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**From:** Turchie, Donna (TRO-09)  
**To:** Ossi, Joseph (TPE)  
**Sent:** 7/30/2004 8:11:32 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Q & A Request: Hawaii

I forgot to mention the meeting is with Cheryl and Ben Lee, Honolulu's Executive Director (I don't know him). The mayor is not mentioned in the briefing paper request. DT

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**From:** Ossi, Joseph (TPE)  
**Sent:** Friday, July 30, 2004 10:26 AM  
**To:** Turchie, Donna (TRO-09)  
**Subject:** FW: Q & A Request: Hawaii

Donna:

Did the letter to Honolulu saying that the IOS is not eligible anymore go out yet?  
Did Leslie make a recommendation to the front office on whether they should meet with the mayor and Cheryl Soon?

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**From:** Weeks, Dwayne (TPE)  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 29, 2004 2:12 PM  
**To:** Pugh, Sharon (TSS); Fong, Stephen (TCA)  
**Cc:** Rogers, Leslie (TRO-09); Sukys, Raymond (TRO-09); Fisher, Ron (TPE); Vozzolo, David (TPE); Sahaj, Lynn (TPE); Libberton, Sean (TPE); Rosapep, Terry (TPM); Schruth, Susan (TPM)  
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Steve,

Attached is a briefing paper regarding Honolulu with taking points. This was done in February, and little has changed. I do not know if the letter has been sent by Region 9 to Honolulu regarding eligibility of the BRT MOS for New Starts funds. If it the letter has not been sent, we need not mention it in the briefing, because it has nothing to do with safety belts.

Dwayne

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**From:** Pugh, Sharon (TSS)  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 29, 2004 1:47 PM  
**To:** Fong, Stephen (TCA)  
**Cc:** Weeks, Dwayne (TPE)  
**Subject:** RE: Q & A Request: Hawaii

Dwayne handles Region 9.

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**From:** Fong, Stephen (TCA)  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 29, 2004 1:46 PM  
**To:** Rogers, Leslie (TRO-09)  
**Cc:** Sukys, Raymond (TRO-09); Sahaj, Lynn (TPE); Schruth, Susan (TPM); Rosapep, Terry (TPM); Vozzolo, David (TPE); Pugh, Sharon (TSS); Libberton, Sean (TPE); Fisher, Ron (TPE); Bennett, Jacqueline (TCA)  
**Subject:** Q & A Request: Hawaii  
**Importance:** High

The Secretary will be traveling to Hawaii for harbor and safety belt events. Please submit Q & As on hot button issues to me by COB, Friday, July 30th. Thanks.

Steve

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