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Mr. Ivan Butts
President
National Association of Postal Supervisors
1727 King Street, Suite 400
Alexandria, VA 22314-2753

Dear Ivan:

As a matter of general interest, the Postal Service plans to test the Rivian Delivery 500 vehicle. The Rivian Delivery 500 is a battery-electric Commercial Off the Shelf (COTS) vehicle with almost 500 cubic feet of cargo space. The purpose of this test is to determine the effectiveness of the vehicle on carrier routes currently used by ProMaster vans.

The test will be conducted March 25 through April 26 at the Vienna Post Office located at 200 Lawyers Road, Vienna, VA 22180. During the test, this vehicle will be operated by employees who normally operate the ProMaster vans. Driver training for the Rivian Delivery 500 vehicle is scheduled to begin March 18.

Enclosed are photos of the Rivian Delivery 500 vehicle.

Please contact Lindsey A. Butler at extension 7194 if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "B. Nicholson".

Bruce A. Nicholson
Director
Labor Relations Policies and Programs

Enclosure

RIVIAN Delivery 500

