

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

2/12/08

Purpose: Advise the department on waste reduction strategies, recycling, litter control, community involvement, and other issues related to the functions of the department, and shall exercise any other powers related to the functions of the department delegated by ordinance.

Authority: Hawaii County Charter, Section 6-5.5.

Appointment: Mayor with Council approval.
Normal 5-year staggered terms.

*Mayor appoints department director with Council approval.

Full Membership: Nine members.

Specific Representation: One member from each council district.

Requirements: No more than five shall belong officially to the same political party.

Meetings: No specific requirements.

Financial Disclosure: Members must file Financial Disclosure within 20 working days of taking office. Thereafter, annual disclosures must be filed on or before January 31. The disclosures are confidential and will be kept on file by the Board of Ethics. County Code, Chapter 2, Section 2-91.1.

Reappointment: Following the expiration of a term, no member may be reappointed for at least two years except for one and two year "termers."

Qualities: Respected by the community as being community-minded and oriented. Able to focus on the community needs as a whole without catering to special or self-interest.

Current Members:		<u>CD</u>
	Diana B. Miller, Dem., 12/31/09	6
	William Sanborn, Rep., 12/31/09	9
	Carolyn A. Witcher, Rep., 12/31/07	8
	Stanley A. Boren, Dem., 12/31/12	7
	Arnold T. Okamura, Indep., 12/31/08	4
	Samuel Sumner, Indep., 12/31/08	1
	Suzanne Mayhew, Indep., 12/31/10	5
	Robert E. Cooper, Indep., 12/31/10	2
	Paulette V. Pavao, Indep., 12/31/11	3

Secretary/Contact Person: Sharron Henry

Attorney Assigned: Ivan Torigoe

****The information on this sheet is condensed. For full information see appropriate Sections of the County Charter, County Code and/or Hawaii Revised Statutes.***