Aloha Members of Parliaments of the Caribbean,

From across the Pacific Ocean, Hawai‘i greets you and commends your leadership on island issues. Given the increasing risk of natural disasters, severe weather events, and climate change impacts to our economies and way of life, your work to build community resilience is critically important to local and global sustainability action.

As a local sustainability hub, Hawai‘i Green Growth works with public and private sector partners to advance Hawai‘i’s sustainability, climate, and resilience goals through the Aloha+ Challenge – a local framework for action on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Progress on the Aloha+ Challenge is measured on the Aloha+ Challenge Dashboard through locally relevant and community co-developed metrics and indicators. Hawai‘i is also a member of the Global Island Partnership.

We are honored to share a short video with you today and welcome your partnership in developing local solutions for global challenges and uplifting islands as the starlight for the rest of the world to see.

Sincerely,

Celeste Connors
Executive Director
Hawai‘i Green Growth