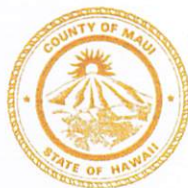


**RICHARD T. BISSEN, JR.**  
Mayor

**KEKUHAUPIO AKANA**  
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February 24, 2023

The Honorable Alice L. Lee, Chair  
and Members of the Council  
200 South High Street  
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Lee:

**SUBJECT: NOMINEE TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS**

In accordance with Section 13-2(16) of the Charter of the County of Maui, I am pleased to submit the following nominee, along with his completed application, for your review and consideration:

**Liquor Control Adjudication Board**

Gary Yoshio Murai

Term Expiration 3/31/2028

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Zeke Kalua, Executive Assistant, Office of the Mayor, at 270-8296.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard T. Bissen, Jr.", is written over the printed name.

RICHARD T. BISSEN, JR.  
Mayor

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**BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLICATION FORM**

(Please print or type)

Name: Murai, Gary  
(Last) (First) (Full Middle Name)City of Residence: Wailuku Island: HawaiiCurrent Employer & Position: noneBusiness Phone: none Business Fax: none Business Email (optional): none

Please indicate why you are interested in serving and what skills you may have to contribute:

Boards and commissions rely on citizen volunteers to function. It is our civic duty to serve on boards and commissions.

My familiarity with the function and work of boards and commissions includes serving on the Hawaii Board of Veterinary Examiners and having been legal counsel to county departments, boards and commissions. I have experience in all aspects of administrative procedure, including rule-making, processing licenses and permits, selection and evaluation of department heads, rules of order, contested case hearings and appeals.

Employment History:

From	To	
2010	2021	County of Maui, Department of the Corporation Counsel
2000/2008	2006/2010	Legal Aid Society of Hawaii (Hawaii Island and Maui County)
2006	2008	Crudele & DeLima
1992	2000	State of Hawaii, Department of the Attorney General

Political Affiliation: Democrat

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:

Legal Aid Society of Hawaii, Board of Directors  
Maui Mediation Services, Volunteer Mediator  
Wailuku Hongwanji Mission, Board of Directors  
Hawaii State Bar Association, Member

Previous County Experience (employment or board member):

Deputy Corporation Counsel

Educational Background:

University of Hawaii William S Richardson School of Law, JD  
University of Hawaii-Hilo, College of Agriculture, BS Agriculture, College of Arts and Science, BA Political Science  
Hilo High School, Diploma

**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: Gary Murai Date: February 1, 2023

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 [mayors.office@mauicounty.gov](mailto:mayors.office@mauicounty.gov). For further information, call 270-7855; on Lana'i, call 1-800-272-0125; on Moloka'i, call 1-800-272-0117.

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