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**To:** Kelly King; Mike J. Molina; Keani N. Rawlins **Subject:** RE: Appointment of Planning Director, GET-1

## Hello Council Chair King,

I would like to join in with Mark Harbison in recommending Michele McLean as the Director of Planning for the County of Maui. Her roll here as a board member has shown me just how dedicated and diligent she is. She has helped guide the Maui Food Bank with her knowledge and expertise in many areas including budgeting, finance, permitting and I think most importantly her enthusiasm. She has a great deal of integrity along with a community spirit.

I think the County would be at a great loss if she were not elected to the position.

Thanks for your time,

Rich

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Aloha Council Chair King, and Governance, Ethics and Transparency Committee Chair Molina, and Vice-Chair Rawlins-Fernandez. I am writing I support of Michele McLean's candidacy as Maui County Planning Director. I have know Michele for many years, since she was Executive Director of the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission. She has been a member of the Maui Food Bank Board of Directors for six years, and has played a central role in governance and financial affairs for the Food Bank during that time. All of us on the Board admire her spirit of community service and the long hours she dedicates to her work at the Planning Department and at the Maui Food Bank. We are indebted to her for her financial expertise and her many efforts on behalf of the Maui Food Bank in walking us through the County grants and permitting process. I'm sure I speak for all of the Board in offering her our highest recommendation.

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