# NATIVE HAWAIIAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

#### The Voice of Hawaiian Business

Founded in 1974, the Native Hawaiian Chamber of Commerce (NHCC) strives to encourage and promote the interests of Native Hawaiians engaged in business and the professions. NHCC members participate in a variety of economic, social and public affairs.

#### Mission:

To strengthen Native Hawaiian businesses and professions by building on the foundations of relationships, resources and Hawaiian values: aloha, malama, hoʻokipa, laulima, 'imi 'ike, lokomaika'i, pono, hoʻomau, haʻaha'a and lokahi.

# **Programs:**

Our programs include monthly membership meetings at which presenters discuss topics of importance to Hawaiians in business and the professions or "Business After Hours" at members' businesses, business expos, community service projects and government relations activities. NHCC is an affiliate of the Chamber of Commerce of Hawai'i and participates, with the other ethnic chambers and with the regional chambers,

in government relations activities and other joint programs.

#### The 'O'o Award

For over 25 years, **NHCC** has annually recognized Hawaiians for their exemplary achievement in business, the professions or community service. The annual banquet also raises funds for scholarships given by **NHCC** to Hawaiian youth studying in fields related to our mission.

#### **For More Information**

Call us at (808) 531-3744 or visit us at: www.nativehawaiian.cc

#### **Invitation To Join**

This is an invitation for you to join **NHCC**. If you would like to serve not only your own vital business and professional interests, but also those of the Hawaiian community, **NHCC** needs you. Application is open to any person in the State of Hawai'i who is involved in business, a profession or community affairs.

**To join NHCC**, fill out the attached APPLICATION and send it P.O. Box 597, Honolulu, Hawai'i 96809.

Mahalo Nui!

#### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Application is made for membership in the Native Hawaiian Chamber of Commerce (NHCC). As a prerequisite to membership, the undersigned agrees to pay annual dues of \$75 (to be billed).

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# Hawaiian Values and principles of Conduct for NHCC Members

# **ALOHA**

Love, kindness, affection

#### **MALAMA**

Preserve and nurture

# **HO'OKIPA**

Hospitality

# **LAULIMA**

Work together

# 'IMI 'IKE

Seek knowledge

# **LOKOMAIKA'I**

Generosity and kindness

# **PONO**

Morally righteous and fair

# **HO'OMAU**

Perseverance

# HA'AHA'A

Humility

# **LOKAHI**

Unity

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