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DATE: April 19, 2011

SUBJECT: Gubernatorial Nominee to the University of Hawaii's Board of Regents

RE: Mr. Patrick W. Naughton

To Whom It May Concern:

I have known Mr. Patrick Naughton for approximately 15 years on the professional and personal level.

He consistently demonstrated dependability, reliability and an unwavering commitment to the task at hand. Growing up in Hawaii, he assimilated the Hawaiian values of pono, which he in turn shared with all with whom he came in contact. He has reputation of high integrity, good character and a deep sense of caring. I feel confident in saying that he is capable of handling any situation with thoughtfulness and maturity. He is a consummate team player with the unique ability to lead, make difficult decisions and develop consensus results. With his well-rounded attributes and proven track record, he would be a valuable asset to the Board of Regents.

Without reservation, I highly recommend that Patrick Naughton be appointed as a member of the Board of Regents.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Edwin J. Gayagas  
Colonel, US Army, Ret  
President,  
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**To:** EDU Testimony  
**Cc:** rmiyamoto@fhb.com  
**Subject:** Testimony for GM660 on 4/25/2011 10:00:00 AM

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Randy E. Miyamoto  
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Comments:

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
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Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
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Comments:

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: James Miyake  
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E-mail: [jim@xwest.net](mailto:jim@xwest.net)  
Submitted on: 4/18/2011

Comments:

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**To:** EDU Testimony  
**Cc:** pwilly5@hotmail.com  
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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Leanne Gattegno  
Organization: Individual  
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**Cc:** contactus@affinityfencegate.com  
**Subject:** Testimony for GM660 on 4/25/2011 10:00:00 AM

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Tom Gattegno  
Organization: Individual  
Address:  
Phone:  
E-mail: [contactus@affinityfencegate.com](mailto:contactus@affinityfencegate.com)  
Submitted on: 4/18/2011

Comments:

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Elaine Shimabukuro  
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Submitted on: 4/18/2011

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Noreen Naughton  
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Submitted on: 4/18/2011

Comments:

I would like to write a letter of support for Dr. Patrick Naughton, and highlight his background qualities that would bring much expertise and contributions to the Board of Regents:

- Thirty-four years of administrative and teaching experience at the university level, including at the University of Hawaii as Hawaii Community College Provost (Chancellor), and Academic Affairs Program Officer at the Community Colleges System's Office.
- Active community service involvement, presently as Waiakea Lions Club President and President of the Friends of Hawai'i Volcanoes National Park.
  - Dedicated military service including twice decorated for valor.

Noreen Naughton  
Professor Emeritus of Art  
Kapi'olani Community College

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**From:** mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov  
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**To:** EDU Testimony  
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Conference room: 329  
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Submitted on: 4/19/2011

Comments:

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**From:** mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov  
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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
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Submitted by: Stanley Takemura  
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Submitted on: 4/19/2011

Comments:

I have had the opportunity to work with Patrick with a volunteer service organization and he has demonstrated the ability to serve in leadership positions and make sound decisions on operational matters based on the facts and opinions of his constituents. I wholly support Patrick Naughton for appointment to the UH Board of Regents as a concerned citizen and as an alumnus of UH Manoa.

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Benjamin H Cockett  
Organization: Individual  
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Submitted on: 4/19/2011

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Conference room: 329  
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Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: Ken Rosene  
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E-mail: [kenwallppr@aol.com](mailto:kenwallppr@aol.com)  
Submitted on: 4/19/2011

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Conference room: 329  
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Testifier will be present: No  
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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
Submitted by: George Kodani  
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E-mail: [skodani@hawaiianisp.com](mailto:skodani@hawaiianisp.com)  
Submitted on: 4/19/2011

Comments:

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Conference room: 329  
Testifier position: support  
Testifier will be present: No  
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E-mail: [kathrynborris@gmail.com](mailto:kathrynborris@gmail.com)  
Submitted on: 4/20/2011

Comments:

Pat Naughton is a colleague for the Schools of the future program. He facilitates the grant writing efficiently. He works in collaboration with a large group effectively. He sees the big picture and how to make the details fit.



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**From:** mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov  
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**To:** EDU Testimony  
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Submitted by: Norman Sakamoto  
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Submitted on: 4/21/2011

**Comments:**

Support for GM660 Patrick Naughton  
Chair Tokuda and Senators,

I have know Patrick for a number of years as an educator and as a community member. He is right type of person to help to guide our university system with his respectful demeanor and broad knowledge of our educational system and the needs of our students. I wholeheartedly ask for your support for Patrick. Aloha, Norman

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**From:** mailinglist@capitol.hawaii.gov  
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Testifier will be present: No  
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E-mail: [wwtowata@hawaiiantel.net](mailto:wwtowata@hawaiiantel.net)  
Submitted on: 4/21/2011

**Comments:**

It gives me great pleasure to write this testimony to you in support of Dr. Patrick Naughton. I became acquainted with Dr. Naughton approximately 11 years ago, when he was employed as the Assistant Director in the School to Work program, during which time I served as a Section Administrator in the Human Resources, Worker's Compensation Section, Department of Education.

We both successfully overcame the arduous task in providing approximately 500 High School students enrolled in the School to Work program with industrial injury protection (Worker's Compensation coverage).

Throughout this period, Dr. Naughton has consistently demonstrated his conscientiousness and genuine commitment to the education and welfare of our students. He established a reputation as a very effective leader who strived for excellence from his staff and students. Due to Dr. Naughton's pleasant, cooperative and friendly attitude he related very well with my staff, school personnel and students.

Dr. Naughton and I continue to support and enjoy each other's company through our involvement in the Lions Club and various community gatherings.

It is without reservation that I consider Dr. Naughton to be an excellent candidate for the University of Hawaii Board of Trustee. I have every expectation, that if selected, Dr. Naughton will prove to be a viable part of the team.

Thank you for this opportunity to provide you with this testimony in support of Dr. Patrick Naughton.