

## Mike J. Molina

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**To:** Kelly King; Mike J. Molina; Keani N. Rawlins  
**Cc:** Michele Chouteau  
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Kelly, Mike and Keani

I am writing to you as you are, in your capacity as members of the Maui County Council's Governance, Ethics and Transparency committee, responsible for vetting the candidates for senior county government office.

First, I'd like to say thank you for doing this work. Ensuring that the people who seek to run the administration of our government do so in order to serve the people of Maui is of the greatest importance.

I have known Michele McLean as a friend for over a decade. I have also come into the planning department to ask her and other staff questions about my house. In both environments, personal and professional, I have been delighted and impressed with Michele's knowledge, intelligence, experience and can do attitude. She has a clarity of vision and moral compass that is an inspiration to the rest of us. She is exactly the sort of civil servant we should be grateful has chosen to work in government.

I hope you approve her selection.

Micky Lloyd, Paia resident.