



January 31, 2026

Aloha Kailapa,

We are pleased to announce that elections will be held February 1, 2026, through February 05, 2026, for the selection of representatives. This is an important opportunity for all eligible members to participate in the process and have their voices heard.

Thank you for taking the time to submitting your nominations for potential new board members for KCA. Nominees for 2026 Kailapa Board of Directors are Brandie Oye, Mahealani Jensen and Kaponi Alani. Please see separate attachment for introductions and biography of elected candidates. Ballots and voting methods will be accepted via email at office@kailapa.org, a provided link on www.kailapa.org (available February 02, 2026) and/or physical ballot drop off will be at Kailapa pavilion (pink box) from February 01, 2026, through February 05, 2026. Ballots will be counted on February 06, 2026, at 6pm. Top three highest votes will fill board seats. Each lessee is allowed one vote to fill vacant seats.

Election Details

- Election Dates: February 01, 2026, through February 05, 2026
- Positions: Various representative roles include secretary and treasurer
- Eligibility: All members in good standing are entitled to vote, subject to the guidelines below:
 - ✓ One vote per household.
 - ✓ Ballot must have a physical address or Lot number to be counted.Ballots that DO NOT have either one, will be invalid.

All your nominees were contacted Thursday January 29, 2026, via email, at which, three lessees agreed to these nominations and are excited to connect with remaining board members.

Mahalo for your time,

Kailapa Board of Directors

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Mission

To empower Native Hawaiians living in Kohala, specifically the Kailapa Community, supporting physical, mental, spiritual, and cultural health of people and place.

Vision

Ehuehu i Ka Pono
Thrive in balance

Board of Directors

Shawna Kaulukukui
Gilbert Falaau
H. Tommy Silva
Tiga Kailimai

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Ehuehu i ka Pono!