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Hawaiian Electric Companies' Sustainability Report available

HONOLULU, August 9, 2017 – The Hawaiian Electric Companies' progress in improving customer service, increasing renewable energy, decreasing oil use, innovating to provide more customers access to rooftop solar and modernize the grid, and supporting communities are highlighted in the companies' tenth annual Sustainability Report.

The 2016 Sustainability Report for Hawaiian Electric, Maui Electric and Hawai'i Electric Light is available online at:

- hawaiianelectric.com/about-us/our-commitment/sustainability-report
- mauielectric.com/about-us/our-commitment/sustainability-report
- hawaiielectriclight.com/about-us/our-commitment/sustainability-report

A limited number of copies printed on 100-percent post-consumer-waste paper with vegetable-based inks are available at Hawaiian Electric bill payment locations on O'ahu or by calling the Education and Consumer Affairs Department at 808-543-7511.

Among the expanded sections of the report is "Electrification of Transportation" which includes the companies' on-line EV Cost/Benefit Calculator, expanding EV Fast Charger network and collaborative efforts to promote electric mobility through Drive Electric Hawai'i.

The report also includes a timeline of Hawaiian Electric's 125-year history, 1891 to 2016.

It also highlights donations of time and money of 4,867 employee volunteers and their families and friends who contributed 16,319 hours of service, \$1,055,000 (much of it matched by donations from the HEI Charitable Foundation) and 1,318 pints of blood.

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