

State of Hawaii  
DEPARTMENT OF LAND AND NATURAL RESOURCES  
Engineering Division

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Board of Land and Natural Resources  
State of Hawaii  
Honolulu, Hawaii

**Appointment of Tom Baribault to Serve as  
Director of the Mauna Kea 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 recommended for appointment to serve as a director of the Mauna Kea SWCD for a term ending June 30, 2017:

| <u>Name</u>   | <u>Title/Organization or Occupation</u> |
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| Tom Baribault | Forester                                |

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


**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board appoint Tom Baribault to serve as a director of the Mauna Kea Soil and Water Conservation District for the term specified.

Respectfully submitted,

  
CHRIS TAKASHIGE  
Acting Chief Engineer

Approved for submittal:

  
CARTY S. CHANG, Interim Chairperson  
Board of Land and Natural Resources