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## SENATE RESOLUTION

REQUESTING THE POSTMASTER GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES POSTAL  
SERVICE TO RELOCATE THE PEARL CITY POST OFFICE TO THE  
UNITED STATES NAVY PROPERTY ON THE PEARL CITY PENINSULA.

1 WHEREAS, there are safety and traffic congestion concerns  
2 regarding the customer entrance and exit driveway of the Pearl  
3 City Post Office located on the northeast corner of Kamehameha  
4 Highway and Acacia Road; and  
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6 WHEREAS, when the Pearl City Post Office was built in the  
7 1970s, the road fronting it led to the United States Marine  
8 Corps Manana housing and warehouse area and had very little  
9 traffic towards the Kamehameha Highway intersection on the  
10 United States Navy road; and  
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12 WHEREAS, the United States Navy eventually turned over the  
13 majority of the Manana federal property to the City and County  
14 of Honolulu on which the city developed Acacia Road and sold  
15 property for business development for the Pearl Highlands area;  
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18 WHEREAS, with recent development of big box stores and two  
19 shopping centers in the area, the Pearl City Post Office parking  
20 lot has become extremely busy; and  
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22 WHEREAS, the Pearl City Post Office currently employs  
23 seventy-five mail carriers and customer service and maintenance  
24 employees, with a motor pool of seventy-five vehicles and  
25 usually with forty vehicles operating on the road  
26 simultaneously; and  
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28 WHEREAS, the Pearl City Post Office is at its maximum  
29 spacial capacity to accommodate the increased need for postal  
30 services in the area; and  
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32 WHEREAS, the Pearl City Post Office has a small lobby area  
33 that only holds approximately six to ten people at a time for  
34 customers both mailing and picking up packages; and  
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1 WHEREAS, the Pearl City Post Office has a few hundred post  
2 office boxes for the public accessed outside of the building,  
3 but has no room for expansion for larger cluster postal boxes;  
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6 WHEREAS, there has been a major increase in parcel post  
7 packages due to more residents purchasing items online; and  
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9 WHEREAS, with the expected future transit-oriented  
10 development around the Honolulu rail system station, the area  
11 will experience further increase in residents; and  
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13 WHEREAS, moving the Pearl City Post Office from its current  
14 location at the intersection of Kamehameha Highway and Acacia  
15 Road to a larger, less-congested area will help mitigate some of  
16 the public safety and traffic issues at that intersection and  
17 alleviate the overcrowding of packages stored at the Post Office  
18 warehouse; now, therefore,  
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20 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third  
21 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025,  
22 that the Postmaster General of the United States Postal Service  
23 is requested to build a new Pearl City Post Office on federal,  
24 United States Navy property at the entrance area of the United  
25 States Navy Pearl City Peninsula across from Lehua Elementary  
26 School, allowing for a larger Post Office to be built with a  
27 larger parking lot for employees and customers; and  
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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this  
30 Resolution be transmitted to the Postmaster General of the  
31 United States Postal Service, Commander of Joint Base Pearl  
32 Harbor-Hickam, and Governor.  
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