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**19th ANNUAL CELEBRATION**



# Mahatma Gandhi Day

*and International Day*  
*of Nonviolence*

**WEDNESDAY** **October 2, 2024**  
**5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.**

*At the Gandhi statue in Kapiolani Park,  
 Beachside of the Honolulu Zoo*

Theme: **World Peace**

Keynote Speaker:

**Suzanne Chun Oakland**

*Former Hawaii State Senator*



Event includes:

**Spiritual Invocation, Chanting, Mantras,  
 Meditation, Yoga, Music by the Royal  
 Hawaiian Band, Cultural Dance and Speeches  
 by Community leaders for World Peace**

**Free Event** *Everyone  
 is welcome*

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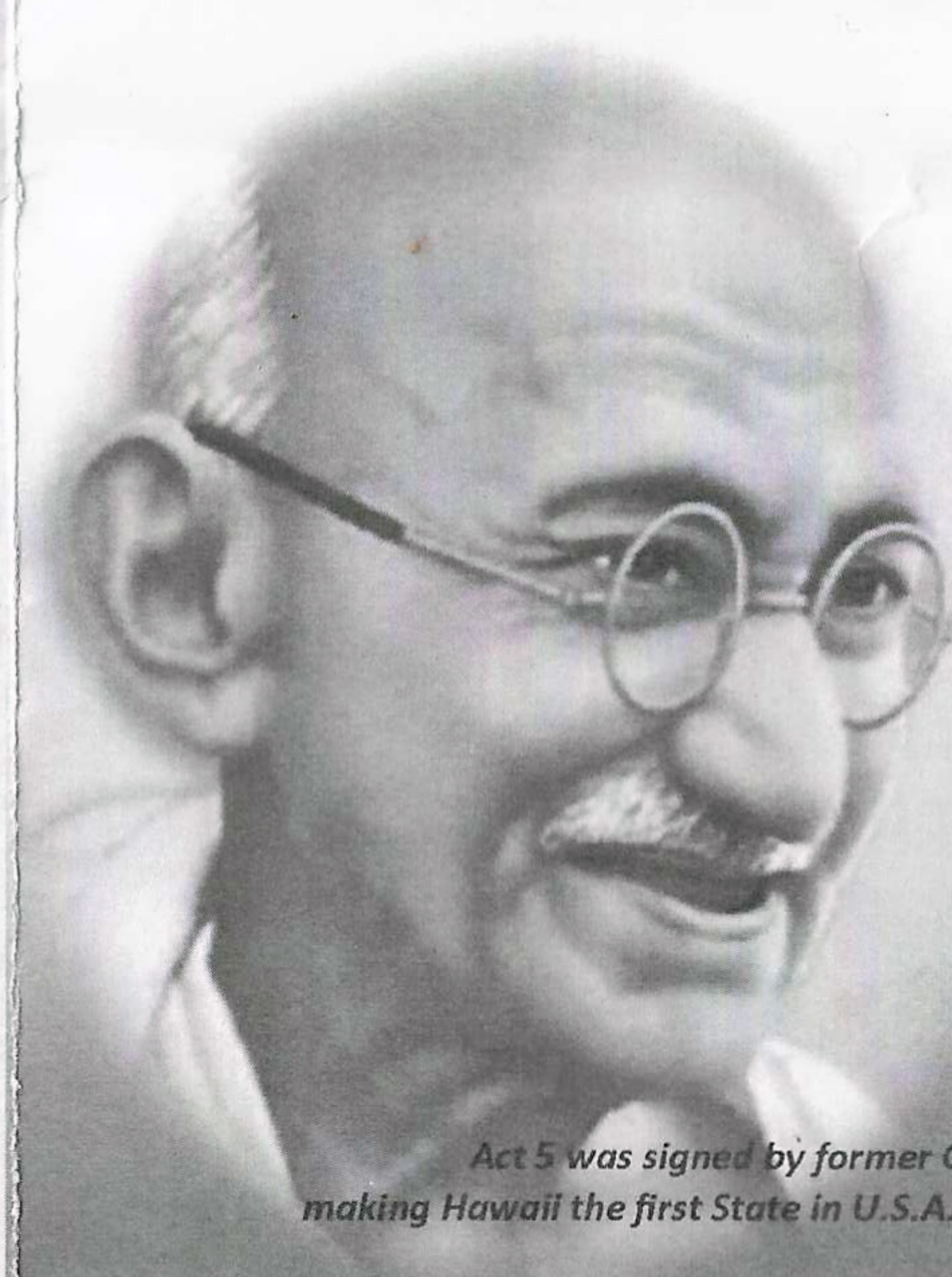
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*Act 5 was signed by former Governor of Hawaii, David Y. Ige in 2015,  
 making Hawaii the first State in U.S.A. to proclaim October 2 as "Mahatma Gandhi Day"*





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PROGRAM

Mcee-  
Madana Sundari

Hawaiian Blessing  
by Kahu Patterson

Spiritual Invocation  
by Veda Das

The Royal Hawaiian Band  
to play US & Indian National Anthem, Hawaiian Pono'I  
& Peace song "Let there be peace on Earth"

Welcome Speech  
by Dr. Raj Kumar

Keynote Speaker-  
Suzanne Chun Oakland,  
former Hawaii State Senator

Proclamation of Mayor  
by Ka'ili Trask O'Connell, Executive Director,  
Mayor's Office of Culture and the Arts (MOCA).

Proclamation of Governor & Hawaii Senate  
by Meg Turner Manager  
of Hawaii Senator Mike Gabbard.



Indian Classical Dance  
by Janani Lakshmanan and Elizabeth Mager

Speech  
by Michael North

Speech  
by Haaheo Guanson

Shanti Mantra  
by Arini Shankaralingam

Yoga asanas  
by Michele Santos

Gandhi Song "Bapu ki Batein"  
by Adrija Halder

Speech  
by Peter Greenhill

Speech  
by Hong Jiang

Crystal Bowl healing  
by Leticia Sharp

Closing Remarks  
by Harendra Panalal



# GANDHI INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR PEACE



The Gandhi International Institute for Peace cordially invites you to celebrate the 155<sup>th</sup> birthday of one of the world's great leaders, Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi, fondly remembered as "Mahatma Gandhi".

As a pioneer of *Satyagraha*, or resistance through vast nonviolent civil disobedience, he became one of the most important political and spiritual leaders of his time. Event includes music by Royal Hawaiian Band, spiritual invocation, speeches by prominent community leaders, Yoga, Meditation, cultural dances and sound healing.

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