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**From:** mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov  
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Submitted on: 4/15/2009

Comments:  
Aloha,

I am strongly supportive of John Morgan being name to the Board of Land and Natural Resources.

As the owner of Kualoa Ranch and as the President of the Activities & Attractions Association of Hawaii, John brings a wealth of experience and understanding to such a position. He has been actively involved for many years in the issues that regularly come before this Board and will bring the type of expertise, experience, and professional competence that will serve the entire state well.

I have known and worked with John for many years and know him to be a man of character and competence. I strongly support this nomination.

Sincerely,

Von Orgill  
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**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

STATE OF HAWAII  
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DATE: April 14, 2009

TO: Honorable Clayton Hee, Chair  
Honorable Jill N. Tokuda, Vice Chair  
Members of the Committee on Water, Land, Agriculture and Hawaiian  
Affairs

**RE: Testimony in Support of GM596 (THOMAS P. CONTRADES)  
Land Use Commission**

HEARING: Wednesday, April 15, 2009, 2:45pm

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This is a letter in support of Gubernatorial Nominee Thomas P. Contrades to the Land Use Commission for a term to expire on June 30, 2013.

I have worked with Mr. Contrades while I served as Deputy Planning Director on Kauai and am confident that he possesses the credentials to serve on the Commission. He is a well respected community member and will be an asset to the Land Use Commission.

I humbly ask for your favorable consideration in confirming Mr. Thomas P. Contrades to the Land Use Commission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Roland D. Sagum III". The signature is stylized and includes a circled "S" and a Roman numeral "III".

Representative Roland D. Sagum III  
Hawaii State House of Representatives  
District 16

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