

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE SECOND AMENDMENT  
OF THE U.S. CONSTITUTION**

**Whereas**, the Hawai`i Republican party embraces the principles of *Liberty, Limited Government,* and *Individual Responsibility*; and

**Whereas**, the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution protects the individual's right to bear arms; and

**Whereas**, the right to protect family and property is paramount as an American; and

**Whereas**, the proper training, registration and handling of firearms is required by the laws of Hawai`i;

**Therefore, be it resolved**, that the Hawai`i Republican Party in convention at Lihue, Hawai`i, May 14, 2011, declares that the Hawai`i Republican Party will support and defend an individual's right to bear arms and fight any infringement on such Constitutional right.

**Therefore, be it further resolved**, that copies of this resolution be posted on the Hawai`i Republican Party website and distributed to Hawai`i elected officials and media for public dissemination.