CRAIG A. DE COSTA, ESQ.

EXPERIENCE: Attorney/Manager, De Costa Hempey LLC Lihue, Kauai, December 2014 to Present

- Assist in managing and growing law practice
- Practice areas include Criminal Defense, Administrative Hearings, Landlord-Tenant Disputes, Debt Collection and other Civil Litigation

Attorney, Law Office of Craig A. De Costa, LLLC Lihue, Hawaii, December 2008 to November 2014

- · Responsible for managing and growing law practice
- Practice areas include Criminal Defense, Landlord-Tenant Disputes and Debt Collection

Prosecuting Attorney, County of Kauai, December 2004 to November 2008 Lihue, Hawaii

- Management of County Department with 28 employees
- Responsible for Budget, Personnel Matters, Training of Deputy Prosecuting Attorneys, Working Relationship with Courts, Police and Community, and Prosecution of Felony Offenses including Murder and Attempted Murder

Frist Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, August 2000 to December 2004

 Supervised and Trained Deputy Prosecuting Attorneys; Prosecuted Felony Offenses; Worked closely with Detectives, Patrol Officers and Traffic Safety Unit on Criminal Procedure issues

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney from November 1996 to August 2000

• Prosecuted Traffic, Misdemeanor and Felony Offenses in District, Family and Circuit Courts of the Fifth Circuit and on Appeal

EDUCATION: University of Hawaii, William S. Richardson School of Law, J.D.

University of Hawaii, B.A. in Political Science

ACTIVITIES:

- Kauai Bar Association, 1997-present (President 2002)
- CAAP Arbitrator, 1998-present
- Public Defender Council Member, 2016-present
- County of Kauai Board of Review, 2009-2014, 2018-present (Chair 2011, 2013)

FORMERLY:

- Hawaii State Bar Association Board, Kauai Director 2009-2010
- KEO Mediation Advisory Committee, 2005-2014
- Rotary Club of Kauai, 2005-2012 (President 2010-11)
- St. Catherine Parish Pastoral Council, 2008-2012 (Chair 2011-2012)
- Special Olympics Kauai Area Management Team, 2003-2012
- Hawaii Prosecuting Attorney Association President, 2007-2008