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The electronic newsletter from the USPS Headquarters - Industry Engagement & Outreach team - summarizing recent USPS news and developments

Setting the Record Straight - Time Magazine Covers DeJoy's Turnaround Efforts

Postmaster General Louis DeJoy's efforts to transform the Postal Service are the focus of a lengthy profile in Time magazine.



Postmaster General Louis DeJoy and the Delivering for America plan are the subject of a long article in the March 27 issue of Time magazine.

The article outlines many of the goals of the Delivering for America plan, including establishing sorting and delivery centers, converting more than 125,000 part-time employees to full time and making USPS both efficient and profitable.

“That’s what I’m trying to do: to set the organization up to compete,” DeJoy tells the magazine.

The article details his baptism by fire after taking on the job in 2020 — on the uphill slope of a surging pandemic — and how he has worked with politicians, union leaders and former critics to improve the Postal Service.

The passage of the Postal Service Reform Act of 2022, the delivery of 500 million COVID-19 tests to homes across the country and the electrification of the USPS fleet are described as achievements that few could have fathomed before his tenure.

“DeJoy may be the only person on earth who could have delivered these wins for America’s beloved, beleaguered agency,” the article states, explaining how he has drawn upon his previous experience as a CEO and political fundraiser.

Additionally, the article notes that some early criticisms of DeJoy proved erroneous.

The 3,900-word piece is [available on Time’s website](#), in the magazine’s March 27 print edition and on Apple News, where it appears under the headline “The Mail Man — Initially cast as a Trumpian villain, Louis DeJoy is delivering for the Postal Service, and Democrats.”

The article concludes by indicating the Postal Service still has a long way to go, but DeJoy plans to keep working to turn the organization around.

As he tells Time: “I don’t like to leave a job undone.”

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

**2023 National Postal Forum
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Postmaster General Louis DeJoy Keynote Address and Town Hall



The transformational changes taking place at the Postal Service – its implications and benefits for customers – will be the cornerstone of Postmaster General Louis DeJoy’s keynote remarks at the National Postal Forum, (NPF), May 22, 2023, in Charlotte, North Carolina. The keynote address will highlight changes that have taken place in the two years since the release of the *Delivering for America* plan, the strategic document outlining Postal Service initiatives to place the organization on a successful trajectory with new opportunities for the mailing and shipping industry. In this wide-ranging, comprehensive address, customers can expect to learn first-hand more information about the Postal Service’s network redesign, an update on mail processing improvements to drive service, transportation strategies to lower costs, and an overview of the sortation and delivery

centers being unveiled nationwide.

For the first time ever at the Forum, customers will be invited to participate in a Town Hall discussion with Postmaster General DeJoy, where following his remarks there will be an opportunity for attendees to ask questions. The Town Hall is scheduled to take place Wednesday morning, May 24, 2023.

Each year, thousands of mailing and shipping customers attend NPF to receive news and information about the Postal Service and the mailing industry.

For a full review of educational classes, programs, and networking events, go to [NPF.org](https://www.usps.com/npf). Special online registration packages are available through April 7, 2023.

Source: *Industry Alert dated March 17*

Labor Deal - Union Ratifies Contract with USPS

The National Postal Mail Handlers Union (NPMHU) membership has ratified a new three-year labor contract with the Postal Service.

The contract covers more than 55,000 employees represented by the union.

Highlights of the agreement include annual general wage increases, semiannual cost of living adjustments, continued operational flexibility through use of an expanded mail handler assistant workforce, and measures designed to address critical employee recruitment and retention needs.

“This agreement is fair and balanced. It addresses both parties’ bargaining objectives in a financially responsible manner and is consistent with the Delivering for America 10-year plan for a modern and financially self-sustaining Postal Service,” said Doug Tulino, deputy postmaster general and chief human resources officer.

