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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Ke'ena O Ka Meia COUNTY OF MAUI – Kalana O Maui

January 24, 2017

Honorable Mike White Council Chair and Members Maui County Council 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair White and Members:

Re: Notice of Vacancy

In accordance with the County Code, Section 2.41.040, this communication is made to report the following vacancy:

<u>Cultural Resources Commission</u> The Mayor's Office received Commission Member Owana Salazar's resignation on January 24, 2017.

Please contact my Executive Assistant, Mike Molina, if you have any questions on this communication.

Sincerely,

REGAN KÉITH Acting Mayo

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Owana Ka`ōhelelani Salazar P. O. Box 11435 Lahaina, Maui, Hawaii 96761 808.383.7727 RECEIVED 2017 JAN 24 AM 9: 40 OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

January 3, 2017

Hon. Mayor Alan Arakawa 200 S. High Street Kalana O Maui Bldg, 9th Floor Wailuku, HI 96793

Dear Mayor Arakawa,

It has been my honor to serve Maui County as a member of the Cultural Resources Commission. Regretfully, I will not be able to complete the full five-year term due to my travel schedule during 2017. My experience has been educational and enlightening. Please know that I take with me the greatest respect for all with whom I have had the privilege to serve.

I took the liberty of searching for a replacement that is willing and able to serve in order to complete my 5-year term for the CRC Lahaina resident seat. Her name is Rita-Lei Medina and, in my opinion, she is positively qualified. Rita-Lei is a 40-year Lahaina resident, six years to-date employed by Salvation Army, and prior to that was involved in construction. It is my honor to recommend Rita-Lei, as I truly believe she will serve Maui County well as a member of the CRC. She has submitted her application and resume.

Again, allow me to thank you for your faith in appointing me to serve. May ke Akua continue to bless you, your staff, and all who serve Maui County.

Aloha pumehana,

Owana Salazar