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Respected Mayor Kirk Caldwell,

At present, Fuzhou, together with people across the country, is resolutely fighting against the outbreak of New Coronavirus pneumonia. During this critical period, your sincere concern and support have made me feel so warm and touched. Here I would like to express our heartfelt thanks to you and your people on behalf of the 7.74 million people in Fuzhou.

We have already received the medical supplies donated by Hawaii Fujian Business Association on February 4. I am also very pleased to hear that you have proclaimed February 7 to be Hawaii Fujian Business Association Day in recognition of their contribution to the prevention and control of the New Coronavirus pneumonia in Fuzhou. Those medical supplies we received contain not only the strong patriotism and love of the overseas Fuzhou people, but also the kindness of the Honolulu people, and they have given us strong support to win this white war.

Winter will finally come to an end, and soon will come the spring. Fuzhou have the confidence, capability and resolution to win the battle against New Coronavirus pneumonia, and embrace the sunny spring of 2020. I also look forward to working with you to further deepen the friendly exchanges and mutually beneficial cooperation between our two cities, and work together towards formally signing the agreement of sister cities.

Last but not the least, wish Honolulu prosperity and your people all the best!

You Mengjun

Mayor of Fuzhou Municipal People's Government

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