To Resolutions Committee,
While it is good to lament your pain and sorrows from the past, and look for resolution, a formal resolution submitted by a church group needs to be approved by the body, the churches in whose name the resolution is being submitted. This did not happen. This resolution, “A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING TO END 125 YEARS OF WAR BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE HAWAIIAN KINGDOM was not sent to the churches for them to read, discuss, give feedback and vote on. We have seen some good additions that Kaumakapili Church and Liliuokalani Church might have added and other items questioned

Kahikuonalani Church would have liked to see certain wordings and their meanings examined and maybe rephrased. One example would be calling the missionaries white supremacists. The AHEC delegate from this church objected to this at the Feb. 20 Aha Halawai meeting. We don’t think the intent was for the missionaries to stage a political take over but just to bring the gospel and Word of God to the Hawaiian people.

Our church does not endorse the Resolution in its present form and wishes to have our name excepted and excluded from the submission of the Resolution. This is the disclaimer from Kahikuonalani Church.

Kahikuonalani Church Council