

**TREASURER'S LETTER
HAWAII AREA 17
August 10, 2012**

Aloha Panel 61 trusted servants,

As of July 31, 2012 Hawaii Area funds are as follows:

Operating Funds	\$ 7,476.08
Prudent Reserve	\$ 5,000.00
Reserve for Computer Equipment	\$ 1,250.00
Reserve for International Convention	\$ <u>700.00</u>
Total cash in bank	\$ 14,426.08

As of July 31, 2012:

Total Contributions and Income	\$ 16,425.33
Total Expenditures	\$ 22,086.64
Net Revenues	-\$ 5,661.31

As we begin the Budget Assembly, I would like to acknowledge all the hard work of the Finance Committee. Bob, Ken, Ed and Moses have all traveled to Hawaii district meetings and presented the budget. Thank you Finance Committee!

Recently the area mailing address has changed. The new address has been printed on postcards available here at the assembly. DCMs and GSRs please take a postcard or postcards back to your group's treasurer. The new address is also listed in the Mynah Bird, Area 17's website and below. Ken has also updated the contribution split sheets and he will be handing copies out to all DCMs today. The forwarding from the previous address will be in effect for twelve months, so please help us to get the word out to all concerned.

**Hawaii Area Committee
1253 S, Beretania Street #2107
Honolulu, HI 96814-1822**

Officers and standing committee chairs, if you haven't done so, please book your flights for the October Committee Meeting, hosted by Waianae District on October 13th and the Elections assembly, hosted by West Hawaii, on November 17th and 18th early. By booking early, area can save close to \$80.00 on some round trip fares. In my opinion, this is the most direct and effective way to help Area 17 save money. Feel free to call or e-mail me and we can book the flight together using the Area debit card, if you are unable to purchase early on your own.

In love and service,

Sheri B, Area Treasurer, Panel 61