

May 31, 2013

### **Increases in State Wharfage Fees Effective July 1, 2013**

The State of Hawaii Department of Transportation, Harbors Division (DOT) collects wharfage fees from users of the State's commercial harbors to help fund much needed harbor improvements statewide. Because harbor facility operators such as Young Brothers are required to collect wharfage on behalf of DOT, wharfage appears as a line item on your Young Brothers invoice. DOT determines wharfage fees by the type and amount of cargo shipped. These rates are scheduled to increase each year on the 1<sup>st</sup> of July.

Below are some examples of common wharfage fees, reflecting an estimate of DOT's upcoming July 1, 2013 fee increases. A complete listing of the new DOT wharfage fees can be viewed once the agency's website has been updated at <http://hidot.hawaii.gov/harbors/library/admin-rules/>.

Container Fee per port:

	<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>Rate effective 7/1/13</u>
20'	\$ 41.75	\$ 44.67
40'	\$ 83.49	\$ 89.33

General Cargo - Dry and Reefer per M/W ton per port:

<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>Rate effective 7/1/13</u>
\$2.29	\$ 2.45

Standard Automobiles per port:

<u>Current Rate</u>	<u>Rate effective 7/1/13</u>
\$ 17.53	\$ 18.76

Thank you for your understanding in this matter. If you have any questions, please visit our website at [www.youngbrothershawaii.com](http://www.youngbrothershawaii.com).

Sincerely,

/s/ Matthew J. Humphrey  
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Vice President and General Manager