Certification of Election of Doug Beaton to Serve as a Director of the Hamakua Soil and Water Conservation District

Under Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapter 180, the governance of each Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) is placed in the hands of five directors, two of whom are appointed by the Board of Land and Natural Resources (Board) at the recommendation of the District and three of whom are elected by the land occupiers of the District. Where directors are elected, the Board must certify the election. Directors serve for a term of three (3) years.

The following individual has been duly elected to serve as a director of the Hamakua SWCD for a term ending June 30, 2017:

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The documentation submitted by the district to support the elections is filed in the Engineering Division office.

RECOMMENDATION:
That the Board certify the election of Doug Beaton to serve as a director of the Hamakua Soil and Water Conservation District for the term specified.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chief Engineer

Approved for submittal:

WILLIAM J. AILA, JR., Chairperson
Board of Land and Natural Resources

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