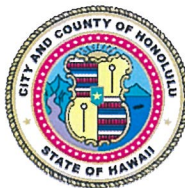


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June 3, 2024

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 appoint, subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, Mr. J Pedro as a member of the Board of Parks and Recreation. Mr. Pedro will replace Ricky Taniguchi and serve for a term to expire on December 31, 2028. I would appreciate your favorable consideration of Mr. Pedro's appointment.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rick Blangiardi". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Rick Blangiardi
Mayor

Attachments

cc: Mr. J Pedro
Department of Parks and Recreation
Board of Parks and Recreation
Ethics Commission



HONOLULU CITY COUNCIL
KE KANIHELA O KE KALANA O HONOLULU
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

No. _____

RESOLUTION

CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF J PEDRO TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

WHEREAS, Section 6-1404, Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 Edition), as amended ("Charter"), establishes a Board of Parks and Recreation consisting of nine members; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 6-1404 sets forth the powers, duties, and functions of the Board of Parks and Recreation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Charter Section 13-103, the members of the Board are appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council to staggered five-year terms; and

WHEREAS, by Mayor's letter, dated June 3, 2024, the Mayor has appointed Mr. J Pedro to the Board of Parks and Recreation; and

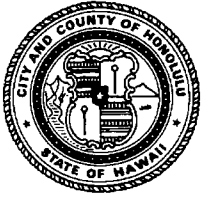
WHEREAS, if confirmed by the Council, Mr. Pedro will replace Ricky Taniguchi and serve for a term to expire on December 31, 2028; and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 13-103, which applies to the Board of Parks and Recreation, includes a general qualification requiring a member to be a registered voter of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed the qualifications and character of Mr. Pedro and finds that he qualifies to serve on the Board of Parks and Recreation and deserves confirmation for appointment; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that it confirms the reappointment of Mr. J Pedro to the Board of Parks and Recreation for a term expiring on December 31, 2028; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Mr. Pedro for his willingness to serve the City and County of Honolulu; and



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CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

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RESOLUTION

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation, the Chair of the Board of Parks and Recreation, and Mr. J Pedro.

INTRODUCED BY:

DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

Honolulu, Hawai'i

Councilmembers

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,

J AVERELL PEDRO

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

Precinct: 03, Representative District: 23, State of Hawaii

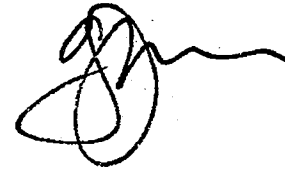
Voter ID No: 1283560 Registration Date: 07/8/2022

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 26, 2024.

Signature Block

Signature of Elector



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

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
NOMINEE/APPOINTEE FORM

1. Position Nominated to: Board of Parks and Recreation

2. Name: J Averell PEPRe
(First) (Middle) (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: Retired

5. Name and address of employer or firm:

None.

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? -select-

If yes, provide details including the name(s) of the firm:

N/A

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? -select-

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:

Wayland Baptist University
University of Hawaii

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):

Juvenile Justice State Advisory Commission
Commander - Honolulu Police Department
Commander Sexual Exploitation of Children Committee Member

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

Volunteer Coaching
Law Enforcement Employer Program Adviser

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

☒ No

If yes, provide name(s) of board/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 ☒

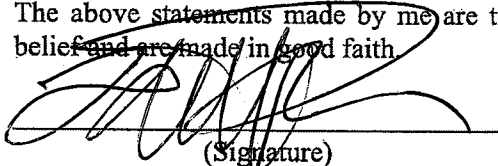
20. Are you regularly away from Honolulu? No ☒ If yes, please explain:

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?

Advise the Mayor, the City Council, and the Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation on matters relating to the recreational, cultural and entertainment activities and facilities of the City.

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)

5-23-24
(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.

AREAS OF SPECIALTY

- Juvenile Services
- Juvenile Crime Prevention Programs
- Juvenile Intervention Programs
- Ho'opono Mamo Civil Citation and Diversion Programs
- Drug Resistance and Education Programs
- Community Affairs
- Public Affairs

EDUCATION

WAYLAND BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

• Justice Administration January 2005 – August 2006

UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII

• Police Science September 1981 – August 1983

EXPERIENCE

Honolulu Police Department

August 1983 – Present (39+ years)
(14 years out of last 16 with Juvenile Services)

Community Affairs Division	Major	July 2019 to present
	Acting Major	December 2018 to June 2019
Criminal Intelligence Unit	Captain	February 2016 – December 2018
Community Affairs Division	Captain	March 2014 – February 2016
	Acting Major	March 2013 – March 2015
	Captain	February 2013 – March 2013
	Acting Captain	June 2012 – February 2013
Juvenile Services Division	Lieutenant	April 2007 – June 2012
Prevention Unit – Police Activities League (PAL) and Law Enforcement Explorers Program		
District 5 Patrol – Kalihi		
	Sergeant – Field Training Officers Program	April 1998 – April 2007
District 7 Patrol – East Honolulu Police Department		
	Corporal – Field Training Officers Program	January 1988 – April 1998
District 1 Patrol – Honolulu		
	Downtown Honolulu	January 1985 – January 1988
	Central Receiving Desk	January 1984 – January 1985
	Police Cadet	August 1983 – January 1984

VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

PAL Coach Basketball and Baseball	Ages 6-7, 8-9, 10-11	2002 – 2012
Kalihi Jaguars Football Coach – Island Youth Football League		1988 – 2010
Island Youth Football League Board of Directors – Scheduler		2000 – 2010

References available upon request