

Submitting for consideration and confirmation to the Enhanced 911 Board, Gubernatorial Nominee, JOHN JAKUBCZAK, for a term to expire 06-30-2020.



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## TESTIMONY OF DOUGLAS MURDOCK, COMPTROLLER DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND GENERAL SERVICES TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS ON APRIL19, 2016 G.M. 734

RELATING TO CONFIRMATION TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD, JOHN JAKUBCZAK

Chair Mercado Kim, and members of the Committee, thank you for the opportunity to testify before you on the confirmation to the Enhanced 911 Board (the Board), gubernatorial nominee, Mr. John Jakubczak. The Department of Accounting and General Services supports Mr. Jakubczak's recommendation for confirmation.

HRS Section 138-2 requires that the Board shall have one member from a public safety answering point on the island of Maui. Mr. Jakubczak is currently the Assistant Chief of Police for the Support Services Bureau which includes the Communications Section which handles 911 on Maui. Mr. Jakubczak's appointment fills the statutory requirement for representation from a public safety answering point on the island of Maui.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this matter.

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### STATE OF HAWAI'I

# Enhanced 911 Board

# TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

THE TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE Regular Session of 2016

> Tuesday, April 19, 2016 1:15 P.M. Conference Room 414 State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street

# SUBJECT: TESTIMONY ON GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE NO. 734 CONFIRMATION OF JOHN JAKUBCZAK TO THE ENHANCED 911 BOARD.

# TO THE HONORABLE DONNA MERCADO KIM, CHAIR, AND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE:

My name is Courtney T. Tagupa and I am the Executive Director for the

Enhanced 911 Board (Board) and am pleased for the opportunity to provide testimony

on behalf of the thirteen members of the Board in strong support of the Senate

confirmation of the appointment of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak to the Board.

Assistant Chief John Jakubczak brings to the Board over 27 years of experience

in Public Safety with the Maui Police Department (MPD) and is a U.S. Army veteran.

The Board believes that MPD Assistant Chief John Jakubczak possesses the

knowledge and skills that are necessary to be a valuable asset to the Enhanced 911

Board.

On behalf of the Board, we enthusiastically support the Senate confirmation of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak's appointment to the Board. Thank you for the

opportunity to provide testimony.



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**TIVOLI S. FAAUMU** CHIEF OF POLICE

DEAN M. RICKARD DEPUTY CHIEF OF POLICE

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, Chair Senate Committee on Government Operations Hawaii State Capitol Room 218 Honolulu, HI 96813

> GM No. 734 Re:

Dear Chair Kim:

It is my honor and privilege to support the appointment of Assistant Chief of Police John Jakubczak to the Wireless Enhanced 911 Board. Assistant Chief Jakubczak has been serving as an interim board member since 2015 with the retirement of Deputy Chief Clayton Tom. During his time with the Board, our State has benefited greatly from his representation and his ability to cooperate with other members.

Throughout his 29-year police career, Assistant Chief Jakubczak has always been professional, and his knowledge and expertise have been instrumental in many key ideas and initiatives associated with our Department's commitment to public safety.

Assistant Chief Jakubczak's appointment by Governor David Ige to this Board will reaffirm and demonstrate the confidence we have that he will continue to do an outstanding job. The Wireless Enhanced 911 project is very important to all of us. It not only provides communication capabilities, it saves lives and protects the citizens of the State of Hawaii.

Assistant Chief Jakubczak is an exceptional candidate for this board. Please do not hesitate to call me at (808) 244-6300 if you need further information.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

Sincerely,

Jivol S Jaamm TIVOLI S. FAAUVIU Chief of Police

### **TESTIMONY OF THE HAWAI'I POLICE DEPARTMENT**

# GM 734

### **ENHANCED 911 BOARD**

# **GUBERNATORIAL NOMINEE JOHN JAKUBCZAK**

## BEFORE THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

- DATE : Tuesday, April 19, 2016
- TIME : 1:15 P.M.
- PLACE : Conference Room 414 State Capitol

## PERSON TESTIFYING:

Police Chief Harry S. Kubojiri Hawai'i Police Department County of Hawai'i

(Written Testimony Only)

William P. Kenoi Mayor



Harry S. Kubojiri Police Chief

Paul K. Ferreira Deputy Police Chief

# County of Hawai`i

April 5, 2016

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Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair Senate Committee On Government Operations Chair and Members State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street, Room 414 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

# Re: GM 734, Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Senator Mercado Kim and Members:

The Hawai'i Police Department strongly supports the appointment of Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, as a representative of the Maui Public Safety Answering Point on the State of Hawai'i, Enhanced 911 Board.

