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**INFORMATION PAPER**

**SUBJECT:** Support to the State Department of Transportation, Highways Division, Maui, Hawaii

1. Purpose: To provide information on the subject program.
2. Points of Major Interest and Facts.

a. The State of Hawaii, Department of Transportation (DOT), Highways Division is currently utilizing the services of the Honolulu District to execute designs, engineering studies, and construction support services. Since FY97 under authorities granted by the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act and the Economy Act, the Honolulu District has been supporting DOT with acquisition of Architect-Engineer (A-E) contracts for these services. Support to Highways Division, Maui District Office commenced in FY99.

b. Statewide, design projects include: resurfacing; streetlights; traffic control lights; modifications to bridges; maintenance repairs to highway structures; and slope protection systems. Engineering studies and surveys include: structural inspection of bridges; underwater inspection of bridges; inventory of streetlights; and mapping and inventory of highway assets. In FY99, DOT began requesting A-E support services for construction management to supplement DOT in-house capabilities. Based on DOT policies for retaining State funds, Corps support is expected to be reduced significantly in the future.

c. The District's support for Maui county includes: design projects for repair and maintenance of roadways; installation of streetlights; and facility improvements to Maui's Highway Division administration; vehicle maintenance; and storage/operation buildings. Other engineering services include conducting structural inspections of bridge structures and construction support/construction management services for DOT contracted construction projects. Summary of DOT Maui County projects:

<u>FY</u>	<u>No. of Projects</u>	<u>Funded Amount</u>
99	5	\$ 826 K
00	4	\$ 907 K
01	8	\$ 1,091 K
02	4	\$ 608 K
<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>\$ 3,432 K</b>

3. Congressional Interest. There is minimal Congressional interest in this program, at this time.