

# CITY COUNCIL

## NOMINATION AND/OR APPOINTMENT TRANSMITTAL

DATE: 07/28/2025

TO: OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, COMMITTEE AIDE TO  
International & Legal Affairs  
STANDING COMMITTEE

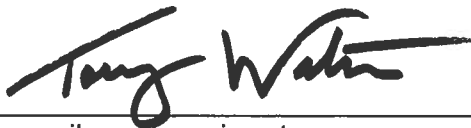
FROM: Tommy Waters  
COUNCILMEMBER

SUBJECT: Larry Veray TO THE  
NOMINEE OR APPOINTEE NAME  
Neighborhood Commission  
COMMISSION/AGENCY

The above-referenced individual is my proposed nomination and/or appointment for the subject Commission/Agency for consideration by your assigned Committee.

☐ Nomination form attached

☐ Resume attached



Councilmember signature

cc: Councilmembers

**\*One form per nominee or appointee**  
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CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU  
NOMINEE/APPOINTEE FORM

1. Position Nominated to: Neighborhood Commission
2. Name: Larry Steven Veray  
(First) (Middle) (Last)
3. Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes ☒ No ☐  
Are you a resident of the City and County of Honolulu? Yes ☒ No ☐  
If yes, how long 38 Yrs  
Are you a registered voter in the City and County of Honolulu? Yes ☒ No ☐
4. Occupation: Retired from both U.S. Navy and Federal Government Contractor
5. Name and address of employer or firm:  
No Employer - Fully Retired
6. Does your employer do any business with the City and County of Honolulu?  
Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, state the nature of business and approximate dollar amount in the last five years:  
Previous Employer SAIC Contracted with Federal Government
7. Do you or does any member of your immediate family hold office or own stock in any firm?  
Yes ☐ No ☒
8. Does the firm do business with the City and County of Honolulu? Yes ☐ No ☐  
If yes, provide details including the name(s) of the firm:  
Not Applicable
9. Do you have any part-time employment, professional activity, or financial interests other than those indicated in the previous question? Yes ☐ No ☐  
If yes, provide details:  
No Employment - Fully Retired
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? Yes ☐ No ☒
11. Are any members of your family employed by the City and County of Honolulu or any attached agency? Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, please specify the department and division:
12. Are there any incidents in your past that may jeopardize your nomination  
Yes ☐ No ☒
13. Have you ever been convicted of a felony? If yes, provide details:

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DUI Mountain View Ca. 05/81, Fined \$500, Completed Navy Alcohol Ed Course
15. Education:  
High School Diploma, 1 year College, major in Electronic Engineering  
U.S. Navy Senior Enlisted Academy - Numerous Navy Courses completed
16. 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):  
Contracted by SAIC to the National Reconnaissance Office, Chantilly, VA and Assigned  
Directly as Technical Advisor to U.S. Indo-Pacific Command for 30 years
17. Community activities, etc. (also list any service on any other board or commission Federal, State or County):  
Federal: U.S. Navy 24 Years; Chairman Pearl City Neighborhood Board for 8 of 19 yrs  
President WGKB AOA, Lions Club, PC Community Association, VFW  
President Nonprofit Friends for Sunset Memorial Cemetery 501C3
18. Have you ever been a member of a board or commission with the City and County of Honolulu?  
Yes ☒ No ☐ If yes, provide name(s) of board/commission:  
Pearl City Neighborhood Board, Previous 1 year as Commissioner Neighborhood Com.
19. Will you be able to commit to the full term of this appointment? Yes ☒ No ☒
20. Will you be able to commit to meeting dates and times? Yes ☒ No ☐
21. Are you regularly away from Honolulu? Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, please explain:  
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22. Are you willing to make a confidential financial disclosure to the city Ethics Commission upon appointment and yearly thereafter? Yes ☒ No ☐
23. What do you understand to be the prime duties of your county appointment?  
Serve on the Neighborhood Commission Establishing Policy and Procedures from NP  
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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)

7-3-25

(Date)

*The completed form and any attachment(s) will be posted by the City Clerk and available on the City's DocuShare Website.*

# Larry S Veray

Abbreviated Biography for the Mayor's Office and City Council as a Volunteer Requesting to be Nominated as a Commissioner on the Neighborhood Commission



