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Maui County Councilperson Yuki Lei Sugimura  
and Economic & Policy Committee  
200 S. High Street  
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

**Re: Support for Appointment of  
Gladys Baisa, Director of Water Development**

OFFICE OF THE  
COUNTY COUNCIL

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

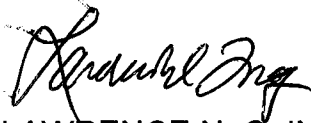
I have known Gladys Baisa both professionally and socially for over 40 years.

Gladys' experience as an Executive officer of Maui Economic Opportunity, Inc. provides an insight as to projects and the use of resources that will prove valuable to the Department.

We have worked together on many different projects throughout the years and I have always been impressed with her hard work and ability to solve difficult problems. She is also honest and involved with her community and has served on various State of Hawaii and County of Maui Boards and Commissions, including the Maui County Council for which she served as Vice-Chairman and Chairman. She has shown over the years that she can review facts and listen to arguments and make fair and reasonable decisions. She is well known for her 60-70 hour work weeks and dedication to the Maui Community.

I respectfully request that she be appointed to the position of Director of the Water Department.

Sincerely,



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