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Dear Chair Menor and Councilmembers:

SUBJECT: Board of Water Supply Response to Resolution 17-10

The Board of Water Supply (BWS) strongly supports City Council Resolution 17-10, relating to the nomination of Ross S. Sasamura, P.E., to serve as the Chief Engineer of the Department of Facility Maintenance of the City and County of Honolulu.

Mr. Sasamura has served as the Chief Engineer of the Department of Facility Maintenance since 2013 and has a wealth of experience and qualifications that have served the people of the City and County of Honolulu extremely well. In addition, as an ex-officio member of the BWS, Mr. Sasamura brings tremendous value and insight to our discussions and deliberations, which contribute greatly to the business and policy decisions that we make on behalf of the BWS.

Thank you for your consideration and for the opportunity to provide testimony on this matter.

Very truly yours,


ERNEST Y. W. LAU, P.E.
Manager and Chief Engineer