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April 3, 2023

The Honorable Tommy Waters
Chair and Presiding Officer
and Members
Honolulu City Council
530 South King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Waters and Councilmembers:

Pursuant to Section 13-103(b) of the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu, I hereby reappoint, subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, Mr. Dennis Morton as a member of the Fire Commission. Mr. Morton will serve for a second term to expire on December 31, 2027. I would appreciate your favorable consideration of Mr. Morton's reappointment and request adoption by the City Council in the most expedient manner possible.

I have enclosed Mr. Morton's personal information and a draft resolution for your review. For any general inquiries you may have regarding this appointment, please contact my executive assistant, Kevan Wong, at 768-6608.

Sincerely,

Rick Blangiardi
Mayor

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Dennis Morton
Honolulu Fire Department
Fire Commission
Ethics Commission

MAYOR'S MESSAGE 69

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
NOMINEE/APPOINTEE FORM

1. Position Nominated to: Honolulu Fire Commission

2. Name: Dennis (First) Kawika (Middle) Morton (Last)

3. Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes ☑
   Are you a resident of the City and County of Honolulu? Yes ☑ If yes, how long >20 years ☑
   Are you a registered voter in the City and County of Honolulu? Yes ☑

4. Occupation: ILWU Longshore Business Agent

5. Name and address of employer or firm:
   International Longshore and Wharehouse Union
   451 Atkinson Blvd Honolulu Hawaii

6. Does your employer do any business with the City and County of Honolulu? No ☑
   If yes, state the nature of business and approximate dollar amount in the last five years:

7. Do you or does any member of your immediate family hold office or own stock in any firm?
   No ☑

8. Does the firm do business with the City and County of Honolulu? No ☑
   If yes, provide details including the name(s) of the firm:

9. Do you have any part-time employment, professional activity, or financial interests other than those indicated in the previous question? No ☑
   If yes, provide details:

10. Do you foresee any possible conflict between your present work, financial investments, business transactions or any other activity which would be incompatible with the proper discharge of your official duties or hinder you from effectively carrying out the duties for which you have been appointed? No ☑

11. Are any members of your family employed by the City and County of Honolulu or any attached agency? No ☑
    If yes, please specify the department and division:

12. Are there any incidents in your past that may jeopardize your nomination? No ☑

13. Have you ever been convicted of a felony? No ☑ If yes, provide details:

14. Education:

Graduated Kalani High School 1984
2yrs at Kapiolani Comunity College

15. Provide a summary of major work experience for the last ten (10) years. Begin with your present job including military (attach additional sheets if necessary or resume):

Present- 2013 ILWU Longshore Business Agent

16. Community activities, etc. (also list any service on any other board or commission Federal, State or County):

2018-Present Honolulu Fire Commission

17. Have you ever been a member of a board or commission with the City and County of Honolulu?

Yes ☑

If yes, provide name(s) of board/commission:

Honolulu Fire Commission

18. Will you be able to commit to the full term of this appointment? Yes ☑

19. Will you be able to commit to meeting dates and times? Yes ☑

20. Are you regularly away from Honolulu? No ☑ If yes, please explain:

21. Are you willing to make a confidential financial disclosure to the city Ethics Commission upon appointment and yearly thereafter? Yes ☑

22. What do you understand to be the prime duties of your county appointment?

Appoints and may remove the Fire Chief. Adopts rules necessary for the conduct of its business and reviews rules for the administration of the Department. Reviews the annual budget prepared by the Fire Chief and makes recommendations thereon to the Mayor and the Council.

The above statements made by me are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

(Signature) 3-28-23 (Date)

The above statements made by me are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and ***The completed form and any attachment(s) will be posted by the City Clerk and available on the City's DocuShare Website.***

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DENNIS MORTON

2017-Present Honolulu Fire Commission

EXPERIENCE

2010-PRESENT • BUSINESS AGENT • ILWU LOCAL 142 HAWAII LONGSHORE DIVISION
Contract enforcement, grievance and dispute resolution, working with management & members. Union administration, negotiations, & record keeping; running and attending meetings.

2001–PRESENT • LABORER • HAWAII STEVEDORES, INC.
Started as a laborer, currently a Ship Gang Foreman

2000–2001 • FIREFIGHTER III, ENGINEER • HONOLULU CITY & COUNTY
1999–2000 • FIREFIGHTER II, SEARCH & RESCUE I, PAWAA FIRE STATION 2 • HONOLULU CITY & COUNTY
1989–1999 • FIREFIGHTER I, SEARCH, VARIOUS STATIONS INCLUDING KAIMUKI, WAIKIKI & WAIKAMILO • HONOLULU CITY & COUNTY
No disciplinary record: all evaluations received were "exceeds expectations"

1987–1989 • MTL DRIVER • HONOLULU CITY BUS

EDUCATION

1984-1987 • KAPIOLANI COMMUNITY COLLEGE
1984 • GRADUATE • KALANI HIGH SCHOOL

EMAIL

TWITTER HANDLE

TELEPHONE

LINKEDIN URL

Office of the City Clerk

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
STATE OF HAWAII

Voter Certificate

I, Glen I. Takahashi, City Clerk of the City & County of Honolulu, State of Hawaii do hereby certify that,

DENNIS K. MORTON

a resident of the City and County of Honolulu, State of Hawaii is a duly registered elector (voter) of

Precinct 02, Representative District 38, State of Hawaii

Voter ID No: 1076460 *Registration Date: 08/22/2002*

Date of Birth:

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City and County of Honolulu to be affixed on April 3, 2023.

Signature Block

Signature of Elector

Glen I. Takahashi, City Clerk
City and County of Honolulu
State of Hawaii

This certificate expires at the earlier of either the date the named elector relinquishes the voter residence associated with this certificate or after the next scheduled Hawaii General election after the affixed issuance date.

CITY COUNCIL

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
HONOLULU, HAWAII

No. _____

RESOLUTION

CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF MR. DENNIS MORTON TO SERVE ON THE FIRE COMMISSION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

WHEREAS, Section 6-1005, Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended ("Charter"), establishes a Fire Commission ("Commission") consisting of seven members; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 6-1006 sets forth the powers, duties, and functions of the Commission; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Charter Section 13-103, the members of the Commission are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council ("Council") and serve for staggered five-year terms; and

WHEREAS, by Mayor's Letter, dated April 3, 2023, the Mayor has reappointed Mr. Dennis Morton to the Commission; and

WHEREAS, if confirmed by the Council, Mr. Morton will serve a second term to expire on December 31, 2027; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-103, which applies to the Commission, requires that appointees to all City boards and commissions that are subject to that section be registered voters of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed Mr. Morton's qualifications and character and finds that he qualifies to serve on the Commission and deserves confirmation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that it confirms the reappointment of Mr. Dennis Morton to the Fire Commission for a term expiring on December 31, 2027; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Mr. Morton for his willingness to be considered for public service and actively participate in city government; and

CITY COUNCIL

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
HONOLULU, HAWAII

No. _____

RESOLUTION

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Fire Chief, the Chair of the Fire Commission, and Mr. Dennis Morton.

INTRODUCED BY:

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DATE OF INTRODUCTION: _____

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Honolulu, Hawaii Councilmembers