

## GET Committee

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Aloha e Chair Molina and Vice Chair Rawlins-Fernandez,

Attached is a letter of support from Senator J. Kalani English for Mr. Scott Teruya for the position of Director of Finance.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Mahalo!

**J.B. Ka'ōmakaokalā Aki (Jacob)**

**Office of Senate Majority Leader J. Kalani English**

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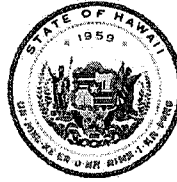
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## The Senate

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January 28, 2019

The Honorable Kelly T. King, Chair  
Maui County Council  
200 South High Street  
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

The Honorable Michael J. Molina, Chair  
Governance, Ethics, and Transportation Committee  
200 South High Street  
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

**Re: Letter of Support for Mr. Scott K. Teruya**

Aloha Council Chair King, Committee Chair Molina, and Members of the Maui County Council,

Please accept this testimony in support of the nomination of Mr. Scott K. Teruya as the Director of Finance, County of Maui. I have known Mr. Teruya for over 10 years and we have shared many conversations over this time regarding real property assessments, taxation and billing, questions from constituents on bills as well as issues before the legislature.

I believe Mayor Victorino's special committee made a wise decision to select Mr. Teruya to lead the Finance Department as he has proven himself to be an effective communicator, a leader and a person who has the desire to get the job done for the betterment of our community. Mr. Teruya's expertise in Real Property Tax Division is an asset for a Finance Director.

I urge this committee and the Maui County Council to confirm Mr. Scott Teruya for the position of Director of Finance.

With Warm Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Kalani English".

Senator J. Kalani English  
Majority Leader  
Hawaii'i State Senate – District 7  
Hāna, East and Upcountry Maui, Moloka'i, Lāna'i and Kaho'olawe