- *Born in East Chicago, Indiana and 74 Years young*
- *Graduated from Donald E Gavit High School in Hammond, Indiana*
- *College: Valparaiso Technical Institute with major in Electronic Engineering*
- *Joined the U.S. Navy in 1968 and deployed on numerous airborne combat support missions supporting U.S. and Allied Forces in the Vietnam War. The Navy brought me and my family to Hawaii in 1974 where I deployed to the Western Pacific on submarines. In 1992, I retired from the U.S. Navy as a Command Master Chief after assignment at the U.S Pacific Command and U.S. Pacific Fleet Pearl Harbor Unit completing 24 years of honorable and dedicated service. Highly decorated veteran; selected as the Navy's Top Cryptologist in 1991.*
- *In 1993, I began my second career as a U.S. Federal government contractor assigned to the U.S. Indo-Pacific Command Headquarters as a technical advisor to senior staff while directly supporting and trained numerous military units in the Asia Pacific area for the past 30 years. Highly recognized by several National Intelligence Agencies in Washington D.C.*
- *40 Years as a Hawaii resident and 37 years as a Pearl City Resident*
- *President of his AOA Townhome Association for 37 Years volunteering to lead my Homeowners Association of 114 families in Pearl City. Of those 37 years, I was voted as President 26 times while improving the quality of life for all homeowners and tenants*
- *18 years as a community volunteer on the Pearl City Neighborhood Board. Elected Chairman of the board for the past eight years supporting over 45,000 residents while working very closely with our congressional, state and city officials collaborating and working tough issues for our residents*
- *32 Years as HPD Neighborhood Security Watch Coordinator for Waiau Area of Pearl City while directly responsible for tipping HPD Narcotics, Gambling and Gang units in successfully reporting and resulting in the prosecution of bad actors in Pearl City*
- *Active Member of the Pearl City Lions Club, Pearl City Community Association, Veterans of Foreign Wars while serving the Pearl City area and while continuing to volunteer to keep our community clean and in harmony.*
- *President of the newly formed Friends for Sunset Memorial Cemetery Non-Profit 501c3 supporting hundreds of families who have their love ones buried at the cemetery with a plan to completely revitalize the abandoned cemetery and integrate solar voltaic equipment to generate funds for sustainability of the cemetery*

- *Recognized by the Hawaii State Legislature in 2022 as Pearl City Volunteer of the Year and presented the Hero's Award. Recently highlighted on KHON Kupuna Life for my volunteerism and recognized again in Midweek Magazine as a Pearl City hero.*
- *Married for 53 years to my wife Michie from Tokyo, Japan. I have one son, Steven who is also key volunteer with the City & County Emergency Management Office and works as a Federal Contractor at Pearl Harbor for the U.S. Navy.*

### ***Noteworthy Accomplishments as Chairman and Board Member of the Pearl City Neighborhood Board No. 21***

- Proven leadership, management and communications skills leading my 11 person Pearl City Neighborhood Board that leads a very cohesive team supporting the community
- Demonstrated the highest personal integrity in facilitating board meetings, always respectful to residents and officials where I have set the example for all the board members
- Worked in synchronization with congressional, state, city and federal officials and representatives assisting in developing solutions to community issues
- Over the past 18 years, produced over 52 board resolutions and numerous outgoing letters to officials while working some very tough Pearl City and state issues.
- Worked very closely with the former deceased State Representative Mark Takai while drafting the initial bill to ban illegal fireworks in Hawaii. Content of the bill came from the Pearl City Neighborhood Board resolution. In the outyears as illegal fireworks literally exploded out of control for the state, drafted additional resolutions and provided in-person testimony at the state legislature, during hearings, advocating law enforcement to stop illegal aerial fireworks from arriving in Hawaii in shipping containers.
- Collaborated with several neighborhood board chairs while working mutual community issues sharing draft resolutions establishing a common goal
- Mentored other Neighborhood Board chairs and board members in drafting neighborhood board resolutions to include our newly elected board members educating them on the State Sunshine Law. Many board chairs and other board members would ask for assistance on their issues providing them guidance and recommendations
- Worked with Neighborhood Commissioner Melendez providing suggestions on making recommendations to improve the Neighborhood Commission, Neighborhood Commission Office operations and the Neighborhood Board Plan document
- Participated in Neighborhood Commission meetings providing suggestions to improve board operations
- Demonstrated the best parliamentary procedures in conducting board meetings while facilitating residents and officials to state their issues and discuss potential ways ahead to resolve those issues. Demonstrated conflict resolution between board members.
- Recognized and selected by both the Senate and House Legislature a Volunteer Heroes Award for Pearl City

### ***Vision and Commitment***

If appointed to the Neighborhood Commission, I would be committed to work with all the Commissioners and set them up for success sharing my leadership skills and making recommendations to improve operations, actions, Neighborhood Plan and team effort working closely with the NCO.

I am currently fully retired from the U.S. Navy and as a Federal Government Contractor with my vision of giving back to the community and focused to everything I can to work tough city and state problems while finding solutions working transparent between residents from the community and their officials. Most importantly, sharing leadership skills with other board chairs.

**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,

**LARRY S. VERAY**

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

Precinct, 02 Representative District, 34 State of Hawaii

Voter ID No: 1639091 Registration Date: 10/05/1992

Date of Birth 10/11/1949

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City and County of Honolulu to be affixed on July 28, 2025.

[Redacted Signature]



Signature of Elector

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