

## February 2012 Report

Good morning Brothers and Sisters

We have a labor Management meeting on February 22, 2012 to talk about issues we face in the Plant and Customer service. I have meet with In-Plant support on jobs, the holiday schedule, and a few other issues. Had a meeting with Mike Haggerty we talked about what will be happening once the moratorium ends on Plant consolidations and he was going to give a stand up talk on what will be happen if the consolidation goes through.

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In a meeting with the APWU on Feb. 13, postal officials notified the APWU that they plan to begin consolidating mail processing facilities as soon as the moratorium on consolidations ends. The moratorium is set to expire on May 15.

Top-level postal managers were unable – or unwilling – to specify which mail processing centers would be closed immediately. Decisions will be made at the end of February, they said.

Senate Bill S. 1789

Send a quick message telling both your Senators that the postal reform bill, S. 1789, is not acceptable in its current form. Several crucial amendments need to be made to S. 1789. With the future viability of the Post office on the line, the stakes for postal workers have never been higher.

1. Maintain 1-3 day delivery standards for 1<sup>st</sup> class mail
2. Protect Rural Post Offices
3. Maintain 6 day delivery

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