NOTICE TO REFUSE TRUCK DRIVERS

The great majority of you conscientiously use your covers and/or sweep out your trucks after dumping, and your efforts have resulted in a significant reduction in the amount of litter along H-1. Some careless drivers, however, are still allowing leaves, paper, plastic, and cardboard to be blown from their trucks, and this is not acceptable.

Beginning immediately, the Refuse Division will implement a program to monitor all City and commercial refuse trucks. **Any truck observed dropping litter along H-1 will be barred from H-POWER and Waimanalo Gulch Sanitary Landfill for one week; repeat offenses may merit longer banishment.** Refuse Division employees will be checking for windblown litter, and I encourage City drivers to report violations to their supervisor and private haulers to report violations to me at 527-5358. We will need license number, date, and time and any other specifics you can provide to single out the violator.

We in the solid waste industry ought to be self-policing, because a few bad eggs can ruin our collective reputation.

FRANK J. DOYLE, Chief