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April 18, 2023
3:01 P.M.
State Capitol Rm 225 & Teleconference

**GM 569
RELATING TO STATE HIGHWAY SAFETY COUNCIL NOMINEE TIFFANY
LIGHTFOOT**

Senate Committee on Transportation and Culture and the Arts

The Department of Transportation (DOT) **supports** the nomination of Tiffany Lightfoot to the State Highway Safety Council (SHSC).

Chapter 286-5, Hawaii Revised Statutes, establishes the State Highway Safety Council which advises the Governor on matters relating to the programs and activities of the State in the field of highway safety.

Ms. Lightfoot's experience with Hawaii's statewide trauma system and emergency medical services will provide the SHSC with a valuable post-crash care perspective. Post-crash care is one of the core elements of the safe systems approach. Ms. Lightfoot also brings experience of leading the Hawaii statewide trauma system advisory committee, which has served the state in elevating the level of trauma care throughout the state.

The DOT respectfully requests that this Committee confirm Tiffany Lightfoot to the SHSC, whose members serve without compensation.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony.

GM-569

Submitted on: 4/17/2023 9:34:06 AM

Testimony for TCA on 4/18/2023 3:01:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
William Bailey	Testifying for AMR	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

In strong support.

April 17, 2023

Chair Chris Lee, Vice Chair Lorraine Inouye and Honorable Members
Committee on Transportation and Culture and the Arts
Hawaii State Senate
415 South Beretania Street, Conference Room 225
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Lee, Vice Chair Inouye, and Members of the Committee on Transportation and Culture and the Arts,

RE: TCA HEARING ON APRIL 18, 2023 – GOVERNOR’S MESSAGE NO. 569
NOMINATION OF MS. TIFFANY LIGHTFOOT TO THE STATE HIGHWAY
SAFETY COUNCIL

Please accept my testimony in strong support for the appointment of Ms. Tiffany Lightfoot to the State Highway Safety Council.

I previously worked at various State agencies, including serving as Land Administrator at the Department of Land and Natural Resources. More recently, I have been assisting State agencies in the development and promulgation of administrative rules. It is in this capacity that I recently had the absolute pleasure of working with Tiffany at the Department of Health, Emergency Medical Services and Injury Prevention System Branch. Together, we developed administrative rules for the Emergency Medical Services and Trauma System programs.

Tiffany is one of the very rare individuals blessed with a combination of ability and attitude that produces high quality results. I thoroughly enjoyed working with her because she was always focused on, not only what is technically sound, but what is in the best interests of the State and community. While her knowledge of the subject area is exceptional, she is constantly hungry to learn more. Coupled with her intellect, Tiffany has excellent people skills and has always shown herself to be professional, open-minded, collaborative, and honorable.

Based on her character, qualities, and knowledge, I strongly believe Tiffany would be an excellent addition to the State Highway Safety Council and respectfully request your favorable consideration of her appointment to this Council.

Sincerely,

Dierdre Mamiya

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Submitted on: 4/17/2023 9:49:09 AM

Testimony for TCA on 4/18/2023 3:01:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Tito Villanueva	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I am in support for Ms. Tiffany Lightfoot confirmation to the State Highway Safety Council.

Thank you for your consideration.

GM-569

Submitted on: 4/17/2023 10:30:40 AM

Testimony for TCA on 4/18/2023 3:01:00 PM

Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Testify
Mona Arcinas	Individual	Support	Written Testimony Only

Comments:

I support Tiffany Lightfoot for this position. She is an excellent individual and is highly proficient in her job. She will be a great addition to the council