

# Resolution

**No. 26-20**

## ACTING ON THE NOMINATION OF SARAH FREISTAT PAJIMOLA TO THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Civil Service Commission was formed and operates with five members under Sections 76-71 and 76-47, Hawaii Revised Statutes and Sections 8-9.4, Revised Charter of the County of Maui (1983), as amended; and

WHEREAS, a vacancy will occur on the Civil Service Commission when an existing term expires on March 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, by correspondence dated January 29, 2026, Mayor Richard T. Bissen, Jr., notified the Council that he nominated Sarah Freistat Pajimola listed in Exhibit "A," as attached, to fill the vacancy; and

WHEREAS, the nomination is made in accordance with Sections 76-71 and 76-47, Hawaii Revised Statutes and Charter Sections 8-9.4 and 13-2; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-2(17) requires the Council to approve or disapprove the Mayor's nomination within 30 days after the Mayor submits the name of the nominee to the Council and, if the Council disapproves the nominee, to immediately notify the Mayor and the Independent Nomination Board of the Council's action; now therefore,

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

1. That it approves the appointment of the person listed in Exhibit "B," as attached, as a member to the Civil Service Commission for a term expiring on March 31, 2031;
2. That it disapproves the appointment of the person listed in Exhibit "C," as attached, as a member to the Civil Service Commission as nominated by the Mayor;
3. That the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to the nominee for their willingness to be considered for public service and actively participate in County government; and

EXHIBIT "A"

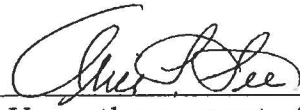
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4. That certified copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Managing Director, Director of Personnel Services, Independent Nomination Board and Civil Service Commission.

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGALITY:

/s/ Yukari Murakami  
YUKARI MURAKAMI  
Deputy Corporation Counsel  
LF2026-0030

INTRODUCED BY:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mrs. R. Lee", written over a horizontal line.

Upon the request of the Mayor.

**NOMINATED MEMBER AND TERM**

**Civil Service Commission**

Sarah Freistat Pajimola (Reappoint)

Term Expiration 3/31/2031

**APPROVED MEMBER AND TERM**

**Civil Service Commission**

**DISAPPROVED MEMBER**

**Civil Service Commission**

EXHIBIT "C"