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March 9, 2026

The Honorable Tommy Waters
Chair and Presiding Officer
and Members
Honolulu City Council
530 South King Street, Room 202
Honolulu, Hawai'i 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. Darian Chun as a member of the Board of Water Supply. Mr. Chun will replace Mr. Bryan Andaya, and serve for a term to expire on June 30, 2030. I would appreciate your favorable consideration of Mr. Chun's appointment.

I have attached a draft resolution and Mr. Chun's information for your review and consideration. For any general inquiries you may have regarding this appointment, please contact my Chief of Staff, Andy Sugg, at (808)-768-4811.

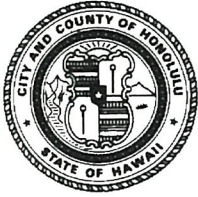
Sincerely,

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

Rick Blangiardi
Mayor

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Darian Chun
Board of Water Supply
Ethics Commission



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

No. _____

RESOLUTION

RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF DARIAN CHUN TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU.

WHEREAS, Section 7-101, Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu 1973 (Amended 2017 edition), as amended ("Charter"), establishes a Department of Water, to be known as the Board of Water Supply (Board); and

WHEREAS, Charter Section 7-104, creates a policy-making body consisting of seven members, two ex officio and five appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council to five-year terms; and

WHEREAS, in general, the Board of Water Supply has the duty of developing, managing, controlling, and operating the City's water systems; and

WHEREAS, by Mayor's Letter, dated March 9, 2026, the Mayor has appointed Mr. Darian Chun to the Board of Water Supply; and

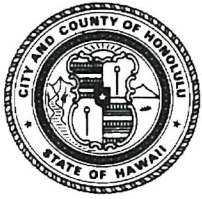
WHEREAS, if confirmed by the Council, Mr. Chun will replace Mr. Bryan Andaya, and serve for a term to expire on June 30, 2030; and

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

WHEREAS, after reviewing the nominee's qualifications, the Council finds that Mr. Chun qualifies to serve on the Board of Water Supply and deserves confirmation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that the appointment of Mr. Darian Chun to the Board of Water Supply be confirmed for a term expiring on June 30, 2030; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council expresses its gratitude and appreciation to Mr. Chun for his willingness to be considered for public service and active participation in City government; and



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RESOLUTION

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this Resolution be transmitted to the Mayor, the Chair of the Board of Water Supply, and Mr. Darian Chun

INTRODUCED BY:

DATE OF INTRODUCTION:

Honolulu, Hawai'i

Councilmembers

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU
NOMINEE/APPOINTEE FORM

1. Position Nominated to: Board of Directors for BWS
2. Name: Darian Kyle Chun
(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: Engineer
5. Name and address of employer or firm:
Royal Contracting Company., Ltd.
1002 Puuwai Street Hon. Hi. 96819
6. Does your employer do any business with the City and County of Honolulu? Yes
If yes, state the nature of business and approximate dollar amount in the last five years:
Construction - \$ 1.6M (Please see attached letter from my employer regarding BWS projects.)
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:

•Graduate, Iolani School, Honolulu, HI, 1990

•B.S., Construction Management, Colorado State University, 1995

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):

See attached resume

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

See attached resume

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

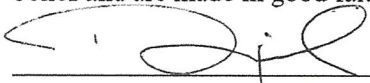
If yes, please explain:

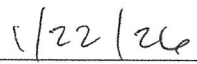
21. Are you willing to make a confidential financial disclosure to the city Ethics Commission upon appointment and yearly thereafter? Yes

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

to assist leading BWS into the future

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)


(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.

Leonard K.P. Leong
President

March 4, 2026

Office of the Mayor
530 S. King Street
Honolulu, HI 96813

Re: Agreement not Bid on BWS Projects During Darian Chun's Board Term



Dear Honorable Mayor Blangiardi and Honorable Chairman Tommy Waters:

Please let this letter serve as a notice that Royal agrees not to bid on any BWS projects during Darian's term on the board for the Board of Water Supply.

