



# *Proclamation*

## *Presented*

### **In Recognition of Jan Yanehiro**

**WHEREAS**, the Hawai'i Chamber of Commerce of Northern California (HCCNC), established in 1999, serves as a resource bridge to help promote business, education and cultural activities between Hawai'i and Northern California; and

**WHEREAS**, in 1993 HCCNC created the Kūlia I Ka Nu'u (Strive for the Summit) award to recognize the actions and accomplishments of individuals who have shared the Aloha Spirit as well as the richness and diversity of Hawai'i's many cultures with others in the continental United States and throughout the world; and

**WHEREAS**, **Jan Yanehiro Day** emphasizes that Jan Yanehiro left an indelible mark in television broadcasting as the founding co-host of the San Francisco KPIX TV's "Evening Magazine" from 1976 to 1990; the program nationally pioneered the magazine format on television; and

**WHEREAS**, **Jan Yanehiro Day** underscores that Jan Yanehiro is recognized for lighting a path for Asian and Pacific Islander youth and women, especially in Northern California where she continues to contribute to community groups; and

**WHEREAS**, **Jan Yanehiro Day** recognizes that, as Director of the School of Multimedia Communications at the Academy of Art University in San Francisco, Jan Yanehiro continues to share her extensive media experience through a creative and engaging educational curriculum; and

**WHEREAS**, **Jan Yanehiro Day** highlights that on May 22, 2014, the City and County of Honolulu and HCCNC honor Jan Yanehiro, long-time HCCNC supporter, entrepreneur, teacher, author and Emmy award-winning broadcast journalist from San Francisco who grew up in Honolulu, with the Kūlia I Ka Nu'u award at their Five Star Aloha Gala benefit;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Lieutenant Governor** for the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim May 22, 2014, as

### **"JAN YANEHIRO DAY"**

in Hawai'i, and ask all citizens of the Aloha State to join us in commending Jan Yanehiro for displaying the Aloha Spirit in her professional work and community service, and for practicing the values of her Kalihi roots.

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

  
NEIL ABERCROMBIE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

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