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July 25, 2023

Board Memo 089-2023: Mail Processing Facility Reviews and Notice of Public Meetings

Executive Board,

NAPS HQ has been informed of USPS intent to conduct Mail Processing Facility Reviews at two locations in Georgia and two locations in Oregon. Attached are notices to the public announcing public meetings were communicated yesterday. Please see locations below.

- Augusta, Georgia P&DC into the Atlanta, GA RPDC
- Macon, GA P&DC into the Atlanta, GA RPDC
- Eugene, Oregon P&DC into the Portland, OR RPDC
- Medford, OR P&DF into the Portland, OR RPDC

Please share this information with your membership.

Thank you, and be safe.

NAPS Headquarters

LABOR RELATIONS



July 24, 2023

Mr. Ivan Butts
President
National Association of Postal Supervisors
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Dear Ivan:

This is in further reference to the Postal Service's July 12 correspondence announcing its intent to conduct Mail Processing Facility Reviews (MPFR) at two locations in Georgia and two locations in Oregon. These reviews were conducted at the following locations:

- Augusta, Georgia Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) into the Atlanta, GA RPDC
- Macon, GA P&DC into the Atlanta, GA RPDC
- Eugene, Oregon P&DC into the Portland, OR RPDC
- Medford, OR Processing and Distribution Facility (P&DF) into the Portland, OR RPDC

The initial results of all four facility reviews support the business case for keeping each facility open and modernized as a Local Processing Center. The next step is to provide notice of a public meeting to the public. Enclosed are the following communication materials that are intended to be communicated today concerning the notice to the public:

- Service talk to employees in the four locations
- Notice of Public Meeting
- Press Release

Please contact Tomica Duplessis at ext. 3073 if you have questions regarding the matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bruce Nicholson", written over the word "Sincerely,".

Bruce Nicholson
Director
Labor Relations Policies and Programs

Enclosures

[MPFR PROPOSAL PUBLIC MEETING EMPLOYEE SERVICE TALK]

**SERVICE TALK
PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD ON AUGUSTA P&DC
MAIL PROCESSING FACILITY REVIEW**

On July 12, we notified you that we were beginning a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) at the Augusta Processing and Distribution Center to see if it would make sense to transfer some mail operations into the new Atlanta Regional Processing and Distribution Center.

As you may be aware, the Postal Service is investing heavily in its Georgia operations as it moves to modernize the nation's aging and outmoded postal network and achieve the organization's goal of 95% on-time delivery nationwide. As part of our 10-year strategic plan, Delivering for America, USPS opened a new Sorting and Delivery Center in Athens, GA, late last year and we are currently preparing to open a new, state of the art, 1-million-square-foot RPDC in Palmetto — the first facility of its kind in the nation.

The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Augusta facility open and modernized as a Local Processing Center. The Augusta LPC will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Atlanta RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Atlanta RPDC.

We will hold a public meeting to explain the proposed changes, and to discuss any oral/ written comments submitted by the public thus far, on Wednesday, August 9, 3–5pm, at the Augusta Marriott at the Convention Center, 2 Tenth St, Augusta, GA 30901. A summary of the MPFR will be posted on usps.com on August 2, 2023, one week prior to public input meeting. Attendance will be voluntary and off-the clock for employees that choose to attend.

Any proposed changes must be approved by the Regional Vice President and Vice President Mail Processing and Maintenance Operations before they can be implemented. Comments on the proposal from employees and the public will be considered before any decision is made.

You also can submit your comments on the study up to 15 days after the public meeting.

Comments may be submitted to:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/mpfr-augusta-ga>

I will keep you informed about any future developments regarding this MPFR proposal.

[MPFR PROPOSAL PUBLIC MEETING EMPLOYEE SERVICE TALK]

**SERVICE TALK
PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD ON MACON P&DC
MAIL PROCESSING FACILITY REVIEW**

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The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Macon facility open and modernized as a Local Processing Center. The Macon LPC will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Atlanta RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Atlanta RPDC.

We will hold a public meeting to explain the proposed changes, and to discuss any oral/ written comments submitted by the public thus far, on Tuesday, August 8, 3–5pm, at Macon Marriott City Center, 240 Coliseum Drive, Macon, GA 31217. A summary of the MPFR will be posted on usps.com on August 1, 2023, one week prior to public input meeting. Attendance will be voluntary and off-the clock for employees that choose to attend.

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[MPFR PROPOSAL PUBLIC MEETING EMPLOYEE SERVICE TALK]

**SERVICE TALK
PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD ON EUGENE P&DC
MAIL PROCESSING FACILITY REVIEW**

On July 12, we notified you that we were beginning a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) at the Eugene Processing and Distribution Center to see if it would make sense to transfer some mail operations into the new Portland Regional Processing and Distribution Center.