The new agreement runs through Sept. 20, 2025.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

Executive Officer Detail Assignment – Vice President, Chief Data & Analytics Officer

Postmaster Louis DeJoy has announced the detail assignment of Stephen M. Dearing to the newly created position of Vice President and Chief Data & Analytics Officer (CDAO), effective March 25. This new position will report directly to the Chief Information Officer.

DeJoy said, “As we transform our processing, transportation, and delivery networks, leveraging data and analytics is a critical component to drive precision and efficiency throughout our network. We must perform efficiency analysis, network optimization, and cost assessment on a new scale which requires systematic improvement in data, reporting, and analytics capabilities to enable six-day mail and package delivery to over 160M addresses while remaining self-sustaining.”

To support these needs, the CDAO will be responsible for managing enterprise data sources, coordinating analytics across USPS, and executing advanced and transformational analytics. The current Enterprise Analytics (EA) group will move to the CIO team; and the technical system design and IT infrastructure work performed under EA will be further re-aligned with the CIO organization.

As a part of the new organization’s mandate, it will lead a Data & Analytics Council comprised of analytics, business, and IT leaders to prioritize and coordinate analytics work across the enterprise to best serve the business. As a data service provider, the CDAO group will define the sources of truth for key enterprise data, official metric calculations and manage the quality and accessibility of the data.

Most recently, Steve has served as the Senior Director, Business Intelligence & Operational Analytics (BIOA), where he led the Postal Service’s efforts to leverage data and analytics to measure and improve service, increase operational efficiency, and provide insights on mail volume and inventory. Prior to leading BIOA, Steve served as a leader in multiple Headquarter roles including Director, Corporate Reporting, Executive Manager, Mailing Information Systems and Manager, Address Quality. Steve was instrumental in creating the Informed Visibility platform which combined data from over 40 sources enabling analytics and service measurement of over 20 billion mail pieces per quarter.

Source: *Industry Alert dated March 21*

Executive Officer Appointment Vice President, Plant & Process Modernization

Postmaster General Louis DeJoy has announced the appointment of John M. Dunlop as the Vice President of Plant & Process Modernization. Dunlop will report directly to the Chief Technology Officer.

Last year, DeJoy created a new team, Plant & Process Modernization, that focused on driving the strategies to create a rationalized network of integrated processing facilities. These facilities will be equipped with standardized floor plans, operating plans, and state-of-the-art processing and material handling equipment to enable better service response, and cost-efficient operations.

Over the last several months we have solidified the plant redesign strategy, deployed additional processing machines and automation, and established engineered standards for how we process the mail. Plans are underway to establish our first Regional Processing and Distribution Centers (RPD&Cs) and to standard the first few Local Processing Centers (LPCs).

In support of these efforts, the Plant & Process Modernization organization will continue to focus on the design, implementation, and activation of new, expanded mail processing facilities.

Most recently, John has served as the Executive Director of Plant & Process Modernization. Over the past 30 years, John has been involved in the design, financial justification, installation, and activation of equipment and systems in almost every major processing plant in the network. As the manager of Network Operations Engineering, he managed the team that created and deployed Lean Mail Processing. Recently, he led the team that deployed a combination of conventional and robotic systems to activate over 50 annexes for Peak Season in 2021.

Source: *Industry Alert dated March 21*

Customs Forms - USPS Offers Tools for Declarations

Postal Service employees want customers to know about tools they can use to provide details on customs forms when sending packages to the European Union.

Retail System Software, Click-N-Ship, Global Shipping Software and Customs Form Online, among other tools, can assist customers in properly filling out customs forms to comply with new European Union rules.

Customers should be reminded that broad descriptions of the contents are not acceptable.

For example, “men’s cotton dress shirts” is acceptable; “shirts” is not. “Children’s toy doll” would be acceptable; “gift” or “toy” would not.

The specific descriptions are necessary to assign the package’s contents a Harmonized System (HS) tariff code, which is used by some European customs authorities to assess import duties and taxes.

