

**AHVRP Member Spotlight  
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We are all about the 50th Annual AHVRP Conference & Exposition!

**2018 will be your third AHVRP Annual Conference. What makes one leave Hawaii to travel so far for this event?**

"The conference continues to help me tremendously by providing unique resources, networking opportunities and just overall camaraderie with other volunteer professionals from around the country. I always leave feeling energized, refreshed and ready to use the knowledge I gain to improve and enhance my program at home."

**Any advice for 1<sup>st</sup> Time Attendees?**

"Participate in the 1st time event on Saturday—that really helped me to meet some other 1st time attendees and also get a bird's eye view of what to expect at the conference."

**What are you most looking forward to at the 50th Annual AHVRP Conference & Exposition?**

"I'm really looking forward to the 50th Anniversary activities—I know they will be really special! I'm also looking forward to the plenary speakers, breakout sessions and the different folks that I meet."