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## MESSAGE FROM THE POSTMASTER GENERAL

### Help Fight and Build Awareness — Promote Sales of the Breast Cancer Research Stamp

In July of this year, the U.S. Postal Service for the first time issued a stamp — the *Breast Cancer Research Stamp* — not only to increase awareness of breast cancer, but also to help in funding the fight to cure this deadly disease. October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and I want to encourage everyone in our stations, branches, post offices, and retail units to aggressively promote and sell this stamp.

Sadly, too many of us know women who have been stricken by this disease; however, our efforts to promote and sell this stamp just might make a difference in research efforts or in encouraging women to see their physicians regularly and to have annual mammograms to facilitate early detection, diagnosis, and treatment.

The issuance of the *Breast Cancer Research Stamp* has historical significance as it is the first time a stamp — known as a “semipostal” — has been issued in which a portion of its price will go directly to a charitable cause. The Postal Service continues a long tradition of issuing stamps that call attention to social and health-related causes.

Remember, too, that seven million people travel through our postal lobbies every day, and through your efforts, our customers can help us fund the fight to find a cure for breast cancer. Please be mindful of your stamp supplies and re-order in anticipation of sales.



**WILLIAM J. HENDERSON**  
POSTMASTER GENERAL/CEO

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# Customer Relations

## Mail Alert

The mailings below will be deposited in the near future. Offices should honor the requested home delivery dates. Mailers wishing to participate in these alerts, for mailings of

1 million pieces or more, should contact Customer Relations Program Management at 202-268-5885 at least 1 month preceding the requested delivery dates.

Title of Mailings	Class and Type of Mail	Requested Delivery Date	Number of Pieces (Millions)	Distribution	Presort Level	Comments
BJ's Wholesale Club — Brown Kraft package	Standard A/ltr	10/5–10/15	3.0	East Coast	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit, basic, barcode	Time sensitive
Billy Graham Letter	Standard A/ltr	10/5–10/16	1.8	Nationwide	3/5-digit, barcode	3 7/8" x 7 1/8", Minneapolis, MN
JC Penney — Fall 25% Privilege	Standard A/ltr	10/6–10/8	3.2	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
Eddie Bauer — Fall Sale IH1	Standard A/flat	10/7–10/9	3.1	Nationwide	3-digit, SCF	Harte-Hanks, 5 3/8" x 7"
JC Penney — Holiday Home Fashion	Standard A/flat	10/8–10/10	13.8	Nationwide	Car-Rt	RR Donnelley
Bloomingdale's — Total Fall Sale	Standard A/flat	10/8–10/13	1.3	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit, barcode	Case Hoyt, 8 3/8" x 10 7/8"
JC Penney — Fall 25% Rollout	Standard A/ltr	10/11–10/14	30.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
The Territory Ahead — Holiday	Standard A/flat	10/12–10/15	1.2	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit	Quad Graphics, 64 pages
Eddie Bauer — Winter Resource	Standard A/flat	10/12–10/15	5.6	Nationwide	3-digit, SCF	RR Donnelley, Warsaw
Seventh Avenue	Standard A/flat	10/12–10/15	1.2	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit, basic, barcode	9 1/4" x 6 1/2"
LL Bean 1998 — Christmas Prospect October	Standard A/flat	10/13–10/15	3.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 5-digit, basic	7 7/8" x 8 15/16", 92 pages
LL Bean 1998 — October Classics	Standard A/flat	10/13–10/15	2.6	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 5-digit, basic	7 7/8" x 10 1/2", 149 pages
JC Penney — 1/2 Price Clearance Top 10	Standard A/ltr	10/13–10/15	3.6	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Gaines & Hansen
Coldwater Creek — Spirit of the West	Standard A/flat	10/13–10/15	2.8	Nationwide	3/5-digit	RR Donnelley, Lancaster, PA
Coldwater Creek — Milepost Four	Standard A/flat	10/13–10/15	1.7	Nationwide	3/5-digit	RR Donnelley, Lancaster, PA
1998 Hot Off The Ice	Standard A/flat	10/13–10/17	1.1	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit, basic	Quebecor Printing, Olive Branch, MS
Service Merchandise — Telecom	Standard A/flat	10/19–10/20	4.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit	RR Donnelley, Lynchburg, VA
Coldwater Creek — Northcountry	Standard A/flat	10/19–10/21	2.1	Nationwide	3/5-digit	RR Donnelley, Warsaw
Midnight Velvet	Standard A/flat	10/19–10/22	1.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit, barcode	7 15/16" x 10 1/4"
Current — Christmas 1998	Standard A/flat	10/19–10/23	4.1	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 3/5-digit, basic	8" x 10"

