**Special Edition**

**2023 Convention Information**

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**REMINDERS**

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**90 Days until our 2023 Convention!**

Please visit [www.aohcc.org/conventions](http://www.aohcc.org/conventions) for all your convention needs!

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- October 15-22, 2023
- Visit www.aohcc.org for all your convention needs
- Draft Agenda for daily events and huakāi

**Upcoming Deadlines:**
- July 21 - 90 Days
- August 20 - 60 Days
  - Per Capita Dues & Roster
  - Draft Resolutions
  - Club Bios and Activities Report
  - Convention Book Ads
  - Award Nominations
- September 19
  - Convention Registration
  - Kukui Lama Ku
  - Hālāʻa Aloha
  - Request for A/V needs

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**Reserve your rooms TODAY!**
Nā Lei Makalapua (Mainland Council)
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Hilton Hawaiian Village Kālia, Waikīkī, Oʻahu
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Register for huaka'i today!
One of the amendments submitted for the 63rd Convening of the Housing of Delegates proposed a 90-day submission for resolutions rather than the current 60-day deadline. Under the proposed amendment, drafter’s ownership rights in the resolution would continue until 40-day cut off. Drafters would be able to discuss their resolution with other clubs and/or councils, make changes to the language and/or intent, or even withdraw their resolution up until the 40-day cut off. At the 41st day, the ownership of the resolution transfers to the Association: no further changes of any kind may be made until referred to committee at the 64th convening of the House of Delegates.
The Board of Directors has directed that a test run of this 90-day submittal of a resolution will be tried out for the 64th convening of the House of Delegates. Using this procedure is optional. If you have a resolution that is ready for submission by July 21, 2023 and would like to explore the ownership option described below, we encourage you to participate in the “test run.”

The Resolutions Committee will use the following procedure:

- Resolutions submitted ninety (90) days [July 21, 2023] prior to the opening plenary session of the annual convention will be circulated to clubs and councils via a “Nuhou” email no later than eighty (80) days [July 31, 2023] prior to the opening of the plenary session of the annual convention.

- Early submission draft resolutions will only be accepted by e-mail, and must be e-mailed to ahcc.resolutions@gmail.com by 11:59 PM HST on July 21, 2023.

- Authors of resolutions will retain ownership of their resolutions will be able to withdraw or edit resolutions up until forty (40) days [September 9, 2023] prior to the opening plenary. Any edits or withdrawal of resolutions must be submitted to the ahcc.resolutions@gmail.com on or before 40 days before the convention, or September 9, 2023.

- The Resolutions Committee will review each for conformance to the guidelines. The Resolutions Committee may make non-substantive corrections to improve format, grammar, spelling, punctuation, or other edits to conform the draft resolutions to these guidelines. No edits
will be made to change the intent of any resolution.

- Resolutions not in compliance with the Resolution Guidelines will not be accepted. The author will be notified via email if the resolution is deemed noncompliant.
- Resolutions submitted by the 90-day early submission deadline are to follow the standard AHCC Resolution Guidelines.

**Resolution Deadline**

All draft resolutions must be submitted **sixty (60) days prior** to the opening plenary session of the annual convention.

Draft resolutions will only be accepted by e-mail.

For 2023, draft resolutions must be e-mailed to

**ahcc.resolutions@gmail.com** by **11:59 PM HST** on **AUGUST 20, 2023**.

Check out:

- AHCC Resolutions Guidelines
- 2023 Resolution Template in ʻŌlelo Hawaiʻi & English
- Where to submit? See Guidelines!
- Questions? See Guidelines!

**Our voices are stronger united! Lets use our civic connection to ho ʻoikaika!**

AOHCC Adopted Resolutions can be found at: www.ahccc.org/adopted-resolutions/

**Mai Poina - Submit your award nominees!**
Join us in celebrating the remarkable individuals and organizations who embody the spirit of service and dedication to the Hawaiian community. Submit your nominations by August 20!

Please direct any inquiries or questions about filling out the forms or the nomination process to the committee chair. Committee Chair: Toni Lee Contact: parade.lady001@gmail.com

Visit www.aohcc.org/conventions/ and nomination forms.

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