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Aloha Kākou,

Attached is signed email to fulfill Maui County procedures.
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Mahalo!

Kama'ema'e

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Katherine Kama'ema'e Smith Nomination for Planning Commission Before PEA-s (17)– ATTN: Chair Yukilei Sugimura

1 message

K Smith <honumai@gmail.com>
To: pea.committee@mauicounty.us

Tue, Aug 15, 2017 at 12:11 PM

Aloha mai e Yukilei;

I thank you for all your kindness and consideration of my application for Maui County Planning Commission to fill Pua Canto's unexpired term. However, I have decided to remove my application from further consideration. Please advise all your PEA-s (17) committee members of my decision.

All the members were civil and kindly during my interview, and I did my best to present my cultural qualifications. However, political undercurrents made me feel very uncomfortable. I was honored by Bob Carroll's support for my qualifications and intent, and Riki Hokama's approval. After the meeting, Kelly King took time to explain her desire to have a Hawaiian candidate for this position, and I understand her position very well.

I alerted my kumu, hoaloha and kahu of my decision and God bless them, they are seeking a worthy Hawaiian leader to apply for this seat.

Thank you for the opportunity to go through the application interview process. I consider it an honor to be nominated by the Mayor's Office. I look forward to serving my community in other ways.

Mahalo piha ia 'oe, e ku'u alaka'i.

'O wau me ka ha'aha'a loa,

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