Title of Mailings	Class and Type of Mail	Requested Delivery Date	Number of Pieces (Millions)	Distribution	Presort Level	Comments
LL Bean — 1998 Christmas Home Camp	Standard A/flat	10/20–10/22	1.4	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 5-digit, basic	7 7/8" x 8 15/16", 112 pages
LL Bean — 1998 Winter Sporting I	Standard A/flat	10/20–10/22	2.8	Nationwide	Car-Rt, 5-digit, basic	7 15/16" x 10 1/2", 110 pages
JC Penney — Million \$ Jewelry	Standard A/flat	10/20–10/22	9.0	Nationwide	Car-Rt	Harte-Hanks
Barrie Pace — Holiday 1998	Standard A/flat	10/20–10/22	1.2	Nationwide	Car-Rt	RR Donnelley
JC Penney — Holiday Gift Sale	Standard A/flat	10/22–10/24	10.6	Nationwide	Car-Rt	RR Donnelley

—Customer Relations, Marketing, 10-8-98

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## Have You Seen Any of These Children?

Please participate in the NALC/USPS Child Alert Program. Tear out this page and carry it with you. If you have information on any of these missing children, tell your postal supervisor.



**Tabitha Brewer**  
Born: 8-22-81  
Date Missing: 4-27-98  
Missing From: Shawnee, KS



**Kamiyah Mobley**  
Born: 7-10-98  
Date Missing: 7-10-98  
Missing From: Jacksonville, FL



**Victoria Lopez**  
Born: 12-18-95  
Date Missing: 9-17-97  
Missing From: Kilgore, TX



**Shannon O'Sullivan**  
Born: 2-14-97  
Date Missing: 3-14-98  
Missing From: Sebastian, FL



**Lydia Storr**  
Born: 10-15-91  
Date Missing: 3-14-98  
Missing From: Sebastian, FL



**Bonnie Broadus**  
Born: 11-9-81  
Date Missing: 5-1-98  
Missing From: Joaquin, TX

**Please call the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children  
Hot Line 1-800-843-5678  
TDD 1-800-826-7653**

### **Missing Children Poster Display Instructions**

Please display this poster prominently on bulletin boards in retail lobbies of main post offices, classified stations, and branches. Operators of contract postal units may display this poster at their option.

Companion posters, authorized for display on bulletin boards maintained by employee organizations, appear periodically in *The Postal Record*, a publication for members of the National Association of Letter Carriers.

This poster is published in cooperation with the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, the United States Department of Justice, and the National Association of Letter Carriers. Information appearing on this poster is selected solely by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. For policy and information on Postal Service support in efforts to recover missing children, see *Postal Bulletin* 21967 (3-12-98).

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**Renita Frye**  
Born: 1-17-82  
Date Missing: 3-8-97  
Missing From: Gig Harbor, WA



**Marissa Estupinan**  
Born: 10-8-84  
Date Missing: 6-22-98  
Missing From: Eugene, OR



**Rebecca Giggar**  
Born: 12-9-81  
Date Missing: 7-18-98  
Missing From: Hamilton, MT



**Melissa Love**  
Born: 2-13-81  
Date Missing: 6-17-98  
Missing From: Udall, KS



**Crystal Massey**  
Age Progression to 17 Years  
Born: 9-10-80  
Date Missing: 6-1-96  
Missing From: Ft. Myers, FL



**Tiffany Tomlinson**  
Born: 7-13-83  
Date Missing: 7-13-98  
Missing From: Silver Spring, MD

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**Jenele Williams**  
 Born: 12-14-82  
 Date Missing: 5-2-98  
 Missing From: Kissimmee, FL



**Odalys Cruz-Maldonado**  
 Born: 7-8-98  
 Date Missing: 7-12-98  
 Missing From: Humacao, PR

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# Domestic Mail

## DMM NOTICE

### Changes for Application for Post Office Box or Caller Service (PS Form 1093)

Effective July 31, 1998, *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) D910.2.2 and D910.2.3 were amended to revise the requirements when applying for a post office box or caller service. Two forms of identification will now be required. One must bear a photo. Social Security cards are not acceptable as a valid means of identification. Identification of physical address will also be required.

