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Ku'ikahi Mediation Center is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, donations to which are tax-deductible. We welcome your support!

Aloha,

Ku'ikahi Mediation Center—together with the Hawai'i County Bar Association (HCBA)—invites you to the twelfth **Annual Recognition Dinner and Auction**.

This year Ku'ikahi is giving the 'Peacemaker Award' to Julie Hugo, Vice President and Broker-in-Charge in East Hawai'i for Clark Realty Corporation, and posthumously to Jeffrey Melrose, land-use planner and past President of Ku'ikahi Mediation Center. The HCBA is honoring The Honorable Ronald Ibarra, retired Chief Judge of the Third Circuit.

Please join us on **Sunday, November 12, 2017** from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Nani Mau Gardens in Hilo. This special event is open to the public and the audience will include judges, attorneys, mediators, business leaders, and other involved members of our community. We expect to sell out, so make your reservations early.

Please use the attached form to: purchase tickets, reserve a table, sponsor the event, make a donation, or contribute to our auction. You can also call Jenifer Aveiro at 935-7844 x 1 or email jenifer@hawaiimediation.org.

Because of your support...

- More keiki will be empowered to mediate disputes between their classmates through the Peer Mediation School Elementary Program.
- More kupuna and their caregivers will resolve life changing issues—together.
- More workplaces will use mediation, facilitation, and education to explore options and seek common ground.
- More community members will get the skills they need to increase communication and decrease conflict.

Mediation is an empowerment model for shared decision-making. Mediation encourages self-determination and provides a safe space for all voices to be heard. We need more peace building programs on Hawai'i Island. Your presence at our dinner can make that happen. We look forward to seeing you on November 12.

With Warm Aloha,

Douglass S. Adams
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Executive Director