



## Stolen M/C Website

Scott, our website guru is going through some personal challenges. His father recently had a heart attack and is expected to make a full recovery. Also, Scott has received the "Greetings from the President" letter, recalling him to active duty. In between all of this, Scott is making time to finish up the HMDA stolen vehicle website. We should have it finalized and ready for public use in the near future.

## Treasurer's report

There is a balance of \$7,419.20 in the HMDA coffers. 2005 Convention is lookin' pretty good!

Annual Dues for  
Active Members — \$150;  
Associate Members — \$30

Your dues contribute to HMDA's efforts to foster a positive legislative and economic environment for Hawaii's motorcycle industry! In order to contain mailing costs, we will send minutes and/or newsletters ONLY to those active and associate members who have remitted their dues for 2005! And, as an extra added bonus...those up-to-date members will REMAIN in the HMDA website...AT NO CHARGE!

Non-Paid's will be removed from the Mailing List and the Website!

WE ALL  
BENEFIT DIRECTLY  
FROM HMDA'S  
EFFORTS

RENEW NOW  
—DEADLINE—  
March 31, 2005

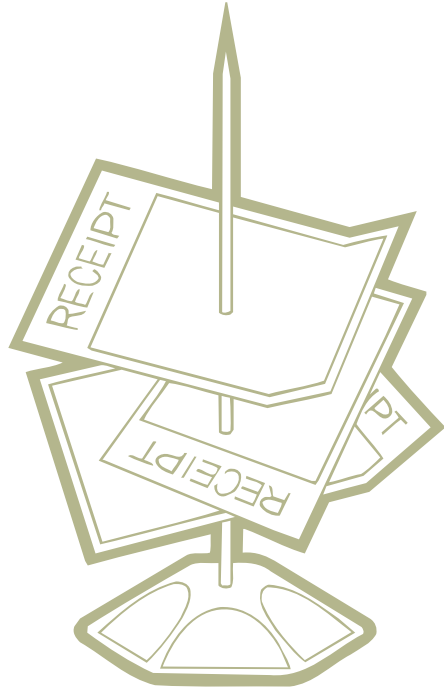
## Motorcycle Safety

Motorcycle safety training is now being conducted in the Aloha stadium parking lot. An instructor update was conducted the first of January. All instructors are PRC certified by MSF and attended the update as required by the state. The rider completion card has a refreshed look.

## Notes From Off-Island

These two tidbits come by way of the Illinois Motorcycle Dealers Association newsletter. Thank you, Karl Kegel. The first concerns disposal of old computers and employee's right to privacy. Effective January 1, 2005 if you dispose of a computer that has any employee information stored on it, the hard drive not only has to be erased, but overwritten at least once. Fines can range from \$100, to \$750,000. The second bit of news concerns business checks. Effective January 1, 2006, all business checks must be printed in BLACK ink. I know the deadline is a year away, but if your company uses fancy multi-color designer checks, make sure that your next order is for checks printed in black ink. Just thought you ought to know.





## Annual HMDA Membership Dues

**This being the start of the new year, this is an excellent time to pay your HMDA dues!**

*See Page 3 for Membership Form.*

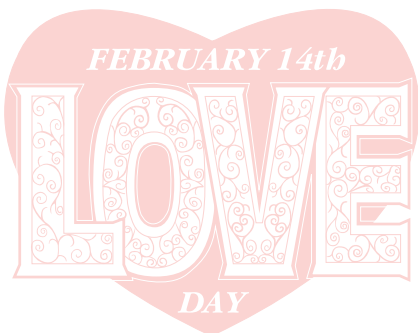
**The penalty for not paying your dues is inclusion on the notification list for this legislative session.**



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**...and the HMDA Meeting!  
See you at the Airport  
Plaza Hotel Coffee Shop  
at 8:30 a.m.!**