

GET Committee

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Subject: Finance Director

Aloha Governance, Ethics & Transparency Committee,

I see on the County web site that Mr. Scott Teruya is being nominated as the Director of Finance. As you well know, the Director of Finance is a very important position within the County. Not only does this position manage 5 very different divisions within the Finance Department but the Director is responsible for being the Chairman of the Investment Committee, for issuing general obligation bonds and many very important other responsibilities per the Charter.

I have reviewed Mr. Teruya's resume and he is **NOT QUALIFIED** to hold this position. He has managed the Real Property Assessment Division for a number of years but that experience does not qualify him to be the Finance Director. He is a real estate appraiser not someone who should be entrusted with the County's financial well being!!

Maui County should be looking for the **MOST QUALIFIED** individual to be the Finance Director not the most **CONVENIENT**. The citizens of Maui deserve better. Please disapprove the nomination of Mr. Scott Teruya as the Finance Director.

Mahalo for your consideration.

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Sent from my iPhone