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## Concerts at The Shops Presents Multi-Award Winner Henry Kapono on April 18 Between Shopping and Dining, Enjoy a Live Performance of Hawaiian Rock Music

**Wailea, Maui, Hawaii** – (March 26, 2018) Concerts at The Shops returns on Wednesday, April 18 from 5:30 - 7pm to feature multi-awarded singer/songwriter Henry Kapono. Guests will be treated to Kapono's upbeat, rock infused Ha-waiian music.

An all-around artist (musician, composer, author, producer, and actor), Kapono has garnered a Grammy nomination as well as 14 Na Hoku Hanohano awards for his music. His awards include Male Vocalist of the Year, Song of the Year, Rock Album of the Year, and just last year along with Cruz and Brother Noland, Best Electronic Press Kit for his Rough Riders "We Ride" CD.

Born and raised in Kapahulu, Kapono first gained popularity with the Cecilio & Kapono duo in the '70s, becoming the first Hawaii group to achieve a national recording contract with Columbia Records. In 1981, Kapono rose to even more fame after launching his solo career that resulted in 18 albums. Most recently, he has been touring the West Coast of the United States, regaling fans with his favorite hits.

His music, vibrant and full of energy, is a celebration in itself, reverberating with the joy of being alive. Says Kapono, "If my music makes you dance then do it. If it makes you sing then sing it. If it makes you want to know more about Hawaii's culture then....Welcome To My Paradise!"

Concerts at The Shops is a free, monthly concert series that is open to the public and features headlining musicians from all the Hawaiian Islands. This music event occurs on the third and fifth Wednesday of every month from 5:30 to 7pm with performances at the main Fountain Courtyard.

In a continued effort to give back to the community, The Shops at Wailea supports a different Maui non-profit each month with sixty percent of the special event parking fees going back to the non-profit. April's non-profit recipient is the Imua Family Services. The Shops' goal is to enrich the community through exploration and discovery in the arts and music while supporting local businesses and non-profit partners. The four-hour special event parking voucher is available for \$5 and can be purchased at the non-profit's parking table.

For a complete calendar of events, activities and entertainment, please visit www.TheShopsAtWailea.com.

## About The Shops at Wailea:

The Shops at Wailea is Maui's premier shopping and dining destination with more than 70 distinct boutiques, shops, restaurants and galleries. It is nestled in the heart of Wailea Resort at 3750 Wailea Alanui Drive and is managed by The Festival Companies. The Shops at Wailea is open daily from 9:30am to 9pm and offers free parking for the first hour and validated parking with a purchase for the next three hours; then standard rates apply at \$6 an hour or \$3 for every 30 minutes. For more information, visit our website at www.TheShopsAtWailea.com or call (808) 891-6770. Follow @TheShopsAtWailea on Instagram and @ShopsAtWailea on Twitter and "Like" us on Facebook.