Customers may also choose to research and assign the HS code using an online [Census Bureau tool](#). The requirement for HS codes extends to the 27 European Union countries: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden.

It also applies to Norway and Switzerland.

For retail customers visiting an RSS site and users of USPS Click-N-Ship, the online platform requires them to answer questions about what they’re sending and automatically assigns an HS code to the shipping label.

Signs are now up at Post Offices and other USPS retail outlets around the country explaining the change.

More information can be found at usps.com.

Customers sending packages to countries in the European Union will have to provide more detail about the contents when they fill out a customs form.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

USPS Informed Delivery Updates - Featuring Bob Dixon

Click the links below to see the slides and hear the recording of the very informative *Informed Delivery Updates* webinar presented by Bob Dixon on **March 9, 2023, at 2:00 PM Eastern**. We are pleased to share for those that weren't able to attend:

- Promotions & Incentives Slides:
<https://postalpro.usps.com/node/11924>
- Promotions & Incentives Video:
<https://postalpro.usps.com/node/11923>

Source: *Industry Alert dated March 10*

Shedding Light - How to Properly Dispose of Used Bulbs



Most light bulbs are considered universal waste and must be recycled when they are no longer usable.

USPS has a message for employees, contractors and you: Don't simply toss away light bulbs when they are no longer usable.

Most light bulbs — including fluorescent, compact fluorescent, high-intensity discharge (HID), light-emitting diode (LED), neon and ultraviolet lamps — contain mercury, toxic metals and other

hazardous materials.

Consequently, the Postal Service considers these items universal waste that must be recycled. Postal facilities must also ensure that employees who manage waste bulbs are properly trained.

To recycle HID and LED bulbs, facilities must:

- Store universal waste bulbs in closed containers that are clearly labeled.
- Arrange for off-site recycling within 365 days of the original waste generation date.
- Recycle waste bulbs with Cleanlites Recycling, the organization's national service provider.
- Use mailback recycling containers or arrange for on-site pickup.

It's important to be safe when disposing of these materials. Incandescent and halogen bulbs can be disposed of in the trash or dumpster since they are typically nonhazardous and don't contain mercury or toxic metals. Stay safe everyone.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

Cheatin' Hearts - Inspection Service Targets Romance Scams

The Postal Inspection Service continues to take aim at those who steal more than hearts: romance scammers. These predators have an enormous pool of potential victims to prey on. Older people are particularly susceptible to their empty promises.

How do they scam thee? The [Postal Inspection Service website](#) counts the ways:

- They pledge their love way too quickly.
- They ask you to send or receive money or packages.
- They need money right away because of a medical or family emergency.
- They need a visa or plane tickets.
- They claim a business opportunity arose that was too good to turn down, and they ask you to wire a loan.

A few signs your online Romeo or Juliet may be a thieving Lothario include a mismatch between their name and the name embedded in their email address; obvious spelling and grammar errors in their messages; and an online profile that suddenly disappears from the dating site.

Inspectors advise those looking for love online to protect themselves by following these tips:

- Keep personal details to yourself.
- Do a quick Google search of the other person's name and the town they claim to live in.
- Proceed slowly and look for inconsistencies in their profile and the information they share.
- Keep an eye out for signs the relationship is moving in a direction that it wouldn't otherwise go if meeting in real life.
- Gently apply the brakes if your new friend pushes to take the conversation to private email. Stay on the website's platform until it's time to meet in person.

If you are a victim of a scam or suspect fraud, submit an [online report](#) to the Inspection Service or call 877-876-2455.

It may not sound terribly romantic, but hope — and love — spring eternal.

As Postal Inspector Andrea Avery puts it: "Don't give up on love. Just give up on scammers."

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

New Stamps - Release Date, Location Updates

Sidewalk Surfing - New Stamps Feature Skateboard Art



The Art of the Skateboard stamps combine modern graffiti with ancient iconography.

