the Big West Conference after being ranked sixth in the Preseason Media Poll – its first 20-win season since finishing 21-12 in the Western Athletic Conference in the 2003-2004 season; and

WHEREAS, the 2013-2014 University of Hawai'i Men's Basketball Team, known as a hard-driving and spirited squad, over the course of the season developed into an efficient group of highly skilled athletes whose talent is equaled only by their commendable display of teamwork;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Lieutenant Governor for the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim May 1, 2014, as

"2013-2014 UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM DAY"

in Hawai'i and encourage the people of the Aloha State to join us in recognizing and celebrating the commitment to team excellence of the 2013-2014 University of Hawai'i Men's Basketball Team.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this first day of May 2014.


NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawai'i


SHAN S. TSUTSUI
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i