

GET Committee

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Aloha Chair Molina and GET Committee

Following is testimony from the Kihei Community Association (KCA) on item GET 10 (7)

PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENTS (ESTABLISHING SHORTER LIFETIME TERM LIMITS FOR COUNCIL MEMBERS BY LIMITING THE NUMBER OF TERMS A PERSON MAY SERVE ON THE COUNCIL TO TWO FOUR-YEAR TERMS) (GET-10(7))

KCA's position is we favor continued 2 year terms for Council members with a total maximum of 5 terms whether **consecutive on not**. Once 5 terms served, that is all for the individual for life. Making that single change eliminates any need for staggering. Every two years all 9 seats are open for all candidates in respective districts. We believed this may be achieved by just removing the word "consecutive" from the current code.

Mahalo,

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