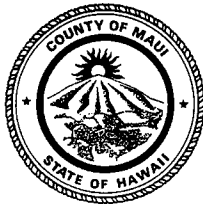


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ALAN M. ARAKAWA
MAYOR



KEITH A. REGAN
MANAGING DIRECTOR

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Ke'ena O Ka Meia
COUNTY OF MAUI – Kalana O Maui

July 7, 2017

Honorable Yuki Lei K. Sugimura, Chair
Policy, Economic Development, and Agriculture (PEA) Committee
200 South High Street
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

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COUNTY COUNCIL

Dear Chair Sugimura:

**SUBJECT: NOMINEES TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS
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In accordance with Section 2.28.020 of the Maui County Code, and Sections 8-8.4 and 13-2 of the Charter of the County of Maui, I am pleased to submit the following nomination, along with his completed application form, for your review and consideration:

MOLOKAI PLANNING COMMISSION

Laakea Poepoe (replacing Marshall Racine)

Term Expiration 3/31/2019

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Mike Molina, Executive Assistant, Office of the Mayor, at 270-8211.

Sincerely,

ALAN M. ARAKAWA
Mayor

Attachment
Boards/commissions: MM/pn

Resolution

No. _____

RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF LAAKEA POEPOE TO THE MOLOKAI PLANNING COMMISSION

WHEREAS, by correspondence dated July 7, 2017, Mayor Alan M. Arakawa notified the Council he nominated Laakea Poepoe to the Molokai Planning Commission for a term expiring on March 31, 2019, to fill a vacancy replacing Marshall Racine, pursuant to Section 2.28.020, Maui County Code, and Sections 8-8.4 and 13-2, Revised Charter of the County of Maui (1983), as amended, ("Charter"); and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-2, requires the Mayor's nominee to be approved by the Council; and

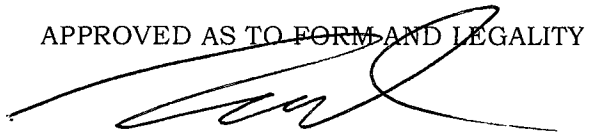
WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-2(17), requires the Council to approve or disapprove the nomination within sixty days after the Mayor submits the name of the nominee to the Council because of the death, resignation, or removal of a member; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 8-8.4 contains specific provisions relating to the Molokai Planning Commission; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Maui:

1. That it approves the appointment of Laakea Poepoe to serve on the Molokai Planning Commission for a term expiring March 31, 2019;
2. That the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Laakea Poepoe for his willingness to be considered for public service and actively participate in County government; and
3. That certified copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Managing Director, and the Corporation Counsel.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

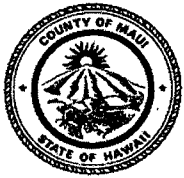


EDWARD S. KUSHI, JR.

Department of the Corporation Counsel
County of Maui

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BOARD/COMMISSION APPLICATION FORM

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Name: Poepoe (Last) Laakea (First) OFFICE OF THE MAYOR Kaleolanikauanui (Full Middle Name)

City of Residence: Puko'o Island: Molokai

Current Employer & Position: Maui Fire Department Fire Fighter

Business Phone: 808 558-8580 Business Fax: Email (optional): Poepoelaa@gmail.com

Please indicate why you are interested in serving and what skills you may have to contribute:

I would like to be provided an opportunity to serve on the molokai planning commission as a representative of the molokai community. I intend to seek thorough understanding of the planning process in order to provide residents with the information necessary to form responsible decisions regarding the future of our island. My goal is to promote practical zoning and development which maintains the resources and authenticity of Molokai.

Employment History:

From	To	
2010	2014	Molokai General Hospital, maintenance
2015	present	MFD firefighter

Political Affiliation: None

Section 13-2(2) of the Charter, County of Maui, requires that not more than a bare majority of members of a board or commission belong to the same political party; therefore, please indicate if registered/card carrying member of a political party. If not, indicate "None" or "Independent."

Community and Professional Organizations/Activities:

Hui Malama o Mo'omomi natural resource management and conservation 1994-present

Previous County Experience (employment or board member):

None

Educational Background:

Kualapuu Elementary School

Molokai High & Intermediate School, Diploma

MCC Molokai Campus, some college credits

Consent to be Nominated and Certification of Truthfulness and Accuracy of Information:

I declare that the above statements are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: Laakea Poepoe Date: 3/11/2017

Most board/commission appointments are subject to confirmation by the Maui County Council. Most of these positions are for five-year terms. If you are selected as a nominee, the information contained on this form will be provided to the public upon request.

Please send completed forms to OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, 200 SOUTH HIGH STREET, WAILUKU, HAWAII 96793; or fax to 270-7870. For further information, call 270-7855; on Lana'i, call 1-800-272-0125; on Moloka'i, call 1-800-272-0117.