

GET Committee

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To: Maui County Council

I have watched politics on Maui for many years. I know when things DON'T SMELL right. The appointment of Scott Teruya as the Finance Director doesn't smell right. This is why. Council Member Riki Hokama realized right after the election that he did not have the votes to retain the Chairmanship of the powerful Budget & Finance Committee. In a move to preserve some of his power he convinced Mayor Victorino to appoint his right hand person, Michele Yoshimura, to the Budget Director position (position does not require confirmation). He then got the Mayor to nominate Mr. Teruya his long time crony and confidant to the Finance Director position. In this way he can still hold on to the reigns of both Budget and Finance. IT SMELLS. Stop allowing backdoor politics to continue on Maui. The citizens are tired of it !!

VOTE NO ON THE CONFIRMATION OF SCOTT TERUYA.

Sincerely,

Nick Noufer