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Aloha,

It is our pleasure to recognize Nikolas Powell, Juanito Moises Jr. and Elijah Anakalea-Buckley for their selection as Hawaii's delegates to the Stone Soup Leadership Institute's Summit for Sustainable Development.

We are proud to recognize the efforts of these engaged youth who promote the importance of environmental sustainability within their communities. Their dedication serves as an inspiration to others in creating a more sustainable future for our state.

To have students of Hawaii greet the Hokule'a Worldwide Voyage, as they arrive for the first time to Martha's Vineyard, is a great honor. We are certain these young adults will do an excellent job representing Hawaii and sharing the aloha spirit with youth delegates from all over the world.

We commend Nikolas, Juanito and Elijah for committing to build a more sustainable world and look forward to them sharing their action plans and Sustainability-In-Action Projects with us when they return.

We congratulate these young adults' commitment to sustainability and extend our best wishes and warmest aloha for continued success in all their future endeavors.

Sincerely,

Senator Laura H. Thielen
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