

STATE OF HAWAII  
HAWAII LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

In the Matter of

HAWAII GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES  
ASSOCIATION, AFSCME LOCAL 152,  
AFL-CIO,

Complainant,

and

DEREK KAWAKAMI, Mayor, County of  
Kaua'i,

Respondent.

CASE NOS.: 20-CE-03-946a  
20-CE-04-946b  
20-CE-13-946c

ORDER NO. 3625

MINUTE ORDER DENYING HAWAII  
FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION'S  
PETITION FOR INTERVENTION

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On June 23, 2020, Petitioner HAWAII FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION (Complainant or HFFA) filed a Petition for Intervention in the instant case with the Hawai'i Labor Relations Board (Board). Among other things, the Petition for Intervention claims that "HFFA's involvement and unique perspective will provide for a more complete and sound record on the ultimate issue in this matter...[and] will not unreasonably broaden this issue."

On June 24, 2020, Respondent DEREK KAWAKAMI, Mayor, County of Kaua'i (Respondent or County) filed Respondent's Memorandum in Opposition to Intervenor HFFA's Petition for Intervention (Opposition).

The Board hereby DENIES HFFA's Petition for Intervention. In so ruling, among other things, the Board finds that, contrary to HFFA's claims, their involvement and perspective would impermissibly broaden and expand the scope of this case beyond the Hawai'i Revised Statutes Chapter 89 issues presented.

The findings of fact and conclusions of law regarding this Minute Order will be incorporated into the final Decision and Order issued in this case after a hearing on the merits, as previously scheduled.

DATED: Honolulu, Hawai'i, \_\_\_\_\_ July 15, 2020 \_\_\_\_\_.

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