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March 14, 2018

Honorable Alan M. Arakawa  
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For transmittal to:

Honorable Riki Hokama  
Chair, Budget & Finance Committee  
Maui County Council  
200 South High Street  
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793

APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL  
*Alan Arakawa* 3/20/18  
Mayor Date

**SUBJECT: AMENDMENTS TO APPENDIX A, GRANT REVENUE –  
SCHEDULE OF GRANTS BY DEPARTMENTS AND PROGRAMS  
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018 (DEPARTMENT OF POLICE  
(DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HIGHWAY SAFETY  
GRANTS )) (BF-61(16))**

Dear Chair Hokama:

We received your letter dated March 9, 2018 regarding the proposed budget amendment relating to the Department of Transportation Highway Safety Grants. Our response to your questions are as follows:

1. Provide a list of the grants the Department of Police receives for underage drinking deterrence, including the grantor and amount of the grant. Explain how the grants are used in your operations.

Lieutenant William Gannon of our Traffic Section manages seven (7) Highway Safety Grants. The Hawaii Department of Transportation Highway Safety Grant (AL18-02 (01-M-03)) supports various areas; Roadblocks, Saturation Patrols, Youth Deterrence, and the Drug Recognition Expert program. Specifically, there are sixteen (16) hours/four (4) missions (\$6,964.32) built into this grant that directly supports underage drinking. The funds have been primarily utilized by the Juvenile Crime Prevention Division in their efforts to address problematic areas where underage drinking is likely, such as rave parties and other events that are conducive to underage drinking.

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2. Does your Department collaborate with the Department of Liquor Control in underage drinking deterrence programs? Explain.

From July 2017 through June 2018, the Juvenile Crime Prevention Division has an active partnership to commence with minor sting confidential operations. The officers work with the Department of Liquor Control supervisors and inspections, along with decoys, who enter into the liquor-licensed establishments and observe whether the minor is sold, served, or furnished liquor. If a violation is committed, the officer takes possession of the evidence once the transaction occurs, and generates an on-beat case for Promoting an Intoxicating Liquor to a Person Under the Age of Twenty-One. The safety and security of the minor decoy during the operation is ensured.

3. Does your Department seek funding from the Department of Liquor Control, Liquor Education Fund, for underage drinking programs? Explain.

A request for reimbursement is submitted to the Department of Liquor Control for the officers' overtime wages.

If you have further questions regarding the partnership with the Department of Liquor, please contact Lieutenant Scott Migita of the Juvenile Crime Prevention Division at extension 6493. All other questions may be addressed by Lieutenant William Gannon of our Traffic Section at extension 6346.

Sincerely,



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Chief of Police