

West Maui Community Plan Advisory Committee Summary of Applicant Information (Revised 11/20/18)

Applicant	Residence	Gender	Profession/ Company	Community Experience/Involvement	Issues of Greatest Concern	Vision for the West Maui community plan	Political Affiliation	
1	Aquino, Joseph	Lahaina	M	Business Agent/ILWU (2016 - present)	Hawaiian Affairs Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii (Member), Kuleana Ku Ekahi (Member), Maui Economic Opportunity (Board Member), County Board of Water Supply (Member), ILWU Maui Division (Sports Coordinator), Napili Canoe Club (Member)	Infrastructure, Affordable housing, Development	More affordable homes for locals, Extend Honoapiilani Hwy from Maalaea to the current bypass, Promote development that compliments the land and coastal areas	Democrat
2	Bugga, Ravi	Lahaina	M	Senior Manager and Global Head of Transport/World Bank Group (2001-2014)	Lahaina Complex Tutoring Program (Volunteer), Whale Trust Maui (Board Member), Monk Seal Watch Maui (Volunteer)	Affordable housing, Increase in traffic, Sanitation/ wastewater treatment, Climate change and deterioration of ocean environment, Quality of education to improve job opportunities	Supports infrastructure (traffic flow, water treatment, etc.) that functions well, Environmental (especially marine life) quality is high, Land use controls are followed, Range of affordable housing options, Strong educational opportunities	N/A

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3 Celiz, Yvette Joyce	Lahaina	F	HR Coordinator/ Sheraton Maui Resort and Spa (2018 - present)	Maui County Cultural Resources Commission (Board Member), ACS Relay for Life West Maui Leadership Team, Pacific and Asian Affairs Council, Pacific Forum CSIS, UNA-USA Hawaii, Peace Child International: Hawaii -World Youth Congress, Malama I Na Ahupua`a	Infrastructure, Transportation, Sustainable development, Eco- tourism, Affordable housing, Climate change and coastal resilience, Waste management and reduction, Local food production and consumption, Clean energy, Natural resource management, Land use management, Cultural and Historical resource management, Education	Affordable housing and economic stability for West Maui labor force, Achieving the Aloha + Challenge sustainability goals, Preserving and protecting cultural, historic, and environmentally sensitive areas, Improved infrastructure, Efficient use of resources to accomodate West Maui's future needs	Not affiliated with a political party

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4 Chamberlain, Lee Allen	Lahaina	M	Retired/Self employed	West Maui Tax Payers Association (Board Member), Maui Bicycling League (Board Member), Villas of Kahana Ridge (Board Member/Treasurer), West Maui Greenway Alliance (Member/Founder)	Traffic, Transportation	Incentivize multimodal mobility and disincentivize car ownership; Establish parking management plans and remove minimum parking requirements in new developments; Improve mobility options, incentivize land uses and enhance connectivity via design and construct public streets for everyone including bicycle pedestrian pathways	Independent

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5 Comcowich, Karen J.	Lahaina	F	Caretaker/Wai Ola Vacation Paradise (2015 - present)	Beach clean ups, Democratic Party, Community meetings	Current infrastructure lacks walking and bike paths, Overdevelopment of luxury properties	Incorporate more walking paths, Preserve open space, New affordable housing developments in close proximity to employment opportunities and for various levels of incomes	Democrat
6 Gerbig, Donald Robert	Lahaina	M	Retired/ President of the Kahana Ridge Association (1996 - present)	State of Hawaii - DOA Board, Kahana Ridge Association	Overbuilding without taking into account infrastructure needs	All infrastructure requirements meet and exceed the community's needs	Republican
7 Hegger-Nordblom, Dawn	Lahaina	F	Owner/Ke Kai Planning LLC (2017 - present)	West Maui Tax Payers Association, American Association of Notaries, American Society of Notaries, National Notary Association	Traffic, Affordable housing and/or rentals, Water, Infrastructure	Reducing dependency on Kahului and Central Maui for supplies, food, and employment; Affordable housing and better infrastructure decisions regarding transportation and utilities; Increased recreational facilities for West Maui	Not affiliated with a political party

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8	Laub, Paul I.	Lahaina	M	Substitute teacher, Business person	West Maui Veterans Club (President), Maui Native Hawaiian Chamber of Commerce	Infrastructure development	Infrastructure that leads development and is designed to meet residents' needs	Not affiliated with a political party
9	Lincoln, Michele L.	Lahaina	F	Manager/sales (1983 - 2017)	Young Life Maui, Kumulani Chapel (Volunteer), Maui Rescue Mission	Affordable housing in perpetuity, Viable food agriculture, Homelessness, Open space for scenic vistas and parks, Coastal erosion, Historic and Hawaiian cultural preservation, Traffic	Extend bypass to alleviate traffic and protect shoreline, Reclaim water irrigation for agricultural use, Food security, Affordable housing in perpetuity, Open spaces for public recreation and scenic views	Republican
10	Nava, Rick Mejia	Lahaina	M	Owner, President/MSI Maui (1988 - present)	Rotary Club of Lahaina (President), Maui Chamber of Commerce, West Maui Taxpayers Association, Maui Filipino Community Council (Lahaina), After School Tutor Program	Affordable rentals, Work force housing, Infrastructure	Affordable rentals and more work force housing for West Maui, Establish another access in and out of Lahaina, Increase funding for public transportation to accommodate resort staff, especially those who are not West Maui residents	Democrat

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11	Nishiki, Kai	Lahaina	F	Self employed small business owner	West Maui Community Association, Paia Relief Route Advisory Group, Na Papa`i	Infrastructure, Affordable housing	Prioritizing needs of West Maui residents	Democrat
12	Payne, Dylan G.	Lahaina/Olowalu	M	Realtor and Project Management/ West Maui Land Company, Inc. (2017 - present)	Realtors' Association of Maui, National Association of Realtors, MIL Surf Coach, Church group leadership	Lack of affordable housing, Rapidly aging infrastructure	Maintaining the valuable resources and heritage that makes Lahaina unique, while allowing for population growth and technological advances; Smart growth for West Maui accomplished through multi-modal transportation, mixed use, increasing density where it makes sense, and prioritizing and preserving open space	Republican

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13	Pluta, Joseph D.	Lahaina	M	Owner, Principal Broker/ Joseph D Pluta Realty LLC	Lahaina Rotary Club, West Maui Taxpayers Association, West Maui Improvement Foundation, Church on the Go, Maui Chamber of Commerce	Affordable rentals, Access to West Maui hospital, Homeless housing first program, Improved traffic access and parking	Improved infrastructure, Increased priority on hazard mitigation, Increased affordable rentals for workforce, Improved sewage treatment facility, Designation of shelter areas	Independent
14	Pulmano, Leilani Reyes	Lahaina	F	Project Coordinator/ Pacific Rim Land, Inc. (2016 - present)	HHFDC Board Member and Chair, Ka Ipu Kukui Board Member	Diverse industries to enable people to afford to live in West Maui, Affordable housing	Balance of future growth, quality of life, and environment	Not affiliated with a political party