

 **BRIAN SCHATZ**  
UNITED STATES SENATOR FOR HAWAII

**ABOUT BRIAN**

Senator Brian Schatz has dedicated his career to public service as a strong advocate for Hawaii's middle-class families, a clean energy economy, seniors, our veterans, and Native Hawaiians.

As Hawaii's senior United States Senator, Brian serves on four Senate Committees essential to the future of Hawaii: Appropriations; Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs; Commerce, Science, and Transportation; and Indian Affairs. Senator Schatz also serves as Chair of Senate Democratic Special Committee on the Climate Crisis as well as Chief Deputy Whip, a leadership position that gives him a greater role in shaping policy and communications for Senate Democrats.

In the United States Senate, Schatz is working to create new clean energy jobs for Hawaii,

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**RE: Response from Senator Schatz, July 26, 2019**

Dear Dr. Scott Goold,

Thank you for contacting me regarding your support for using hydrogen as a source of renewable power.

I fully support the expansion and continued development of clean energy technologies that reduce our reliance on fossil fuels, create good paying jobs, and do not contribute to climate change. I am encouraged that **Hawaii County** is integrating **hydrogen-powered shuttle buses** into its public transit fleet. Demonstrations like this provide a proof of concept that alternative energy technologies like hydrogen fuel cells can support our energy security goals.

Thank you for your advocacy on this issue. Please be assured that I will continue to fight for legislation and funding for programs that will help our nation shift to a clean energy economy. Mahalo again for contacting me.

Sincerely,

BRIAN SCHATZ  
U.S. Senator