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January 6, 2009

Dear Mr. Matley,

Phoenix just opened a new 20 mile light-rail train built for \$1.4 billion.

Why does our Honolulu government project \$5.3 billion for our 20 mile system? Are the Phoenicians that much smarter than us to elect a government that provides them with the same length system for almost \$4 billion (Four Billion Dollars) less? Wow!

What could we taxpayers do with \$4 billion in our own pockets? Think about it, seriously. Perhaps for the billion-dollar EPA-required sewage upgrade, and still have a few billions left?

Sincerely,
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