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## MESSAGE FROM U.S. SENATOR DANIEL K. AKAKA

E komo mai - welcome - to the members of The Navy League of the United States and your guests on the occasion of your 110<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention. I invite you to enjoy the beauty of our islands and the warmth of the people of Hawaii.

In the spirit of this occasion, I commend your host for this year's event, the Navy League's Honolulu Council, an organization dedicated to educating Americans about the importance of sea power to our national security. Additionally, the Honolulu Council promotes the needs and interests of Hawaii's military community by providing support services to families of deployed personnel as well as educational assistance. The organization also helps foster youth programs, such as the Sea Cadets and the National Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps (NJROTC).

My warmest aloha and best wishes to all.

Aloha pumehana,



DANIEL K. AKAKA  
U.S. Senator