The Postal Service released its Art of the Skateboard stamps on March 24.

The bold designs on these four stamps capture skateboarding’s excitement while reflecting the diversity and influences of the artists themselves. The designs incorporate both ancient iconography and modern graffiti.

The first skateboards mimicked surfboards. They were simple in design and might have featured a brand-name decal or stenciled racing stripes for embellishment. Now the artwork on a skateboard deck is often as individual and bold as a skater’s breathtaking moves.

Antonio Alcalá, an art director for USPS, designed the stamps using artwork by:

- Crystal Worl, an Alaskan artist whose design expresses her Indigenous heritage
- William James Taylor Jr., whose work is influenced by pop art, comic books, cartoons, and graffiti
- MasPaz (Federico Frum), a Colombian-born, American-raised muralist
- Di’Orr Greenwood, whose design highlights her Navajo culture

The Forever stamps will be available at Post Offices and usps.com.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

Bennu or Bust - USPS to Release OSIRIS-REx Stamp

The Postal Service has announced it is adding a Forever stamp to its 2023 lineup to honor a NASA mission to study and map the asteroid Bennu.

According to the mission website, Bennu was chosen from the roughly 7,000 “near-Earth” asteroids because of its proximity, carbon-rich composition, and relatively large size. It is also considered to have a high probability of coming into contact with Earth in the 22nd century.

A craft about the size of a large passenger van was launched into space in 2016 and is scheduled to return to Earth this September with a sample of Bennu’s surface.

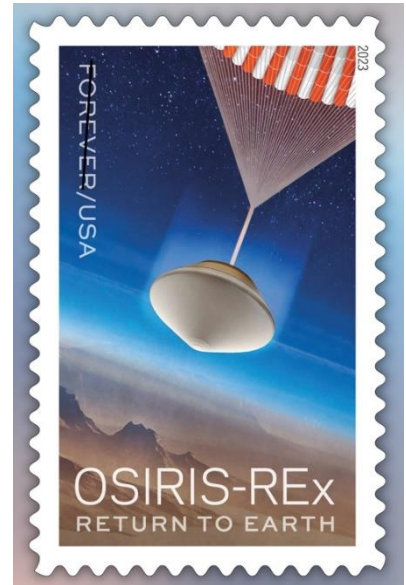
The mission’s moniker — as well as the stamp’s name — is OSIRIS-REx, which is an acronym for Origins, Spectral Interpretation, Resource Identification and Security — Regolith Explorer.

“Origins” refers to the study of the carbon-rich material the spacecraft collected; “Spectral Interpretation” means measuring the composition of that sample; “Resource Identification” refers to assessing potential fuel, oxygen, water and minerals on the asteroid; and “Security” relates to scientists’ calculating the odds that Bennu could collide with Earth.

The final part of the mission’s name, REX, short for “Regolith Explorer,” refers to the surface sample the spacecraft collected in 2020 and is bringing back to Earth. Regolith is a loose layer of the asteroid’s surface.

A release date has yet to be announced.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*



Summer Stamps - Release Dates, Locations Announced

The Postal Service will release the U.S. Flag stamp on April 10.

The Postal Service has announced release dates and dedication locations for stamps that will be issued from April through August:

- **U.S. Flag**, April 10, Freedom, ME; no ceremony
- **Waterfalls**, June 13, Yellowstone National Park, WY
- **Northern Cardinal Stamped Envelope**, July 9, Bird City, KS; no ceremony
- **John Lewis**, July 21, Atlanta
- **Life Magnified**, Aug. 10, Cleveland
- **Thinking of You**, Aug. 11, Cleveland
- **Bridges, Presorted First-Class**, Aug. 24, Portland, CT; no ceremony

USPS announced the bulk of its 2023 stamp program in October and December.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*



Architectural Icons - Railroad Stations Stamps Dedicated

From left, Janice Forte of Cincinnati Heritage Programs; Alicia Reece, Hamilton County Commission president; Dan Tangherlini, USPS Board of Governors member; Elizabeth Pierce, Cincinnati Museum Center president and CEO; John Lomax, a retired WKRC-TV news anchor; and Nick Cates of GBBN Architects unveil the Railroad Stations stamps.



