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# TESTIMONY OF SHERI T. KAJIWARA, DIRECTOR CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMER SERVICES Friday, February 1, 2019, 10:00 a.m., Conference Room 423

### HOUSE BILL 394, "RELATING TO Highway Beautification"

TO: The Honorable Henry J.C. Aquino, Chair And Members of the Committee on Transportation

The City and County of Honolulu is generally supportive of this legislation, however, requires an amendment to Page 2. The purpose of this fund will better enable staff if the fees are being diverted to a holding fund that can only be utilized for the purpose of either implementing a technological solution that will aid in the expedient identification and/or removal of abandoned vehicles OR for operations and maintenance associated with updating of the motor vehicle registration database which serves as the center piece of many other legislations that ultimately classify the mechanism through which an abandoned and derelict vehicle is qualified.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on H.B 394.





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## H.B. 394 RELATING TO HIGHWAY BEAUTIFICATION

House Committee on Transportation

The Department of Transportation (DOT) supports this bill since it helps to defray the additional cost in the disposition and other related activities of abandoned or derelict vehicles as prescribed in chapter 290.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

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| Submitted By | Organization                        | Testifier<br>Position | Present at Hearing |
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| Brett Kulbis | Honolulu County<br>Republican Party | Oppose                | No                 |

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