

From: [Ralph Cushnie \(EC\)](#)
To: [OE.Elections.Commission](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Motion to Request ballot box chain of custody from the counties
Date: Monday, October 7, 2024 5:43:11 AM

Hello, Has any of the Counties Provided ballot box chain of custody? If so, please share it with the commission.

Commissioner Cushnie made a motion to request ballot box chain of custody documentation from the counties. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Aquino and carried unanimously. [1:20 p.m.]

YES: Andrion, Aquino, Cushnie, Kuwada, McAdam, Osterkamp, Papalimu, Young, Curtis

NO: N/A

Sincerely,

Ralph Cushnie

From: [Kellyna Campbell](#)
To: [OE.Elections.Commission](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] ***Testimony for Oct. 8, 2024***
Date: Monday, October 7, 2024 10:58:32 AM

Aloha,
I am concerned about election integrity and would like to make testimony in reference to the Sunshine Law.
I appreciate your time.
Kellyna

From: [Spit F](#)
To: [OE.Elections.Commission](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Elections Meeting Testimony
Date: Tuesday, October 8, 2024 7:39:56 AM

Hello,

I would like to provide testimony at todays elections commission meeting.

S/F, Doug Pasnik

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Hawaii Republican Party](#)
To: [OE.Elections.Commission](#)
Cc: [Ralph Cushnie \(EC\)](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] testimony
Date: Tuesday, October 8, 2024 8:57:13 AM

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Complaints have been filed with the Office of Information Practices, but the fact that we are here today with only the Sunshine Law violation on the agenda, while other pressing election issues remain ignored, is a disservice to the people of this state.

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1. Does the CEO have the authority to change the voting method to in-person, with IDs required, and hand-counted ballots, removing machines from the precincts?
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This pattern of incompetence and disregard for transparency has eroded public confidence in our elections. It is clear that neither Mike Curtis nor Scott Nago is willing or able to safeguard the interests of the people. Therefore, as a representative of the public, I call for their immediate resignation. It is the will of the people to have leaders in place who will ensure fairness, integrity, and transparency in our election process. This is not a request but a demand for accountability.

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To: [OE.Elections.Commission](#)
Cc: [Ralph Cushnie \(EC\)](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: testimony
Date: Tuesday, October 8, 2024 9:25:27 AM

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That is NOT TRUE that it is the majority of the body, it is the majority of members present, otherwise the last motion that was tied would not count since all members were not present?

This is such a violation

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