The Postal Service celebrated new Forever stamps commemorating the nation's historic railroad stations in Cincinnati.

“We are fortunate to be in this awe-inspiring building, the Cincinnati Union Terminal, one of the five incredible train stations to be featured in the stamp series we are dedicating today,” said Dan Tangherlini, a member of the USPS Board of Governors, who served as the dedicating official. “This train station and the others on these stamps provide a majestic and significant history about these buildings that has led to their preservation, reactivation and reuse,” he said.

The other architecturally iconic stations are Pennsylvania's Tamaqua Station; Point of Rocks Station in Maryland; Main Street Station in Richmond, VA; and Santa Fe Station in San Bernardino, CA. All five stations are on the National Register of Historic Places.

The United States was still in its infancy when rail transportation became feasible in the 1820s.

The first stations were built in the early 1830s, and noteworthy stations began appearing by the 1870s.

Throughout the 19th and early 20th centuries, railroads were the only practical means of traveling long distances. And, like the postal system, railroads played an essential role in growing the economy and binding the nation together.

Art direction for the stamps was provided by Derry Noyes. Down the Street Designs created the images and typography.

The Railroad Stations stamps are available in panes of 20 at Post Offices and usps.com.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

Nobel Author - Toni Morrison Stamp Dedicated

Gene Jarrett, Princeton University faculty dean; Ruha Benjamin, professor of African American studies at Princeton; Chris Eisgruber, Princeton University president; Pritha Mehra, USPS chief information officer; Deborah Feingold, a photographer whose photo was used for the stamp; Carla Hayden, librarian of Congress; and Michael Cadden of Princeton's Lewis Center for the Arts unveil the Toni Morrison stamp.



The Postal Service celebrated the stamp release honoring literary giant Toni Morrison at Princeton University in New Jersey on March 7.

Morrison (1931-2019) was the rare author who achieved both critical and commercial success. Some of her best-known novels include “The Bluest Eye,” “Song of Solomon” and “Beloved,” which explored the diverse voices and multifaceted experiences of African Americans.

“One of the goals of our stamp program is to raise awareness and celebrate the people who represent the very best of our nation,” said Pritha Mehra, USPS chief information officer and executive vice president, who served as the dedicating official.

Morrison’s many honors include the National Book Critics Circle Award, the Pulitzer Prize for fiction, the National Humanities Medal and the Presidential Medal of Freedom. In 1993, she made history as the first African American woman to win the Nobel Prize in literature.

“It’s a privilege to represent the 650,000 men and women of the Postal Service as we honor Toni Morrison with one more tribute — our new stamp that will be seen by millions and forever remind us of the power of her words and the ideas she brought to the world,” Mehra said.

Joining Mehra for the ceremony were Chris Eisgruber, president of Princeton University; Carla Hayden, librarian of Congress; Gene Jarrett, faculty dean at Princeton; Ruha Benjamin, professor of African American studies at Princeton; and photographer Deborah Feingold, whose portrait of Morrison appears on the stamp.

Michael Cadden, a lecturer at Princeton’s Lewis Center for the Arts, was master of ceremonies.

The stamp features Feingold’s photograph of Toni Morrison against a bright yellow background. Ethel Kessler, an art director for USPS, designed the Forever stamp.

The Toni Morrison stamp is available in panes of 20 at Post Offices and usps.com.

Source: *USPS News Link – Washington, DC*

Mailers Technical Advisory Committee (MTAC)

The Postmaster General’s Mailers Technical Advisory Committee (MTAC) is a venue for the United States Postal Service (“Postal Service”) to share technical information with mailers. It’s also a great way to receive mailers advice and recommendations on matters concerning mail-related products and services, to enhance customer value and expand the use of these products and services for the mutual benefit of mailing industry stakeholders and the Postal Service. Don’t hesitate, reach out and get acquainted with MTAC today.