These amendments will appear in DMM 54, which is scheduled for release January 10, 1999.

## Domestic Mail Manual (DMM)

### D Deposit, Collection, and Delivery

#### D900 Other Delivery Services

#### D910 Post Office Box Service

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### 2.0 SERVICE

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[Add new 2.2 to read as follows; redesignate current 2.2 as 2.4; redesignate current 2.4 as 2.3 and amend first sentence to read as follows; and redesignate current 2.3 as 2.5.]

### 2.2 Verification

At the time of application customers must present two types of valid identification, one photo bearing and the other showing the applicant's signature and a serial number or other indicia that can be traced to the bearer. Social Security cards are not valid forms of identification. Each person or representative of an organization authorized to receive mail at a specific post office box or caller number must also provide two forms of identification.

### 2.3 Proof of Physical Address

An applicant for post office box service, each person or representative of an organization authorized to receive mail at a specific post office box or caller number, or a current box customer seeking renewal must identify his or her physical address (i.e., an individual's residence or a business location) to the postmaster of the office where service is sought or provided.\* . \* \*

—Retail Operations Support, Retail, 10-8-98

## NOTICE

### PS Form 1093 Has Been Revised

Customers applying for a post office box or caller service must submit a revised PS Form 1093, *Application for Post Office Box or Caller Service*, dated July 1998 (see page 12).

The following changes have been made to PS Form 1093:

**Item 9** Enter two types of identification and ID nos. — one must be photo bearing (*Driver's license, military ID, other*)

[*The person accepting the application must ensure that customers provide two types of identification, one bearing a photo, when submitting PS Form 1093.*]

**Item 11** Check eligibility for carrier delivery

- a. City
- b. Rural
- c. HCR
- d. None

[*Due to the new policy on no-fee box service, this item has been added to verify eligibility for no-fee box service.*]

**Item 14** Identification and physical address verified by (*Initials*)

[*The person accepting the application must verify **two** forms of identification, one bearing a photo, and the physical address of the applicant, and must enter her or his initials in the space provided.*]

**Item 15** Postmaster: The following named persons or representatives of the organization listed below are authorized to accept mail addressed to this (these) post office box(es) or caller number(s). Valid identification and proof of physical address must be provided with each name. Continue on back if necessary.

[*Each person or representative of an organization authorized to receive mail at a specific post office box or caller number must provide two forms of identification, one bearing a photo, and proof of physical address.*]

Note that postmasters and station managers must exhaust current supplies of PS Form 1093 before ordering the revised form.

—Retail Operations Support, Retail, 10-8-98

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***Apply for Post Office Box Service!***

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*The safe and  
convenient way  
to get your mail*



## Why Not Use a Box?

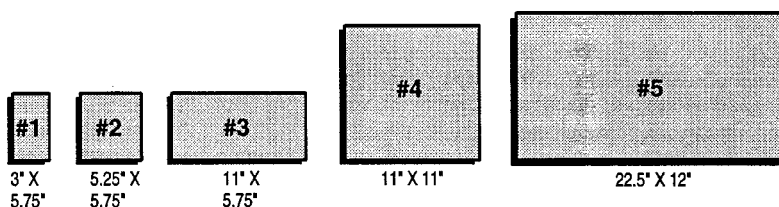
**M**any people have discovered that post office box service is a safe, convenient way to receive their mail. People who run a club, business, or professional organization find that post office box service gives them more room for higher volumes of mail.

If your organization gets an extra-large volume of mail, caller service is the answer. Inquire about caller service at your post office.

**Benefits.** With either service, you can enjoy these benefits:

- **Early Morning Mail.** You can generally pick up your mail first thing in the morning and take care of business earlier in the day. Of course, you may also pick up your mail later in the day, if you prefer.
- **Security.** You can rest assured that checks, dividend payments, and other valuable correspondence are secure.
- **Separate Business Address.** You can separate your business mail from your personal mail. That makes it easier for you to keep track of checks, orders, responses, and important correspondence.
- **Accessibility.** You can easily retrieve your mail during post office operating hours. In addition, some of our lobbies and box sections are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Check with your local post office for more information.
- **Travel Convenience.** You can go away on short business or vacation trips without worrying about your mail.

