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## FACTSHEET <br> 2008 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS

## PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS

In the State of Hawaii, the names of the candidates for president and vice president are used on the ballot in place of the names of the presidential electors. The votes cast for president and vice president of each political party, or group that has qualified by petition to place the names of their candidates on the ballot, shall be counted for the presidential electors and alternates nominated by their respective political party/group. Hawaii is entitled to four presidential electors in the 2008 election. (U.S. Constitution, Article II, Section 1 and HRS Sections 11-113 and 14-23)

## SUBMISSION OF NAMES OF PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS AND ALTERNATES (HRS Chapter 14)

The party/group that is eligible to place the names of candidates for president and vice president on the General Election ballot shall hold a state party or group convention to nominate as candidates:

- four presidential electors
- four first alternates for each presidential elector
- four second alternates for each presidential elector

State law requires that the electors shall be registered voters of the State. (HRS Section 14-21)

The names and addresses of the nominees for presidential electors and alternates shall be certified by the chairman and secretary of the convention and submitted to the chief election officer not later than 4:30 p.m. on the 60th day prior to the general election. In the year 2008, the deadline will be Friday, September 5, 2008. (HRS Section 14-21)

## ELECTION OF PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS (HRS Chapter 14)

The electors and alternates of the party/group that receives the most votes for president and vice president in the General Election shall be elected and shall attend the Electoral College to cast votes for president and vice president. All four of the electors shall be of the same party/group.

In accordance with State law, the chief election officer shall certify to the governor the names of the elected presidential electors and alternates not later than 4:30 p.m. on the last day in the month of the election. (HRS Section 14-24)

## CONVENING OF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS

The presidential electors shall assemble at the State Capitol on the first Monday after the second Wednesday in December next following their election, at two o'clock in the afternoon. In the year 2008, the electors shall assemble on December 15, 2008 at the State Capitol. (HRS Section 14-26)

The electors, when convened, shall vote by ballot for that person for president and that person for vice president of the United States, who are, respectively, the candidates of the party or group which they represent. (HRS Section 14-28)

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Primary Election will be held on Saturday, September 20, 2008.
The General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2008.

## 2008 Presidential Electors

| PARTY | ELECTORS | FIRST ALTERNATES | SECOND ALTERNATES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Constitution | David W. Porter | Kenneth M. Newman | Sacia Webster |
| Constitution | T.Stuart Murray | Alice F. Newman | Conrad Chang |
| Constitution | Norman G. Dale | Justin Thain | Calvin Griffin |
| Constitution | Patricia N. Dale | Lauren Porter | David Wethington |
| Democrat | Joy Kobashigawa Lewis | Michael J. Golojuch | Beverly Jean Withington |
| Democrat | Marie Dolores Strazar | Harriet N. Kam | Albert Lewis |
| Democrat | Amefil Agbayani | Helen Nielson | Douglas N.B. Pyle |
| Democrat | Frances K. Kagawa | John P. Sucich | John W. Bickel |
| Green | Michele Harmon | Robert Jacobson | Jonathan Sifuentes |
| Green | William R. Bailey | John Silvestrone | Judith Hilke Lundborg |
| Green | Robert H. Stiver | Renee Ing | Robert R. Bailey |
| Green | Ira Rohter | Jill Kimie Sadoyama | Ramsis G. Lutfy |

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| PARTY | ELECTORS | FIRST ALTERNATES | SECOND ALTERNATES |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Independent | Shaun Stenshol | Howard Saiki | Catherine Wong |
| Independent | Jilda Voeks | Arthur F. Stockwell | Brian J. Daniel |
| Independent | Erik Kvam | Pamela Miedtke-Wolf | Rena Blumberg |
| Independent | Marsha Mayer | Eden Peart | John Blumer-Buell |
| Libertarian | Tracy Ryan | Kenneth Schoolland | Lloyd Jeffrey Mallan |
| Libertarian | John Spangler | Li Zhao | David Hudson |
| Libertarian | Larry Bertley | Guy Monahan | James Keefe |
| Libertarian | Roger Taylor | Donald Johnston | Michael Powell |
| Republican | Linda Lingle | James R. Aiona | Marie Laderta |
| Republican | Gerald Coffee | Sam Aiona | Gae Bergquist Trommald |
| Republican | Gene Ward | Janice M. Hellreich | Steven L. Bretschneider |
| Republican | Willes K. Lee | BrennanMorioka | Julie F. Lee |