Check out our Web Site for more information at: <https://postalpro.usps.com/mtac>

Or for further information please contact the MTAC Program Manager at MTAC@usps.gov.

Upcoming Events...

Central & Westpac AIM Meeting

- **April 4, 2023**

National Postal Forum NPF

- **May 21-24, 2023 - Charlotte, NC**

MTAC dates for 2023:

- **July 18-20, 2023**
- **October 17-19, 2023**

For information contact: MTAC@usps.gov

National PCC Week

- **September 18 through September 22, 2023**

Now for a Quick Glance Forward

Here are some Fun Facts about April

April is known for beautiful spring weather, the start of warmer weather, and right about the time when the Easter bunny will make an appearance!

We know it is the fourth month of the year, but that's only by the Gregorian calendar that we adhere to now. It was previously the fifth month in the earlier Julian calendar.

April also only had 29 days, but a 30th day was added when Julius Caesar established the Julian calendar.

In the Southern Hemisphere, April is the seasonal equivalent of October.

No one is sure how the month ended up with its name, but we do know the Romans named it "Aprillis."

The etymology behind the word "April" comes from the verb "aperire," which means "to open." It's commonly believed that the word refers to the season of trees and flowers begin to "open" or bloom.

Those who were born in April have a diamond as their birthstone, which represents innocence. Their birth flower is either a Daisy or a Sweet Pea.

April is a great month for meteor showers. One of which is the Lyrids meteor shower, which appears from April 16th to April 26th each year. There's another one called the Eta Aquariids meteor shower that can be seen onwards from April 21st.

There are quite a few notable historical people born in April, such as Leonardo da Vinci, Shakespeare, and Queen Elizabeth II.

On April 14, 1912, the famous Titanic ship hit an iceberg and sank on her first and only voyage. George Washington was inaugurated as the First President of the United States on April 30, 1789.

One of the most well-known dates of the month is April Fools' Day on the 1st of the month. No one is sure where this originated from, but some believe it to be inspired by Geoffrey

Chaucer's story in "Canterbury Tales" called "Nun's Priest's Tale." Don't fall for any crazy pranks friends!!

Thanks so much for Reading!

Federal Register Notices:

Published in the Federal Register Mar 8, 2023

Mailing Currency (Doc # 2023-04475)

AGENCY: Postal Service

ACTION: Final Rule

SUMMARY: The Postal Service is amending Mailing Standards of the United States Postal Service, Domestic Mail Manual (DMM®) to clarify the standards for mailing currency.

DATES: Effective: April 30, 2023.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dale Kennedy at (202) 268-6592 or Garry Rodriguez at (202) 268-7281.

Published in the Federal Register Mar 8, 2023

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records (Doc # 2023-04339)

AGENCY: Postal Service

ACTION: Notice of modified systems of records.

SUMMARY: The United States Postal Service® (USPS) is proposing to revise one Customer Privacy Act System of Records (SOR). These modifications are being made to support an initiative that is intended to enhance the USPS shippers' customer experience and individual privacy protection when filing an online international inquiry. The USPS International Assistant (IA) initiative will improve the efficiency of the identity verification process by streamlining name and address verification as described below.

DATES: These revisions will become effective without further notice on April 7, 2023, unless in response to comments received on or before that date result in a contrary determination.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Janine Castorina, Chief Privacy and Records Management Officer, Privacy and Records Management Office, via (uspsprivacyfedregnotice@usps.gov or 202-268-2000).

Published in the Federal Register Mar 2, 2023

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records (Doc # 2023-04225)

AGENCY: Postal Service

ACTION: Notice of a revised system of records.

