

extended families living together. We're seeing our kids going into our medicine cabinet and stealing. We're also seeing kids burglarizing homes. Back in 2009, the Northshore Pharmacy burglary, we did convict all three individuals. The street value is \$1.00 per milligram, if it's ten milligrams, \$10.00, fifteen milligrams, \$15.00 so you can see that little amber bottle of pills, they're not only looking at the next high but they're seeing dollar signs also.

The effects of prescription drugs are even worse than the effects of crystal meth. On an enforcement level, it takes years to build these cases. Because of the privacy laws for the people prescribing these medications, it's hard to prosecute them.

A law needs to be implemented to limit doctors to prescribe this medication.

Senior citizens are being educated for their medications around the islands, especially pain medication-report it.

As a community we have to have the courage to stand up for what's right in a public place for instance as a witness in court. We work with the court to get these people the treatment and services to get them the help that they need and to help the community to heal instead of punishing them every time we catch them.

- Rae Yadao-Butac is requesting their sign in sheet and minutes of the meeting.

m) By laws Committee – Bert Lyons

- Unable to find any minutes to show the passing of the 2006 by laws. We need to amend the 1999 by laws.

V. Open issues/Unfinished Business

VI. New business

a) Mayor Bernard Carvalho – Talk Story

- Team members include: Gary Heu, Al Castillo, Bev Tokioka, George Costa, Mike Tahili Lenny Rapozo, Lyle Tabata, Council members: Furfaro, Kualii and Rapozo.
- **Hunt Development – Planning Director; Mike Tahili.**
In the middle of evaluating the current application and receiving comments from the different agencies. Still waiting for comments from the Department of Public Works who is evaluating the comments of TIAR (Traffic Impact Analysis Report) and this is what the developer is proposing to do concerning traffic in the area. Mitigation is not planned at this time but cannot go into specifics at this time. The recommendations will be presented at the next planning commission meeting will take place in March for their evaluation and review. The public comment period was closed and there was a number of letters submitted to the commission. Did want to comment on letters received regarding the by-pass road, wanting the by-pass road in before the project started. They will have the recommendations prior to the meeting in March for everyone to review. Regarding the residential piece in the permit, the County has not taking it off the table. Counting strips currently happening now (on Kilauea Road) is being done by the developers. The County Engineers are currently reviewing the TIAR completed by the developers.
- **Kilauea Playground – Lenny Rapozo.**
Has been in discussion with Sue Boynton, Council Chair; Furfaro.
It was brought to our attention that the playground has some deficiencies so we took care of these deficiencies immediately but at the same time we're looking at other ways to repair it in a more permanent fashion.
Background – The playground was built during the fiscal year of 1999-2000 and cost \$50,000.00 with the communities help.
We examined the current structure in terms of safety and we determined that the equipment is still in good condition. There are some portions that we may want to change like the swings and the rubberized surface. At the time the playground was built in 1999-2000 the surface was the state