Board of Land and Natural Resources
State of Hawaii
Honolulu, Hawaii

Appointment of Leanne Okamoto and Atto Assi to Serve as Directors of the Puna Soil and Water Conservation District

Under Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapter 180, the governance of each Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) is placed in the hands of five directors, two of whom are appointed by the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) at the recommendation of the District and three of whom are elected by the land occupiers of the District. Directors serve for a term of three (3) years.

The following individual has been recommended for appointment to serve as a director of the Puna SWCD for the term specified:

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<td>Leanne Okamoto</td>
<td>Land Asset Manager</td>
<td>June 30, 2021</td>
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The following individual has been recommended for appointment to serve as a director of the Puna SWCD to fulfill the unexpired term of George VanGieson:

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<td>Atto Assi</td>
<td>Chemical Engineer/Farmer</td>
<td>June 30, 2019</td>
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The documentation submitted by the district to support these appointments is filed in the Engineering Division office.

RECOMMENDATION:
The Board appoint Leanne Okamoto and Atto Assi to serve as directors of the Puna Soil and Water Conservation District for the terms specified.

Respectfully submitted,

CARTY CHANG
Chief Engineer

Approved for submittal:

SUZANNE D. CASE, Chairperson
Board of Land and Natural Resources