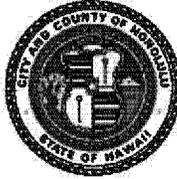


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Department of Transportation
State of Hawaii
869 Punchbowl Street
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Attention: Mr. Ken K. Tatsuguchi
Highways Division, Planning Branch

Dear Dr. Morioka:

**Subject: Accident Analysis in the Vicinity of the Planned Honolulu
High-Capacity Transit Corridor Project
Pearl Highlands Transit Station**

Over the course of the past six months, several meetings have been conducted with representatives from your department and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) to coordinate the proposed accesses between the planned Pearl Highlands Transit Station and Interstate H2 Freeway, Farrington Highway, and Kamehameha Highway in the vicinity of the Waiawa Interchange. At our September 14, 2009 meeting, Paul Harker of FHWA commented that the accident analysis in the proposed station area should be reviewed.

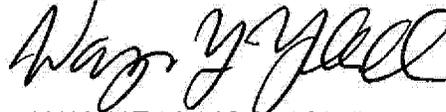
This letter is to request the accident analysis memo in the vicinity of the planned Pearl Highlands Transit Station. Specifically, the locations include the following:

1. Makai-bound Interstate H2 Freeway offramp to Ewa-bound Interstate H1 Freeway (H2 Freeway milepost: 0.95)
2. Ewa-bound Kamehameha Highway onramp to mauka-bound Interstate H2 Freeway (H2 Freeway milepost: 0.37)
3. Ewa-bound Farrington Highway between Waipahu offramp (Farrington Highway milepost: 17.65) and Kamehameha Highway overpass (Farrington Highway milepost: 17.98)

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Attached is a map that shows these locations. Your expeditious response to this request will be greatly appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Faith Miyamoto of the Rapid Transit Division at 768-8350.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Wayne Y. Yoshioka". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Wayne" being the most prominent.

WAYNE Y. YOSHIOKA
Director

Attachment

