

## **KAIPO DYE**



**Date of birth:** 1962-04-06

### **Hawaiian ancestry**

Father 1/2 - Punohu Ohana (Na'alehu)

Mother 3/8 - Ai Ohana (Miloli'i)

### **Educational background**

UH Hilo - BS in Agro-ecology 2013

Columbia Univ. - Masters in Climate and Society

UH Manoa - PhD Candidate in Natural Resource and Environmental Management

### **Employment history**

Self Employed 30 years: Trucking Opp Manager; Farmer; Mortg Broker and Fin. Consult

Currently: Pacific Island Climate Change Cooperative (Analyst/Author) and UH Manoa Soil Ecology and Biogeochemist

### **Criminal record**

Clean

### **Personal statement**

Innately inherent, Native Hawaiians are rooted from a rich culture of environment conservationism. These are pillars that strengthen the integrity of a closely knit bond between economics, community and our environment. This three legged stool is a subject

that has grown to being contentious within and between native Hawaiians and other sociopolitical bodies. We can look at the past as a way forward. Is sovereignty a physical manifestation or is it a mind set? I believe it to both, but this paradigm that we all seek requires a healthy interdisciplinary mix of backgrounds.

**The delegate candidate represent these 10 people are eligible voters who have nominated them :** Kenneth Dye

Selena Dye

Mathew Dye

Andrea Dye

Andrea Kualii-Kahoohanohano

Erin Dye

Donald AhChong Sr.

Justyn Ah Chong

Edward Ah Chong

Nichole Lunn