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KCFCU Student Scholarship Awards

Lihue, Kauai, Hawaii – Kauai Community Federal Credit Union awarded \$1,000 scholarships to five (5) graduating high school seniors at a ceremony on June 4th at the Kukui Grove West office. To be eligible, these students needed to be a member of the credit union and were judged on Academic Merit, Community Service, Credit Union Relationship and Financial Need.

"Being here today is a combination of a lot of hard work by a lot of good people" said VP of Marketing Irving Soto. "Good people like your family, your teachers, your counselors and anyone else that affected your lives and helped you get to where you are today." Jerry Hill, representing the Scholarship Committee also congratulated the students and recognized them for their accomplishments.

This year's KCFCU Your Choice Scholarship recipients are Alexys Bermudez, Alex Hashimoto and Kiana Pigao from Waimea High School and Aveilana Saldana and Cassie Wilson from Kapaa High School. Bermudez will be attending the University of Portland in Oregon; Hashimoto will attend the University of Denver in Colorado; Pigao will be at George Fox University in Oregon; Saldana will be at Southern Oregon University; and Wilson will be attending the University of Indianapolis in Indiana. Mr. Soto also recognized and thanked the Scholarship Committee members which included Hill, Sandi Magnussen and Debbie Higuchi who volunteered their time and spent countless hours reviewing close to 60 applications in 2014.

Kauai Community Federal Credit Union, through its sixty year community charter, has the potential to serve all of the residents of Kauai and Niihau. Kauai Community Federal Credit Union is a \$365 million financial institution that serves more than 32,000 members. KCFCU operates five branch offices throughout Kauai in Waimea, Lihue, Kapaa, Eleele and Kukui Grove. For more information please visit www.kcfcu.org.

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