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To:

Daniel Orodenker, Executive Officer

Land Use Commission

From:

Leo R. Asuncion, Director

Office of Planning

Subject:

Queen Liliuokalani Trust

Land Use Commission Docket No. A89-646

Keahuolu Development Project Keahuolu, North Kona, Hawaii,

TMK: (3) 7-4-008: Por. 002, Por. 012

Transmitted herewith is a letter from the State Department of Transportation which updates and revises OP's Exhibit 1 in our Supplemental Response of March 4, 2016 regarding the subject project and Motion filed by Queen Liliuokalani Trust.

Please call Rodney Funakoshi of our Land Use Division at (808) 587-2885 if you have any questions.

Enclosure



STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 869 PUNCHBOWL STREET HONOLULU, HAWAII 96813-5097

March 21, 2016

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IN REPLY REFER TO: HWY-PS 2.1891

Mr. Michael Shibata Development Manager Queen Liliuokalani Trust 1100 Alakea Street, Suite 1100 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Mr. Shibata:

Subject:

Queen Liliuokalani Trust

Land Use Commission Docket No. A89-646

Keahuolu Development Project Keahuolu, North Kona, Hawaii, TMK: (3) 7-4-008: Por. 002, Por. 012

As a result of the meeting on March 8, 2016, between the Hawaii Department of Transportation (HDOT) and Queen Liliuokalani Trust (QLT) representatives, the HDOT wishes to revise its letter, HWY-PS 2.1541, dated January 14, 2016, (attached) to rescind Item 2 and replace it as follows:

The conversion of the Hale Makai Street intersection with Queen Kaahumanu Highway to right-turn in and right-turn out, and the relocation of the traffic signal from this intersection to the proposed Manawalea Boulevard intersection with Queen Kaahumanu Highway is under discussion and will be analyzed further.

The remaining comments of HWY-PS 2.1541 remain applicable and valid. The HDOT acknowledges that QLT continues discussions to work towards agreement on this matter.

If there are questions, please contact Nami Wong, Systems Planning Engineer, Highways Division, Planning Branch, at (808) 587-6336. Please reference file review number PS 2015-192 in all contacts and correspondence regarding these comments.

Sincerely,

FORD N. FUCHIGAMI
Director of Transportation

Attachment (HWY-PS 2.1541)

c: Rodney Funakoshi, Office of Planning Lorene Maki, Office of Planning Matt Nakamoto, Austin Tsutsumi & Associates, Inc. Mr. Michael Shibata January 14, 2016 Page 2

- 2. The proposed Manawalea Boulevard intersection with Queen Kaahumanu Highway shall be eliminated.
- 3. A Traffic Impact Analysis Report (TIAR) shall be prepared and submitted to HDOT for review and acceptance. The TIAR shall include a discussion and calculation of the new QLT development's fair-share contribution for regional roadway improvements and may propose specific improvements that would satisfy the project's fair-share contribution.

If there are any questions, please contact Nami Wong, Systems Planning Engineer, Highways Planning Branch, at (808) 587-6336. Please reference file review number PS 2015-192 in all contacts and correspondence regarding these comments.

Sincerely,

FORD N. FUCHIGAMI
Director of Transportation

c: Matt Nakamoto, Austin Tsutsumi & Associates, Inc.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served upon the following by either hand delivery or depositing the same in the U.S. Postal Service by regular mail.

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DATED: Honolulu, Hawaii, this 22nd day of March 2016.

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Office of Planning