

## Welcome

#### Lincoln, NE Area Mail Processing (AMP) Public Meeting June 2, 2011





- Video Presentation -Area Mail Processing (AMP)
- USPS Management Presentation
- Public Comments
- Meeting Close





### **AMP Video Presentation**



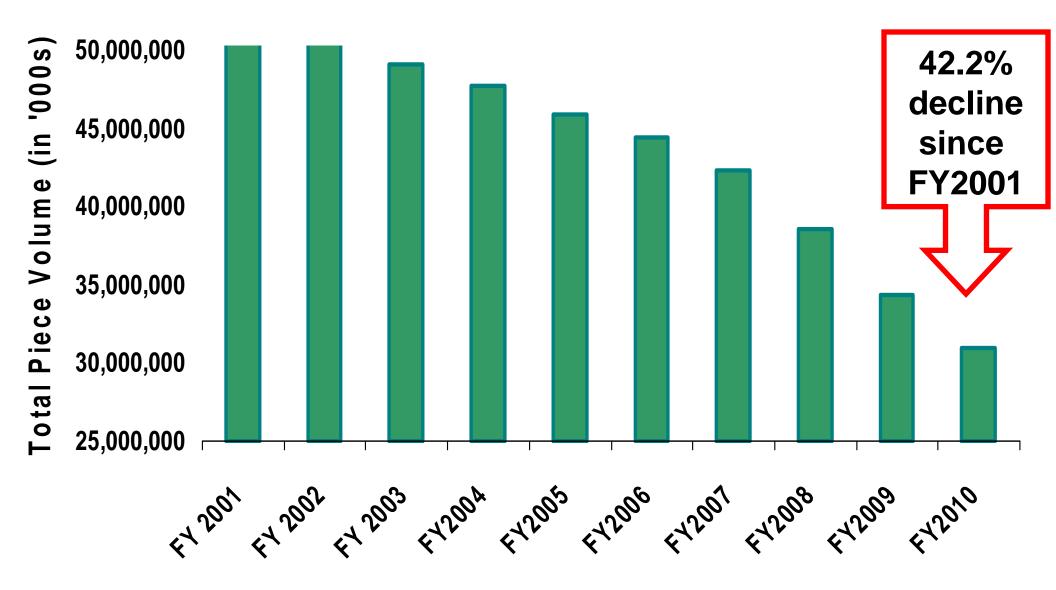
- AMP (Area Mail Processing)
  Consolidation of all outgoing or all incoming mail processing operations from one or more facilities into other automated processing facilities for the purpose of improving operational efficiency and/or service.
- Effective process used for decades to help us adjust to changes in the environment



- Postal Service faces "Acute Financial Crisis"
- Impacts due to the rise in Electronic Communications
- Economic Recession
- Change in Mail Mix
  - Increase in Work Sharing and Drop Shipments
  - Decrease in First-Class Mail Volume



#### The Need for Change



First-Class Single Piece

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#### **Benefits of Consolidation**

- Puts the Right People in the Right Location with the Right Resources
- Utilizes Equipment Efficiently
- Reduces Overall Costs
- Does Not Affect Customer Services
- Supports Our Network Plan





- Office Inspector General (OIG) validated the new AMP process calling it credible and sound
- Recent OIG audits show AMP consolidations were prudent business decisions
- General Accounting Office (GAO) Report stated we consistently follow the AMP process



Service Standards for First-Class Mail

-Minimal Changes to Service

- Customer & Delivery Services
  - -Delivery Services
  - -Customer Services
    - Retail Hours
    - Business Mail Acceptance
    - Drop Shipment





#### • Jobs

-Impacted Jobs

#### Community Identity

- -Local Postmark Remains Available
- -Meter and Permit Indicia Do Not Change



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#### **Business Case**<sup>\*</sup>

- Approximately \$1,203,249 annual savings
- Workhour savings of \$1,020,648
- Maintenance savings of \$182,601
- Transportation neutral



#### **Potential employee impact<sup>\*</sup>**

- Projected net decrease of 11 positions
- Reassignments will be made in accordance with union collective bargaining agreements

\* Preliminary results subject to change



#### **Benefits from consolidation**

- Annual savings
- Maximize resources
- Reduce excess capacity
- Eliminate duplicate operations
- Focus on remaining operations



- No changes to delivery times
- No changes to retail services
- No changes to meter and permit indicia
- Potential time change for business mail acceptance
- Commercial mailers will continue to get appropriate postage discounts





- Reduces Costs
- Improves Efficiency
- Puts the Right People in the Right Location with the Right Resources
- Transparent to Customer Services
- Supports our Strategic Plan



# If you wish to comment or have a question, please come to the microphone and state your:

#### Name Affiliation Comment or Question

Speakers are limited to two minutes, one opportunity per individual.

Please be courteous



#### Mail additional comments to:

## Manager, Consumer Affairs Central Plains District PO Box 199504 Omaha, NE 68119-9504

#### Must be postmarked by June 17, 2011



# Thank you!