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February 12, 2016

State Historic Preservation Officer and Members of the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board Kākuhihewa Building 601 Kamokila Blvd, Ste. 555 Kapolei, Hawai'i 96707

Dear SHPO and Members of the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board:

SUBJECT: Nomination of the Honoka'a United Methodist Church to the Hawai'i Register

of Historic Places

45-3525 Māmane Street, Honoka'a, Hawai'i 96727

TMK: (3) 4-5-005:006 Honoka'a Town, Haina, Hāmākua, Hawai'i

I am pleased to offer support for the inclusion of the Honoka'a United Methodist Church on the Hawai'i Register of Historic Places. After review of the nomination materials, we are of the opinion that the building meets criteria A and C of §13-198-8, Hawai'i Administrative Rules, and criteria A and C of §60.4, Code of Federal Regulations, for inclusion on the Hawai'i Register and nomination to the National Register of Historic Places.

The Hawai'i County Cultural Resources Commission (CRC) considered the nomination at their advertised public meeting on February 10, 2016, and unanimously voted to support its inclusion on the Registers.

Listing of the Honoka'a United Methodist Church to the Hawai'i Register of Historic Places will help to preserve a portion of the heritage that makes our County special.

Sincerely

WILLIAM P. KENOI

Mayor

cc:

Planning Department, Hawai'i County Cultural Resources Commission

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