

RAIL IS A BETTER SOLUTION TO CUT DOWN ON TRAFFIC

The Honolulu Advertiser published a letter last Friday in which Mr. Bill Haig suggested a way to cut down on traffic.

By his plan, you would need your insurance card to buy gas, thereby eliminating uninsured motorists from the road. Isn't it weird to ask the gas merchants to enforce our insurance law? And it sounds like we're going after poor people.

In fact, the letter seems to suggest that people who cannot afford insurance are clogging the roads. How about the families who have insurance and a car for every family member? Should we limit every family to two vehicles? Just one for those with no dependents at home?

The train is not as aggressive as Mr. Haig's traffic solution. But trains are more becoming in a democracy.

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