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## HAWAI'I COUNTY OUTSTANDING OLDER AMERICAN AWARD NOMINATION

#### NOMINEE INFORMATION

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#### IMPORTANT NOMINATION INFORMATION

- ❖ Deadline for nomination submission to the Office of Aging is: Thursday March 28, 2024 by 4:30 P.M. Nominations are limited to the first 12 qualified recipients. Call with any questions (808) 961-8600.
- ❖ <u>A PHOTO</u> of the nominee must be submitted with this nomination. Each application <u>MUST</u> be accompanied with a photo of the nominee not smaller than 4 inch by 6 inch. Black and white or color pictures are acceptable. Digital files will be accepted if printout is not smaller than a 4 by 6 inch picture. Photos are used for programs and publicity, and should be of nominee only (no group photos).

  Please e-mail photos to: Mary.Kenoi@hawaiicounty.gov.
- Mail or drop off completed nomination to:

Hawaii County Office of Aging Aging & Disability Resource Center 1055 Kinoole Street, Suite 101 Hilo, HI. 96720

Hawaii County Office of Aging West Hawaii Civic Center 74-5044 Ane Keohokalole Hwy Kailua-Kona, HI. 96740

❖ If preferred, you may e-mail completed nomination form and photo to: Mary.Kenoi@hawaiicounty.gov.

1.	AGE: Nominee's age must be 65 prior to January 1, 2024.
	Age Birthdate
2.	FUN FACTS!
	Tell us a few "Fun Facts" about your nominee or a "life legacy quote" that they want to share with future generations! Just a note, these may be shared in our program booklet or at the luncheon!
	Some examples might be:
	"Mary cooks the BEST Portuguese Bean Soup!"
	"Kimo tried out for the Olympic Swimming Team."
	"Aunty Aloha's secret to long life is"
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- 3. Tell us how this nominee is Outstanding in the following areas:
  - Significant contribution toward the improvement of the quality of life in the community;
  - Encouraging participation in a variety of activities in the community;
  - Developing and exploring new interests, endeavors, and accomplishments.

### IMPORTANT NOTE: This section MUST be completed for nomination to be eligible.

(Please include the length of time spent in each activity nominee performed after the age of 60.)

Attach additional sheets if needed.

# SELECTION OF OUTSTANDING OLDER AMERICANS OF HAWAI'I COUNTY FOR 2024

The Hawai'i County Office of Aging (HCOA), and the Mayor's Office, will honor outstanding older Americans of the County of Hawai'i during Older Americans Month in May of 2024. An Outstanding male and female Older American will be selected and will be honored at a State of Hawai'i function, to be held in Honolulu in June 2024.

- A. HCOA stated purposes of the selection and recognition of the Outstanding Older Americans in the County of Hawai'i:
  - 1. To honor those seniors whose participation has contributed significantly toward the improvement of the quality of life in the community.
  - 2. To encourage participation in a variety of activities in the community.
  - 3. To encourage and recognize the development and exploration of new interests, endeavors, and accomplishments after reaching the age of 60.

#### B. Eligibility

- 1. Must be a resident of Hawai'i County.
- 2. Nominee must be 65 years or older prior to January 1, 2024.
- 3. Past Outstanding Older American Award winners are not eligible.
- 4. All nominations must have a "sponsor" other than the nominee herself/himself.
- 5. Individuals who wish to be selected to represent Hawai'i County at the Statewide Recognition event in June 2024.