

MICHAEL P. VICTORINO
Mayor

SANANDA K. BAZ
Managing Director



COUNTY OF MAUI
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
200 SOUTH HIGH STREET
WAILUKU, MAUI, HAWAII 96793

November 16, 2021

Honorable Michael J. Molina, Committee Chair
Government Relations, Ethics, and Transparency Committee
200 South High Street
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Molina:

SUBJECT: NOMINEES TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS (GREAT-2)

In accordance with Section 13-2(17) of the Charter of the County of Maui, I am pleased to submit the following nomination, along with their completed application, for your review and consideration:

Commission on Persons with Disabilities

Rainey Matthews (replacing Joseph D'Alessandro) Term Expiration 3/31/24

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Ipo Mossman, Community Liaison, Office of the Mayor, at 270-8211.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael P. Victorino".

MICHAEL P. VICTORINO
Mayor

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Attachments

Resolution

No. _____

RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF RAINEY MATTHEWS
TO THE MAUI COUNTY COMMISSION ON
PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

WHEREAS, by correspondence dated November 16, 2021, Mayor Michael P. Victorino notified the Council he nominated Rainey Matthews to the Maui County Commission on Persons with Disabilities for a term expiring on March 31, 2024, to fill a vacancy replacing Joseph D'Alessandro, pursuant to Sections 2.32.020 and 2.32.030, Maui County Code, and Section 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; now, therefore,

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

1. That it approves the appointment of Rainey Matthews to serve on the Maui County Commission on Persons with Disabilities for a term expiring March 31, 2024; and
2. That the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Rainey Matthews for her 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

/s/ Mimi Desjardins

MIMI DESJARDINS

Department of the Corporation Counsel
County of Maui

LF2021-0029

2021-11-16 CPWD Matthews replace D'Alessandro



BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION FORM

(Please print or type)

Name: Matthews Rainey Dock
 (Last) (First) (Full Middle Name)
 City of Residence: Wailuku Island: Maui

Current Employer & Position: Retired American Airlines Flight Attendant

Business Phone: _____ Business Fax: _____ Business Email (optional): _____

Please indicate why you are interested in serving and what skills you may have to contribute:
 In 2004, a stroke grounded me from my almost 16 year American Airlines Flight Attendant career and launched me into the beautiful world of persons living with disabilities. As my then 19 and 20 year old children took on the complex role of caregiver, I became aware of barriers, lacks of advocacy and disconnects in the system for persons with disabilities. As a person with disabilities and an advocate, I want to contribute my skills in advocacy, encouragement, negotiation, customer service, organization, mediation, marketing, flexibility, and true grit. As Chair of the Fort Worth Mayor's Committee on Person's with Disabilities for 4 years and a member for 6, our Committee worked with the community and City, State and National officials to bring the needs of persons with disabilities to the forefront. We worked collaboratively to create programming, events, and education responsive to the communities we served. I've utilized outreach and advocacy skills right here in Maui County as well and desire to continue contributing.

Employment History:

From	To	
<u>1988</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>American Airlines - Flight Attendant/ Flight Service Department</u>
<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>The Walk Senior Ministries/The Walk Church USA - Executive Assistant</u>
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Political Affiliation: Independent
 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 you are a registered/card carrying member of a political party. If not, indicate "None."

Community and Professional Organizations/Activities:
Fort Worth Mayors Committee on Persons with Disabilities - Chair, Vice-Chair, and Assistant Event Coordinator
Lakeview Fellowship Church - Co-Founder Senior Ministry and Benevolence Committee Chair
MyRide Tarrant County - Policy and Program Design Committee Member
SPARC GradNation - Planning Committee Member, Entertainment Coordinator, and Volunteer Coordinator
REVUPTX - Volunteer, Texas Governor's Committee on People with Disabilities - Liaison

Previous County Experience (employment or board member):

Educational Background:
Tarrant County College; Moorpark Junior College (Neighborhood Youth Corps) simultaneously with high school program; Ventura Community College
Vanguard University

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: R Matthews Date: 11/15/21

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 email to lp.mossman@mauicounty.gov. For further information, call 270-8211; on Lana'i, call 1-800-272-0125; on Moloka'i, call 1-800-272-0117.