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Public Utilities Commission  
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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing today to express my concern regarding the May 26, 2020 letter from Young Brothers to the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission. A reduction in shipping options due to Young Brother's proposed suspension of Less than Container Load (LCL/mix) shipping would negatively impact our operations as well as the operation of many other businesses on Kaua'i.

Our small construction company would not have enough volume of business to utilize a full shipping container. And using air freight would be prohibitively expensive. It is important for us to be able to receive materials and supplies in a timely and cost effective manner. Continued and uninterrupted LCL shipping is a necessity for our company and important to Kaua'i's economy.

Please consider prompt approval of Young Brothers requested \$25 million in CARES ACT funding from the state and reject their request to discontinue LCL service to Kaua'i. It is my understanding that if they receive this funding, Young Brothers will be able to continue LCL service to our island.

Thank you for your consideration of this important matter.

Respectfully,  
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