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Comments:

I approve this bill.

I am part of the Solid Towing Company and I believe this bill will make our Roads a safer place for all emergency vehicles.



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Testimony in Support of HB 2030
TRN/PBM Joint Hrg 10:30 a.m. Rm 2/1/12
Submitted by Chad Taniguchi, Executive Director, Hawaii Bicycling League

Protect all vulnerable road users!

The Hawaii Bicycling League, along with other bicycling and walking organizations statewide, asks all road users to heed Kamehameha's Law of the Splintered Paddle because "Everyone has the right to be safe on Hawaii's roads."

Mutual safety and concern for others is of utmost importance on the public roads for motorists, pedestrians, bicyclists, and other users of our public road system. This is a shared space that we must use carefully. King Kamehameha decreed in 1797 that "everyone has the right to be safe on Hawaii's roads – including old and young, women and children." Mamalahoe Kanawai (Law of the Splintered Paddle).

Now 215 years later we have large, fast machines capable of killing instantly if the operators are not careful.

We extend our deepest condolences to the family of Officer Garret Davis, and to Chief Kealoha and members of the Honolulu Police Department, who daily risk their lives to protect our safety. It is a tragedy when anyone is killed or seriously injured on our public roads because these crashes can be avoided by obeying the speed limits and concentrating to adjust to changing conditions.

We support the proposed Move Over Bill (HB 2030) that seeks to protect police and emergency road workers who protect other road users without a protective metal shell.

Please let me know if there are any questions.

Ride Aloha! Drive Aloha!

Everyone has the right to be safe on Hawaii's roads.

Mamalahoe Kanawai, Kamehameha's Law of the Splintered Paddle 1797, Hawaii state constitution 1978

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Comments:

Support the safety of law enforcement, fire, ems and traffic/highway personnel. Far too many senseless highway deaths can be avoided by the passage of this bill. Public safety is in jeopardy if there are no safeguards for our public highways. Hawaii has a diverse group of drivers (i.e., visitors, international, military, local, young, elderly, etc.) that makes for a more hazardous situation everytime you travel on Hawaii's highways. I've observed all types of driving styles in Hawaii and traffic safety is not high on most drivers thoughts and habits. Risking the lives of those who protect and aid us. This bill will make a difference.

Thus, I urge the committees to pass this bill for the future of all those who work and travel Hawaii's roads and highways.

Mahalo for the opportunity to submit testimony.