MICHAEL P. VICTORINO

Mayor

SANANDA K. BAZ Managing Director





COUNTY OF MAUI

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

200 SOUTH HIGH STREET WAILUKU, MAUI, HAWAII 96793

May 26, 2021

Honorable Michael J. Molina, Committee Chair Government Relations, Ethics, and Transparency Committee 200 South High Street Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

Dear Chair Molina:

SUBJECT: NOMINEES TO BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND **COMMISSIONS (GREAT-2(1))**

In accordance with Section 13-2(16) of the Charter of the County of Maui, I am pleased to submit the following nomination, along with their completed application, for your review and consideration:

Board of Variances and Appeals

Ross Takashima

Term Expiration 3/31/26

If you have any questions on this matter, please contact Ipo Mossman, Community Liaison, Office of the Mayor, at 270-8211.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL P. VICTORINO

Mayor

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Resolution

No.	

APPOINTMENT OF A MEMBER TO THE BOARD OF VARIANCES AND APPEALS FOR THE COUNTY OF MAUI

WHEREAS, by letter dated May 26, 2021, Mayor Michael P. Victorino notified the Council that he nominated the person listed in Exhibit "A", attached hereto, as a member to the Board of Variances and Appeals for the County of Maui, pursuant to Section 2.41.080, Maui County Code, and Sections 8-8.7 and 13-2, Revised Charter of the County of Maui (1983), as amended ("Charter"); and

WHEREAS, Section 13-2 of the Charter requires the Mayor's nominee to be approved by the Council; and

WHEREAS, Section 13-2(16) of the Charter requires the Council to approve or disapprove the nomination within sixty days after the Mayor submits the name of the nominee to the Council; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the County of Maui:

- 1. That it hereby approves the appointment of the person listed in Exhibit "B", attached hereto, as a member to the Board of Variances and Appeals for the term as specified therein; and
- 2. That it hereby disapproves the appointment of the person listed in Exhibit "C" as a member to the Board of Variances and Appeals as nominated by the Mayor; and
- 3. That the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to the appointed member for his willingness to be considered for public service and actively participate in County government; and
- 4. That certified copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Managing Director, and the Corporation Counsel.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

/s/ Mimi Desjardins

MIMI DESJARDINS
Deputy Corporation Counsel
County of Maui
2021-05-26 BVA Mass nomination Takashima

NOMINATED MEMBER AND TERM

BOARD OF VARIANCES AND APPEALS

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APPROVED MEMBER AND TERM

DISAPPROVED MEMBER



BOARD AND COMMISSION APPLREATION FORM

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(Please print or type) OFFICE OF THE MAYOR Mitsuo Takashima Ross Name: (Last) (First) (Full Middle Name) Kaunakakai Molokai City of Residence: Island: Current Employer & Position: Civil Engineer and Owner of: Vision Design Engineering LLC **Business Business Business Email** 808-658-0475 rtakashima@vdesigneng.com Phone: Fax: (optional): Please indicate why you are interested in serving and what skills you may have to contribute: I am interested in serving to have an impact on my community and be involved with the projects and issues that our county faces. Being a civil engineer for a little over 13 years, I've been involved with a wide variety of projects all across our country. I've used my skills as an engineer to navigate numerous public agency codes, standards, and requirements. The scope of a civil engineer routinely involves working with public agencies on design elements such as roadways, pedestrian access, grading, erosion control, drainage, and utilities. I feel I can use my knowledge in these areas to contribute to the board's decisions. **Employment History:** From To KPFF Consulting Engineers - Portland, OR 2/2008 4/2014 4/2014 2/2016 SSFM International - Kauai, HI 2/2016 Present Vision Design Engineering LLC - Molokai, HI Political Affiliation: none Section 13-2(2) of the Charter, County of Maui, requires that not more than a bare majority of members of a board or commission belong to the same political party; therefore, please indicate if you are a registered/card carrying member of a political party. If not, indicate "None." Community and Professional Organizations/Activities: none Previous County Experience (employment or board member): **Educational Background:** Bachelors of Science, Civil Engineering - Washington State University High School Diploma - Molokai High and Intermediate School Consent to be Nominated and Certification of Truthfulness and Accuracy of Information: I declare that the above statements are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. 03/18/2021 Signature: Date:

Most board/commission appointments are subject to confirmation by the Maui County Council. Most of these positions are for five-year terms. If you are selected as a nominee, the information contained on this form will be provided to the public upon request.

Please send completed forms to OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, 200 SOUTH HIGH STREET, WAILUKU, HAWAII 96793; or email to lpo.Mossman@mauicounty.gov. For further information, call 270-8211; on Lana`i, call 1-800-272-0125; on Moloka`i, call 1-800-272-0117.

B&C app 6/25/20:pn