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**GIRL SCOUTS OF HAWAI'I LAUNCHES DO A GOOD TURN CAMPAIGN
Program provides financial assistance with FREE memberships**

HONOLULU (Dec. 10, 2020) – Girl Scouts of Hawai'i has launched a new program to provide financial assistance to Girl Scout families who have been economically impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

“We know that many families are facing financial issues and need support as a result of current the global pandemic,” said Shari Chang, CEO of Girl Scouts of Hawai'i. “The Girl Scout slogan, ‘Do a good turn daily,’ is a reminder of the many ways girls can contribute positively to the lives of others. Even when times are tough, Girl Scouts rise to the challenge. We know that more than ever that our community needs people like this and needs Girl Scouts!”

Throughout December, Girl Scouts of Hawaii will be providing financial assistance with FREE MEMBERSHIP to girls with families that have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Girl Scouts teaches girls to be positive members of their communities, to help others, and to make the world a better place.

To apply for a Financial Assistance, applicants should complete and submit the online Financial Assistance Application at gshawaii.org/FinancialAssistance by Thursday, December 31, 2020, at 11:59 PM, to be eligible for this Membership Year.

Additionally, Girl Scouts of Hawai'i will be giving the Gift of Girl Scouts by providing Girl Scouts Activity packets that includes activities and supplies that are both fun and educational for girls. These activities are based on the four Girl Scout pillars of Living Skills, Outdoors, STEM, and Entrepreneurship. The drive-thru events are open and free to all girls in K-12 grade and their families.

During the Drive-thru Recruitment events, participants will be able to apply for Financial Assistance for Free Girl Memberships; qualifying applicants will receive confirmation onsite.

The Drive-thru Recruitment Event are scheduled for:

Saturday, December 19, 2020
12:00 - 2:00 PM
Ala Moana Hotel – Taxi Line

Sunday, December 20, 2020
2:00 - 4:00 PM
Kapiolani Community Park

To RSVP, please visit <http://tiny.cc/GiftofGirlScouts>.

For more information, contact the Girls Scouts of Hawai'i at (808) 595-8400 or email customercare@gshawaii.org

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About Girl Scouts of Hawai'i

Supporting over 5,000 girl and adult members statewide, Girl Scouts of Hawai'i (GSH) builds girls of courage, confidence, and character to make the world a better place. GSH's headquarters is located on the island of O'ahu, with three neighbor island service centers on the islands of Hawai'i, Kaua'i and Maui. GSH is chartered by the national office, Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA) and is responsible for the leadership, administration and supervision of Girl Scout programs in the state of Hawai'i. For more information about GSH, visit www.gshawaii.org or call (808) 595-8400.

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