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To: Senator J. Kalani English, Chair - Senate
Committee on Transportation, International and
Intergovernmental Affairs; Senator Mike Gabbard,
Vice Chair; and members of the Committee

From: Mitchell Roth, Prosecuting Attorney Hawaii
County and Chairman, State Highway Safety
Council

Re: GM367 Submitting for consideration and
confirmation to the State Highway Safety
Council, gubernatorial nominee, Anita DiMauro,
for a term to expire 6-30-2013

Dear Senator English:

I am pleased to support the reappointment of Anita DiMauro to the State Highway Safety Council. She has been an active member of the Council for the past four years.

As the Co-Chairman of the State Highway Safety Council for the past four years, I can attest that Anita has been a contributing member in all of the discussions the council has had. As a member of the Hawaii Chapter of Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) for the 25 years it has been in existence, Anita has a wealth of knowledge and experience in traffic safety. In addition she has been an original member of the Hawaii Partnership to Prevent Underage Drinking for 10 years and was on the Lt. Governor's Task Force for the Prevention of Drug Use in Hawaii in 2004.

As an Oahu at-large member, Anita is a valuable addition to the Council and I encourage you to approve her nomination and allow her to continue serving the State in her as a member of the Safety Council,

Thank you very much for your time and consideration.