



## Memorandum

To: Citizen Advisory Committee Members

From: Alvin Au, Executive Director

Date: July 17, 2019

### Executive Director's Report

#### *Accomplishments and Progress*

The Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration jointly approved the FY2020 Overall Work Program (OWP) in a letter dated July 9, 2019. Staff's efforts to develop, reorganize, and review the OWP were commended.

Oahu MPO hired a summer intern, Logan Takeda, who is currently attending the University of Portland where he is a Senior enrolled in the Civil Engineering program. After graduating, he hopes to return to Oahu and work as a Transportation Engineer. As one of Logan's responsibilities as a Transportation Planner Intern, he is in charge of increasing the outreach of OahuMPO's Facebook page. He posts interesting transportation articles or upcoming community events every weekday. He has set an ambitious goal of increasing the amount of Facebook page likes by 20% before he leaves for college in mid-August. If any of you have a Facebook account, please follow our OahuMPO page to learn more about fascinating things happening in the transportation field and like the postings there.

<https://www.facebook.com/OahuMetropolitan/?ref=bookmarks>

#### *Policy Board (PB)*

The Policy Board (PB) met on June 25, 2019, received a briefing on the final draft of the FY2020 Overall Work Program (OWP) which identified planning studies, projects, and other work elements that the OahuMPO staff and agency partners will be working on in the coming fiscal year. The PB discussed and endorsed the final draft of the FY2020 OWP for submission to the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration for approval.

#### *Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)*

The TAC met on July 12, 2019 and received a briefing on the FFY 2019-2022 Transportation Improvement Program Revision #6 which is a major amendment involving four Federal Highway

Administration projects managed by the State and one Federal Transit Administration project managed by the City. The TAC recommend that the Policy Board approve the FFY 2019-2022 TIP Revision #6 as presented.

The Oahu MPO held a discussion with TAC on the Phase 1 Outreach of the Oahu Regional Transportation Plan 2045 Vision and Goals. The CAC will receive the briefing and discuss the Phase 1 Outreach of the ORTP 2045 in August, 2019.