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July 18, 2018

State Historic Preservation Officer and Members of the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board Kākuhihewa Building 601 Kamokila Blvd, Ste. 555 Kapolei, Hawai'i 96707 A D: 52

Dear SHPO and Members of the Hawai'i Historic Places Review Board:

SUBJECT: Nomination of the Honoka'a Garage to the Hawai'i Register of Historic Places

45-3586 Māmane Street, Honoka'a, Hawai'i 96727

TMK: (3) 4-5-016:049, Portion of Honoka'a Town, Haina, Hāmākua, Hawai'i

I am pleased to offer support for the inclusion of the Honoka'a Garage on the Hawai'i Register of Historic Places. After review of the nomination materials, we are of the opinion that the buildings meet criteria A and C of §13-198-8, Hawai'i Administrative Rules, and criteria A and C of §60.4, Code of Federal Regulations, for inclusion on the Hawai'i Register and nomination to the National Register of Historic Places.

The Hawai'i County Cultural Resources Commission (CRC) considered the draft nomination materials at their advertised public meeting on July 11, 2018, and unanimously voted to support its inclusion on the Registers. The CRC also voted to request the landowner's consideration of modifying the colors used on the building to better fit into the historic character of Honoka'a when the need for repainting arises, and to prominently display the historic name of "Honoka'a Garage" on the building.

Listing of the Honoka'a Garage to the Hawai'i Register of Historic Places will help to preserve a portion of the heritage that makes our County special.

Sincerely

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Mayor

Planning Department, Hawai'i County Cultural Resources Commission

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