If you have further questions, feel free to call me at (808) 839-9006.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Leonard Leong'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized 'L'.

Leonard Leong
President
Royal Contracting Company, Ltd.



Darian Chun

Project Manager

Royal Contracting Company

1002 Puuwai Street

Honolulu, HI 96819 •

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Professional Summary

Seasoned executive and project leader with 30+ years of experience overseeing major civil infrastructure, residential development, and water resource projects across Hawai'i. Extensive experience collaborating with the City & County of Honolulu and State agencies to deliver long-term infrastructure solutions. Proven record of board service, governance, and policy advocacy through leadership roles in local business, construction, and community organizations. Dedicated to advancing sustainable resource management, public-private partnerships, and community-centered decision-making.

Affiliations

- Board of Directors, Quality General (2022 to present)
- Government Affairs Committee, GCA (2023 to present)
- NAIOP Government Affairs Committee Co-Chair (2019–2023, 2025 to present)
- Former Board Member, Hawaii Japanese Chamber of Commerce; Coalition for a Drug Free Hawaii
- Former President & Board Director, West Oahu Economic Development Organization
- Former Chair of the Leadership Committee, GCA (2009 to 2011)
- Coach, Iolani School Girls' JV Basketball Program (2006–Present)
- Former Head Coach for Girls Iolani CSAL basketball team

Work History

Project Manager, 04/2016 to 11/2018 & 08/2023 to Present

Royal Contracting Co Ltd – Honolulu, Hawaii, United States

- Estimator for all civil work
- Managed sitework for large-scale residential developments, including **Ewa by Gentry and Ho'opili**.
- Directed operations for Governor's Kauhale housing projects and HART On-Call contracts.
- Led project teams delivering critical housing and infrastructure initiatives.

Director of Site Development, 11/2018 to 06/2023

Castle & Cooke Homes Hawaii Inc.- Honolulu, Hawaii, United States

- Led planning and construction for the **Koa Ridge development**, a major urban community in Central O'ahu.
- Oversaw design and construction of a **new BWS water source system** (reservoir, wells, pump system).
- Partnered with BWS and City & County officials to ensure infrastructure met regulatory and community needs.
- Executed the dedication of the roads to the City & County of Honolulu
- Collaborated with DPP on the planning of the Koa Ridge development
- Directed multimillion-dollar budgets and managed interagency collaboration for long-term resource sustainability.

Senior Lead Estimator, 06/2014 to 04/2016

Delta Construction Corporation – Kapolei, Hawaii, United States

- Estimated various State, City & County, and private work

Site Development Engineer, 06/2001 to 01/2014

Gentry Homes Hawaii Ltd. – Honolulu, Hawaii, United States

- Directed construction of **City-dedicated roadways and infrastructure** in Ewa and Kāneʻohe.
- Executed dedication of assets to the City & County of Honolulu.
- Managed infrastructure budgets supporting long-term community growth.

Field Superintendent/Engineer, 06/1995 to 05/2001

Kiewit Infrastructure West Co – Kapolei, Hawaii, United States

- Directed construction of **BWS's Nuuanu Infiltration System**, enhancing O'ahu's water supply.
- Delivered major State projects, including **H-3 exploratory tunnel** and **H-1 freeway improvements**.

Education

- **B.S., Construction Management**, Colorado State University, 1995
- Graduate, **Iolani School**, Honolulu, HI, 1990

Core Competencies

- Board Governance & Policy Advocacy
- Water Resource & Infrastructure Development
- Public-Private Partnerships
- Strategic Planning & Budget Oversight
- Community & Stakeholder Engagement
- Sustainable Development & Resource Stewardship

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,

DARIAN K. CHUN

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

Precinct:05, Representative District:18, State of Hawaii

Voter ID No: 1306097 Registration Date: 05/21/2004

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 February 25, 2026.

Signature Block

Signature of Elector



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