SUMMARY: The United States Postal Service® (USPS) is proposing to revise a General Privacy Act System of Records to support the upgrade of a secure board portal software that provides leadership with instant access to the information they need before, during and after meetings, making board and committee interactions more efficient and productive.

DATES: These revisions will become effective without further notice on April 3, 2023 unless comments received on or before that date result in a contrary determination.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Janine Castorina, Chief Privacy and Records Management Officer, Privacy and Records Management Office, uspsprivacyfedregnotice@usps.gov.

Negotiated Service Agreements:

International Product Changes-**International Priority Airmail, Commercial ePacket, Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International and First-Class Package International** with Reseller Agreement: **3/11/2023 – (Doc# 2023-05081)**

International Product Changes-**International Priority Airmail, Commercial ePacket, Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International and First-Class Package International** Service with Reseller Agreement:

International Product Changes-**International Priority Airmail, International Service Air Lift, Commercial ePacket, Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International and First-Class Package International** Service with Reseller Agreement:

International Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International & Commercial ePacket Duty and Tax** Chargeback Agreement:

International Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International and First-Class Package International** Service Agreement: **3/24/2023 – (Doc# 2023-06065), 3/24/2023 – (Doc# 2023-06074)**

International Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International, First-Class Package International** Service and Commercial ePacket Agreement:

International Product Changes-**International Priority Airmail, Commercial ePacket, Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International and First-Class Package International** Service with Reseller Agreement:

International Product Changes-**International Priority Airmail** Agreement:

International Product Changes-**Competitive Multi-Service Commercial Contracts 1:**

International Mailing Services-**Price Changes and Minor Classification Changes:**

Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service and Parcel Select Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail and First-Class Package Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express, Priority Mail and Parcel Select Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express and Priority Mail** *Negotiated Service Agreements:* 3/2/2023 – (Doc# 2023-04213), 3/22/2023 – (Doc# 2023-05814)

Product Changes-**Priority Mail Express** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Priority Mail** *Negotiated Service Agreements:* 3/22/2023 – (Doc# 2023-05810), 3/29/2023 – (Doc# 2023-06523), 3/29/2023 – (Doc# 2023-06528)

Product Changes-**Priority Mail and First-Class Package Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Priority Mail, First-Class Package Service, and Parcel Select** *Negotiated Service Agreements:* 3/9/2023 – (Doc# 2023-04826)

Product Changes-**Priority Mail and Parcel Select** *Negotiated Service Agreements:* 3/22/2023 – (Doc# 2023-05809)

Product Changes-**Priority Mail and Parcel Select and Parcel Return Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**First-Class Package Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**First-Class Package Service and Parcel Select Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:* 3/22/2023 – (Doc# 2023-05813)

Product Changes-**Parcel Select** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Parcel Select and Parcel Return Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Product Changes-**Parcel Return Service** *Negotiated Service Agreements:*

Postal Bulletins:

Postal Bulletin 22620 dated 3/23/2023

POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND FORMS UPDATES

Manuals

DMM Notice: Grace-Period Extension to Pay PO Box Renewal Fees Rescinded

DMM Revision: Mailing Currency

Postal Bulletin 22619 dated 3/9/2023

POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND FORMS UPDATES

Manuals

DMM Revision: Using Return Addresses

IMM Revision: Individual Country Listing for Egypt

IMM Revision: Individual Country Listing for Japan

Publications

Publication 431 Revision: Changes to Post Office Box Service and Caller Service Fee Groups

Additional Resources:

FRN: [Federal Register](#)

[Notices](#)

PB: [Postal Bulletin](#)

PE: [Postal Explorer](#) is a mailer's resource for all information contained in the [Domestic Mail Manual](#) (DMM), [International Mail Manual](#) (IMM), [Publication 52](#), Hazardous, Restricted, and Perishable Mail.

PostalPro: [PostalPro](#) is a mailer's resource for other information (i.e., Mailing and Shipping, Operations, Industry Forum, Certifications, Resources).

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