We believe that Maui Police Department Assistant Police Chief John Jakubczak possesses the knowledge and skills that are necessary to be a valuable asset to the Enhanced 911 Board.

For the reasons above, we strongly urge this committee to approve the passage of GM 734, the confirmation of Assistant Police Chief John Jakubczak to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Thank you for allowing the Hawai'i Police Department to testify on this bill.

Sincerely,

RRY S. KUBOJIRI POLICE CHIEF

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, Chair The Honorable Les Ihara Jr., Vice Chair And Members of the Committee on Government Operations

The Senate State Capital Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

RE: Gubernatorial Nominee, John Jakubczak, for Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Chair Donna Mercado Kim, Vice Chair Les Ihara Jr., and members of the Committee on Government Operations:

It is my honor to testify to the Gubernatorial Nomination of Maui Police Department Assistant Chief John Jakubczak as the Maui Representative of the Enhanced 911 Board. The primary responsibility of Assistant Chief Jakubczak is the overall operation of the Support Services Bureau of the Maui Police Department, which includes the Communications and Dispatching Division. Therefore, his input and presence on the Enhanced 911 Board will benefit all law enforcement and the communities they serve, for, as we all know and understand that knowledgeable people in the right positions create sound policies that benefit all they serve.

Assistant Chief Jakubczak has already proved to be an asset to the Enhanced 911 Board by his character, professionalism and leadership skills and his continued presence is essential to the continued success of this Board.

I humbly urge the Committee to confirm the nomination by Governor David Ige of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak as a representative for the County of Maui to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

Sincerely,

Danny J. Matsuura Assistant Chief Maui County Police Department April 7, 2016

Senator Donna Mercado-Kim, Chair Senate Committee on Government Operations Hawaii State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street, Room 414 Honolulu, HI 96813

RE: GM 734, Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, Enhanced 9-1-1 Board

Honorable Donna Mercado-Kim,

I have known John Jakubczak for more than 25 years. I have seen his career span from a patrol officer, sergeant, lieutenant, captain and now the Assistant Chief of Police Support Services for the Maui Police Department.

Assistant Chief Jakubczak is a strong man, well versed in his duties, respected by his peers and always does what is right for everyone. John is a team player and does what is right for our team, that being the State of Hawaii.

I strongly support Assistant Chief John Jakubczak and humbly ask that he be confirmed to serve on the Enhanced 9-1-1 Board.

Sincerely, Ley Rec

Davlynh L. Racadio Maui Police Department Communications Supervisor (808) 244-6338 Davlynn.racadio@mpd.net

Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair Senate Committee on Government Operations State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street, Room 414 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

### Re: GM 734, Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Senator Mercado Kim and Members,

I have known Gubernatorial Nominee, John Jakubczak, for well over 25 years and strongly support his appointment to the State of Hawaii Enhanced 911 Board as a representative of the Maui Police Department Public Safety Answering Point.

Assistant Chief John Jakubczak is dedicated and well respected by his peers. He possesses the knowledge and skills that are essential to be a valuable asset to the Enhanced 911 Board. He has always demonstrated his willingness to serve the public's best interest, and I know he will continue to do so as a member this Board.

For the reasons aforesaid, I strongly urge this committee to approve the passage of GM 734, the confirmation of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Thank you for allowing me this opportunity to testify on this bill.

Sincerely, DF

Deputy Chief of Police Maui Police Department

April 6, 2016

Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair Senate Committee on Government Operations State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street, Room 414 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

# Re: GM 734, Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Senator Mercado Kim and Members,

I have known Gubernatorial Nominee, John Jakubczak, for well over 25 years and strongly support his appointment to the State of Hawaii Enhanced 911 Board as a representative of the Maui Police Department Public Safety Answering Point.

Assistant Chief John Jakubczak is dedicated public servant that possesses the skills and desire which I believe are essential for this Enhanced 911 Board. He has always demonstrated his willingness to serve the public's best interest, and I know he will continue to do so as a member of this Board.

I strongly urge this committee to approve the passage of GM 734, the confirmation of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Thank you for allowing me this opportunity to testify on this bill.