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The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Eugene facility open and modernized as a Local Processing Center. The Eugene LPC will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Portland RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Portland RPDC.

We will hold a public meeting to explain the proposed changes, and to discuss any oral/ written comments submitted by the public thus far, on Tuesday, August 8, 3-5pm, at the Holiday Inn Express: Eugene/Springfield, 919 Kruse Way, Springfield, OR 97477. A summary of the MPFR will be posted on usps.com on August 1, 2023, one week prior to public input meeting. Attendance will be voluntary and off-the clock for employees that choose to attend.

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**SERVICE TALK
PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD ON MEDFORD P&DC
MAIL PROCESSING FACILITY REVIEW**

On July 12, we notified you that we were beginning a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) at the Medford OR Processing and Distribution Center to see if it would make sense to transfer some mail operations into the new Portland OR Regional Processing and Distribution Center.

As you may know, the Postal Service is investing heavily in its Oregon operations as it moves to modernize the nation's aging and outmoded postal network and achieve the organization's goal of 95% on-time delivery nationwide. As part of its 10-year strategic plan, Delivering for America, USPS anticipates opening its new, state of the art RPDC in Portland later this year – one of the first facilities of its kind in the nation.

The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Medford facility open and modernized as a Local Processing Center. The Medford LPC will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Portland RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Portland RPDC.

We will hold a public meeting to explain the proposed changes, and to discuss any oral/ written comments submitted by the public thus far, on Wednesday, August 9, 3-5pm, at the Hilton Garden Inn Medford, 1000 Welcome Way, Medford OR 97504. A summary of the MPFR will be posted on usps.com on August 2, 2023, one week prior to public input meeting. Attendance will be voluntary and off-the clock for employees that choose to attend.

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**Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR)
Notice of Public Input Meeting
Augusta GA P&DC to Atlanta GA RPDC**

July 24, 2023

As part of Delivering for America™, the 10-year Postal Service™ plan to modernize the nation's aging postal network, a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Augusta GA Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) to the new Atlanta GA Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC). The initial results of the analysis support the business case for transferring some mail processing operations to the Atlanta RPDC and repositioning the Augusta facility as a Local Processing Center (LPC). This MPFR, currently in review at United States Postal Service® Headquarters and its Regional Office, is subject to change.

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Business Case:

The Postal Service is investing heavily in its Georgia operations as it moves to modernize the nation's aging and outmoded postal network and to achieve the organization's goal of 95% on-time delivery across all mail products. As part of its 10-year strategic plan, Delivering for America, USPS opened a new Sorting and Delivery Center in Athens, GA, late last year and is currently building a new, state-of-the-art, 1-million-square-foot RPDC in Palmetto — the first facility of its kind in the nation.

The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Augusta facility open and modernizing the facility as a Local Processing Center with simplified processes and standardized layouts. The Augusta Local Processing Center will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Atlanta RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Atlanta RPDC.

Facility Future:

The Augusta facility will remain open and will be modernized. It will be repositioned as a Local Processing Center for performing Destinating mail processing.

Local Customer Considerations:

- Retail and other services currently available at the Augusta facility will not change.
- Business mail acceptance will remain the same.
- A local postmark will continue to be available at retail post offices.
- Delivery times of mail to residences and businesses should not change because of the MPFR.

Commercial Mailers:

- Mailers who presort mail will continue to receive appropriate postage discounts.
- Mailers who drop ship to Destination Sectional Center Facility (DSCF) can expect no changes if the MPFOR is approved.

Written comments may be submitted at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/mpfr-augusta-ga>

All comments must be received by August 24, 2023.

**Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR)
Notice of Public Input Meeting
Macon GA P&DC to Atlanta GA RPDC**

July 24, 2023

As part of Delivering for America™, the 10-year Postal Service™ plan to modernize the nation's aging postal network, a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Macon GA Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) to the new Atlanta GA Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC). The initial results of the analysis support the business case for transferring some mail processing operations to the Atlanta RPDC and repositioning the Macon facility as a Local Processing Center (LPC). This MPFR, currently in review at United States Postal Service® Headquarters and its Regional Office, is subject to change.

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Business Case:

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The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Macon facility open and modernizing the facility as a Local Processing Center with simplified processes and standardized layouts. The Macon Local Processing Center will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Atlanta RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Atlanta RPDC.

Facility Future:

The Macon facility will remain open and will be modernized. It will be repositioned as a Local Processing Center for performing Destinating mail processing.

Local Customer Considerations:

- Retail and other services currently available at the Macon facility will not change.
- Business mail acceptance will remain the same.
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All comments must be received by August 23, 2023.

**Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR)
Notice of Public Input Meeting
Medford OR P&DC to Portland OR RPDC**

July 24, 2023

As part of Delivering for America™, the 10-year Postal Service™ plan to modernize the nation's aging postal network, a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Medford OR Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) to the new Portland OR Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC). The initial results of the analysis support the business case for transferring some mail processing operations to the Portland RPDC and repositioning the Medford facility as a Local Processing Center (LPC). This MPFR, currently in review at United States Postal Service® Headquarters and its Regional Office, is subject to change.

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Business Case:

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The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Medford facility open and modernizing the facility as a Local Processing Center (LPC) with simplified processes and standardized layouts. The Medford LPC will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Portland RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Portland RPDC.

Facility Future:

The Medford facility will remain open and will be modernized. It will be repositioned as a Local Processing Center for performing Destinating mail processing.

Local Customer Considerations:

- Retail and other services currently available at the Medford facility will not change.
- Business mail acceptance will remain the same.
- A local postmark will continue to be available at retail post offices.
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Commercial Mailers:

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All comments must be received by August 24, 2023.

**Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR)
Notice of Public Input Meeting
Eugene OR P&DC to Portland OR RPDC**

July 24, 2023

As part of Delivering for America™, the 10-year Postal Service™ plan to modernize the nation's aging postal network, a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Eugene OR Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) to the new Portland OR Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC). The initial results of the analysis support the business case for transferring some mail processing operations to the Portland RPDC and repositioning the Eugene facility as a Local Processing Center (LPC). This MPFR, currently in review at United States Postal Service® Headquarters and its Regional Office, is subject to change.

A public meeting will be held to share the initial results of the study, to discuss any written comments submitted by the public thus far, and to allow members of the community to provide additional oral feedback. The public's input will be considered prior to a final decision. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 8, 3-5pm, at the Holiday Inn Express: Eugene/Springfield, 919 Kruse Way, Springfield OR 97477. A summary of the MPFR will be posted on usps.com on August 1, 2023, one week prior to public input meeting. Below are some preliminary highlights from the study:

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Facility Future:

The Eugene facility will remain open and will be modernized. It will be repositioned as a Local Processing Center for performing Destinating mail processing.

Local Customer Considerations:

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POSTAL NEWS

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USPS Proposes Improvements to Augusta Processing Facility

Facility to remain open and modernized as a Local Processing Center

Public meeting to be held Aug. 9

USPS investing heavily in Georgia in effort to modernize nation's aging postal network and achieve goal of 95% on-time delivery nationwide

AUGUSTA, GA — The United States Postal Service is conducting a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) of processing operations at its Augusta Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC). The review was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Augusta, GA, P&DC to the new Atlanta, GA, Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC).

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MEDFORD, OR — The United States Postal Service is conducting a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) of processing operations at its Medford Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC). The review was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Medford P&DC to the new Portland Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC).

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Public meeting to be held Aug. 8

USPS investing heavily in Oregon in effort to modernize nation's aging postal network and achieve goal of 95% on-time delivery nationwide

EUGENE, OR — The United States Postal Service is conducting a Mail Processing Facility Review (MPFR) of processing operations at its Eugene Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC). The review was initiated to evaluate moving some of the mail processing operations from the Eugene P&DC to the new Portland Regional Processing and Distribution Center (RPDC).

The Postal Service is investing heavily in its Oregon operations as it moves to modernize the nation's aging and outmoded postal network and to achieve the organization's goal of 95% on-time delivery across all mail products. As part of its 10-year strategic plan, Delivering for America, USPS is currently building a new, state of the art RPDC in Portland — one of the first facilities of its kind in the nation.

The initial results of the facility review support the business case for keeping the Eugene facility open and modernizing the facility as a Local Processing Center (LPC) with simplified processes and standardized layouts. The Eugene LPC will be a critical node in connecting mail to the new Portland RPDC. Additionally, the business case supports transferring some mail processing operations to the Portland RPDC.

A public meeting will be held Tuesday, Aug. 8, 3-5pm, at the Holiday Inn Express Eugene/Springfield, 919 Kruse Way, Springfield, to share the initial results of the study, to discuss any comments submitted by the public thus far, and to allow members of the community to provide additional oral feedback. A summary of the MPFR will be posted on usps.com on August 1, 2023, one week prior to public input meeting. Members of the local community may submit written comments at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/mpfr-eugene-or> through Aug. 23. The public's input will be considered prior to a final decision.

The Postal Service will continue to work closely with its unions and management associations throughout the facility review process. This MPFR, currently in review at USPS Headquarters and its Regional Office, is subject to change. The Postal Service will continually monitor the impact of any changes that are implemented and will adjust plans as necessary and appropriate.

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