January 27, 2021

Mr. Brian J. Wagner  
President  
National Association of Postal Supervisors  
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Alexandria, VA 22314-2753

Dear Brian:

As a matter of general interest, the Postal Service intends to conduct a proof of concept test regarding the use of Autonomous Mobile Robots (AMRs) in a plant environment.

The proof of concept test will consist of utilizing AMRs to transport mail, which is otherwise transported using Powered Industrial Vehicles (PIVs), to and from various locations within the plant environment.

The proof of concept test will be conducted at the Phoenix, Arizona Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) and is expected to last up to four weeks.

Installation of the AMRs is expected to begin on March 1 and the proof of concept test will begin following installation.

Please contact Mike Faber at 215-432-0613 if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

Shannon R. Richardson  
A/Manager  
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