Sincerely,

DONALD K. KANEMITSU Captain (Vice Division) Maui Police Department

Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair, Senator Les Ihara and Members of the Committee on Government Operations

Conference Room 414 Hawaii State Capitol, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

### Re: GM 734, Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, Enhanced 911 Board

Chair Kim, Vice Chair Ihara and Members of the Committee on Government Operations

I fully support the nomination of Assistant Maui Police Chief John Jakubczak to the Enhanced 911 Board.

I have personally known Asst. Chief John Jakubczak for over 25 years. Through hard work and a positive attitude he has steadily moved up in the ranks within the Maui Police Department. He has strong passion for the department and the community he serves.

His prolonged and enduring dedication and commitment to his family, community, and department and his youthful exuberance in taking on new challenges makes him an idea candidate for the Enhance 911 Board.

I strongly urge this committee to approve the passage of GM 734, the confirmation of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Sincerely,

Everett K. Ferreira

Captain Quality Assurance Maui Police Department

The Honorable Donna Mercado Kim, Chair The Honorable Les Ihara Jr., Vice Chair and Members of the Committee on Government Operations

The Senate State Capitol Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

RE: Gubernatorial Nominee, John Jakubczak, for Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Chair Donna Mercado Kim, Vice Chair Les Ihara Jr., and Members of the Committee on Government Operations:

I am honored to testify for the Gubernatorial Nominee, Assistant Chief John Jakubczak, for Maui Representative of the Enhanced 911 Board. Assistant Chief Jakubczak has always led by example throughout my years working for and with him. He has shown this while we instructed our Department's Arrest, Defense and Tactics classes, always going hands on and reminding other instructors that his rank did not apply as we were all equal when instructing. He reinforced his statements by taking instructions from subordinates, doing so without hesitation, strengthening the bonds and respect of his peers.

Assistant Chief Jakubczak made my assignment to Molokai a pleasure along with other Officers who were sent there for a year tour of duty. He taught me how to be a better supervisor and continually looked for ways to make our jobs more efficient and training to make us better.

I believe that Assistant Chief Jakubczak would be an asset to the Enhanced 911 Board as a representative from Maui due to his overall character and leadership skill. He has shown time and again that he is capable of adapting to any role he has been assigned and is a person who the citizens of Maui County can depend on.

For these reasons I urge the Committee to confirm the nomination by Governor David Ige of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak as a representative of the County of Maui for the Enhanced 911 Board.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify.

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April 15, 2016

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim Chair, Senate Committee on Government Operations Hawaii State Capitol, Room 218 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 Honorable Les Ihara Vice Chair, Senate Committee on Government Operations Hawaii State Capitol Room 220 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

RE: Support for GM 734 - Confirmation of nomination to the Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Chair Kim, Vice Chair Ihara and Members of the Senate Committee:

It is my pleasure to strongly support Chief John Jakubczak's nomination to the Enhanced 9-1-1 Board. Chief Jakubczak has assisted the Enhanced 9-1-1 Board for a couple years with valuable information and leadership skills from his Maui Police Department experiences. I believe his leadership, insight and participation on the Board has and will continue to help advance Hawaii to the next generation E-9-1-1 system for the state. I fully support Chief Jakubczak's nomination.

Respectfully,

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Kiman K.L. Wong Director – Wireless, Home Phone, IntelligentHome & Government Relations Oceanic Time Warner Cable

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April 6, 2016

Senator Donna Mercado Kim, Chair Senate Committee on Government Operations State Capitol 415 South Beretania Street, Room 414 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

### Re: GM 734, Gubernatorial Nominee John Jakubczak, Enhanced 911 Board

Dear Senator Mercado Kim and Members,

I have known Gubernatorial Nominee, John Jakubczak, for well over 14 years and strongly support his appointment to the State of Hawaii Enhanced 911 Board as a representative of the Maui Police Department Public Safety Answering Point.

Assistant Chief John Jakubczak is dedicated and well respected by his peers. He possesses the knowledge and skills that are essential to be a valuable asset to the Enhanced 911 Board. He has always demonstrated his willingness to serve the public's best interest, and I know he will continue to do so as a member this Board.

For the reasons mentioned, I strongly urge this committee to approve the passage of GM 734, the confirmation of Assistant Chief John Jakubczak to the Enhanced 911 Board.

Thank you for allowing me this opportunity to testify on this bill.

Sincerely,

Masanori KAYA Jr., Sergeant Maui Police Department

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# <u>GM734</u>

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