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PLEASE LEAVE THE ALA WAI BLVD ALONE. IT IS A VERY IMPORTANT THOROUGHFARE FOR SO MANY COMMUNITIES TO ACCESS AND BYPASS WAIKIKI BUSINESSES, HARBOR, PARKS, ALA MOANA & BEYOND. THE MAIN STREET IS OFTEN CLOSED OFF WITH PARADES AND BLOCK PARTIES AND ACCESS IS RESTRICTED. THIS DOESN'T JUST AFFECT WAIKIKI AND WHEN KAPIOLANI & FREEWAY, BOTH CONGESTED (WITH DIRECTIONAL SIGNS FOR WAIKIKI ACCESS) THIS IS THEY ONLY VEHICULAR ROUTE. 1% OF THE POPULATION RIDE BIKES AND THE TRAFFIC STUDIES ARE DATED. MOST OF THE ACCIDENTS HAPPEN AT EITHER END WITH MCCULLY & KAPAHULU MERGING, WHICH ARE INADEQUATE. THE MAIN PORTION WORKS VERY WELL "AS IS". EVEN THE MAYOR SAID IT WAS A "DUMB IDEA". IT IS TOO IMPORTANT A ROADWAY AND CARS HAVE NO PLAN B. THERE IS NO PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ALONG THIS ROUTE EITHER. KUPUNA CANNOT RIDE BIKES.