



Proclamation

- In Memoriam -

Former State Senator Anthony Kai Ung Chang

WHEREAS, Anthony Kai Ung Chang was born on September 5, 1944, in Honolulu, Hawai'i, and was a part of the first graduating class of the William S. Richardson School of Law in 1976; and

WHEREAS, Anthony Kai Ung Chang served in the Hawai'i State Senate for 12 years representing Nu'uano, Liliha, Pauoa, 'Ālewa Heights, Chinatown, Papakōlea and Pacific Heights, and served as Chairman of the Judiciary Committee and the Environmental Committee for the 1978 Hawai'i Constitutional Convention; he was instrumental in shaping environmental laws that were adopted in the Hawai'i State Constitution; and

WHEREAS, Anthony Kai Ung Chang was known as a consensus-builder who was courageous and deeply committed to the people of Hawai'i; he will be remembered as a man of diplomacy who taught those who worked with him to "listen to all sides, not to burn bridges ... He got people to ... see the big picture"; and

WHEREAS, Anthony Kai Ung Chang later served as an attorney with the City and County of Honolulu Office of Corporation Counsel and the Liquor Commission from 1994 to 2000, online food columnist, adjunct professor at Kapi'olani Community College and Hawai'i Pacific University, and tour guide of historic Chinatown; and

WHEREAS, Anthony Kai Ung Chang is survived by his wife, Lisa Konove; daughters, Ahnya, Cymri and Morgen; brother, Nathan; and sisters, Leburta Chock Kanno and Melissa Chang;

NOW THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and **I, BRIAN SCHATZ**, Lt. Governor of the State of Hawai'i, extend our deepest sympathies and condolences to the Chang 'ohana on the passing of a husband, father and brother; and as a mark of respect for the memory of Anthony Kai Ung Chang hereby order, by the authority vested in us by the Constitution and laws of the State of Hawai'i, that the National Flag and Hawai'i State Flag be flown at half-staff at all State offices and agencies as well as the Hawai'i National Guard from sunrise on October 19, 2012, to sunset on October 19, 2012.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this fifteenth day of October, 2012.


NEIL ABERCROMBIE
Governor, State of Hawai'i


BRIAN SCHATZ
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i