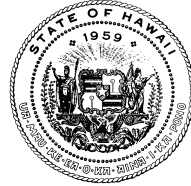


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TESTIMONY



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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
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Senate Committee on Health

GM 696, Gubernatorial Nominee to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea

Testimony of Loretta J. Fuddy, A.C.S.W., M.P.H.
Director of Health

Friday, April 26, 2013
8:30 a.m.

1 **Department's Position:** The Department of Health supports the nomination and confirmation
2 of Mr. Colin Hanlon to the Tri-Isle Subarea Health Planning Council (TISAC).

3 **Fiscal Implications:** None

4 **Purpose and Justification:** The purpose is for the consideration and confirmation to the
5 TISAC, Gubernatorial Nominee, Mr. Colin Hanlon.

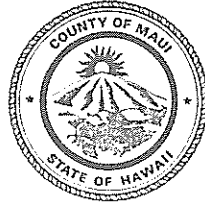
6 Mr. Hanlon is currently the Chief Professional Officer (Executive Director) for the Boys
7 and Girls Club of Maui, Inc. He started with the Boys and Girls Club of Maui, Inc. 18 years
8 ago, beginning as a Program Director and was promoted to his current position in 1999. Past
9 work experiences include working at the Grand Hyatt in Wailea, Hawaii as a Program Planner
10 and Supervisor.

11 Mr. Hanlon is a member of the Rotary Club of Kahului, Advisory Board for Human
12 Service at the Maui Community College, and the Maui Non-Profit Directors Association.
13 Community activities include serving as a Youth Basketball Coach, Youth Softball Coach,
14 Ropes Course Instructor, and a Big Brother with the Big Brothers, Big Sisters organization.

1 He has a Bachelor of Science in Physical Education from Plymouth State College. He
2 is certified to teach grades Kindergarten to 12th grade.

3 We ask for your support on the confirmation of Mr. Colin Hanlon to serve on the Tri-Isle
4 Subarea Health Planning Council.

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COUNTY OF MAUI – Kalana O Maui

April 23, 2013

Senator Josh Green
Chairman Senate Committee on Health
Senatorial District 3
Hawaii State Capital, Room 215
Honolulu, HI 96813

Honorable Josh Green:

I am pleased to write this letter of support for the appointment of Mr. Colin Hanlon to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea.

Mr. Colin Hanlon has a strong reputation as a community leader and mentor. He works hard to help the youth of Maui especially those from disadvantaged circumstances. His passion for over twenty years has been as an advocate and a voice of youth development in the County of Maui. Mr. Hanlon has demonstrated to be an even handed, direct, decisive individual. The Health Planning Council will gain an asset with this confirmation.

With over ten years of executive experience as the Chief Professional Officer of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Maui, he has a well-rounded perspective on the needs of families in Maui County. He has comprehensive knowledge of the challenges and obstacles during these economic times.

His demonstrated experience and his willingness to serve our community as well as his various leadership roles have allowed him to form strong relationships with many of the decision-makers in our community. He is widely respected in the community not only for his leadership, but also for serving as a volunteer on many boards for organizations that serve our community.

I strongly support Mr. Hanlon's appointment to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea.

Sincerely,

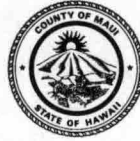
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April 24, 2013

The Honorable Josh Green
Chair, Senate Committee on Health
Hawaii State Capitol, Room 215
Honolulu, HI 96713

Dear Senator Green:

I am writing this letter in support of the appointment of Mr. Colin Hanlon to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea.

Mr. Hanlon is a community leader, mentor, and friend. He has a reputation as a "service" leader who makes himself available to those who need him. He is known to be a champion for youth development in the County of Maui. Mr. Hanlon has proven himself to be fair, upfront, and willing to fight for those who might not otherwise have a voice. The Health Planning Council will benefit greatly from this confirmation.

Mr. Hanlon has over ten years of executive experience as the Chief Professional Officer of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Maui. He has a well-rounded perspective on the needs of families in Maui County, and he understands the challenges we face in these difficult economic times.

Mr. Hanlon's service in these various leadership roles have allowed him to form strong relationships with many of the decision-makers in our community, including developers, designers, contractors, union officials, and our elected representatives. He is widely respected in the community, not only for his leadership, but also for serving as a volunteer on many boards for organizations that serve our community.

I strongly support Mr. Hanlon's appointment to the Health Planning Council, Tri-Isle Subarea based upon his knowledge, demonstrated experience, leadership, and his willingness to serve our community.

Mahalo,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Donald G. Couch, Jr.", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

DONALD G. COUCH, JR.
Council Member

**TESTIMONY
OF
COLIN HANLON
TO THE
SENATE COMMITTEE
ON
HEALTH PLANNING
TRI-ISLE SUBAREA
ON**

APRIL 26, 2013

Chair Green and members of the Committee, mahalo for the opportunity to present testimony for your review.

I want to thank Governor Neil Abercrombie for nominating me. This is truly an honor and a privilege to be considered for a position on the Tri-isle Subarea Council.

I have lived on Maui for over 20 years, and in one form or another I have found a way to always serve my community.

Professionally I have been blessed with what I consider to be the greatest job in the world as Chief Professional Officer of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Maui. Creating hope and opportunity for the youth on Maui is my passion. Personally I seek out volunteer opportunities to serve my community through my volunteerism with Rotary, youth sports, and advisory boards.

I want to thank you in advance for your consideration and assure you that if confirmed I will do my very best to advance health services for the people of Maui County.