**Sizes for All.** We offer several box sizes for different fees. (Some post offices may not have every size.) The approximate sizes are shown here:



**Obtaining Box Service.** It's simple! Just fill in the two-part tear-out card on the next page and turn it in to your local post office. Once we verify your information and receive your payment, we will begin providing your service.

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## Using Box or Caller Service

**Post Office Box or Caller Address Use.** We deliver to your box or caller address as printed on your mail, so be sure to provide correct and current address information to your correspondents. Your post office box or caller service number should appear on a separate line, followed by the post office's city, state, and ZIP + 4 (*when we assign your box or caller service number, we will provide the corresponding ZIP + 4*). Use the following example as a guide for proper addressing:

JOHN DOE  
PO BOX 1122  
ANYTOWN NY 01234-1122

**Fee Notification.** Twenty days before the fee is due, we put a notice in your box (with caller service, we include the notice with your mail). If you go out of town after turning in a temporary forwarding order, we can mail the notice to your temporary address.

**Fee Payment.** With either service, you can pay in advance for six months or one year. It is your responsibility to pay your fee on time. If you pay by mail, we must receive your payment by the due date.

You can pay in cash, by check made out to "Postmaster", or with your credit or debit (ATM) card. Do not send cash by mail. If your check is returned by the bank, we must suspend your service until the check is made good. You may also incur a handling charge to cover our processing costs.

**Late Payment.** If you do not pay your post office box fee on time, we must close your box (or suspend caller service) and you will not be able to retrieve your mail. After 10 days of nonpayment, we remove the mail and treat it as undeliverable and suspend box/caller service. Closed boxes/suspended call numbers become available for assignment to new customers immediately.

**Terms of Service.** You may not use post office box or caller service just to avoid paying a forwarding charge or for any purpose prohibited by law or postal regulations. We will immediately terminate box or caller service if used for any unlawful purpose. Post office box or caller service may be provided to minors unless parents or guardians submit a written objection to the postmaster.

**Accumulated Mail.** We encourage you to remove your mail from your box regularly. You can make a special arrangement with the postmaster if you won't be able to pick up your mail for more than 30 days. Complete Form 8076, *Authorization to Hold Mail*, and we'll take care of it.

If the volume of your incoming mail repeatedly exceeds the capacity of the box you are using, we may require that you use caller service, change to a larger box (and pay applicable fees), or apply for service through one or more additional boxes.

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## Using Box or Caller Service

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**Change of Address.** If you choose to discontinue your box service, please complete a change of address (COA) form found in the *Mover's Guide*, available in the lobby, or on our website: [www.usps.gov/moversnet](http://www.usps.gov/moversnet). After completing the form give it to one of our clerks, or to your letter carrier, or you may mail it to your post office. Only you or your listed authorized representative may file a COA order. We will forward mail addressed to you, your family, or your organization, but it will be your responsibility to forward mail for all individuals receiving mail at your box/caller service address.

**Box Keys.** We issue up to two keys for key-type post office boxes and issue an access code for combination lock-type post office boxes. A small deposit is required for each key, including the key you get when you first obtain box service. Whenever your box service terminates, turn in all keys to the Postal Service. We refund the deposits for up to two keys returned. Post office box keys may not be duplicated commercially.

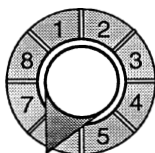
**Updating Information.** The information on your application (Form 1093) must always be current. As soon as any information changes (such as address, telephone number, etc.), you are responsible for updating the form. Failure to update the application may result in a termination of service. We keep the form on file at the office where you use the service.

**Use of Information.** The U.S. Postal Service is authorized by 39 U.S.C. 403 and 404 to collect the information on Form 1093. We use the information in providing post office box or caller service to the applicant, but we may disclose it:

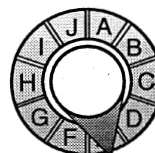
- To anyone authorized by law to serve judicial process.
- To a government agency, in performance of its duties.
- To anyone, if the box is used for doing business with the public.
- To a congressional office, if the boxholder requests it.
- In response to a subpoena or court order.
- When it pertains to a legal proceeding that involves the Postal Service.

The complete Privacy Act Statement is on the back of the application card.

### How to Use the Combination Lock



1. Clear dial by turning three times RIGHT and stop on \_\_\_\_.
2. Turn LEFT and stop the second time around on \_\_\_\_.
3. Turn RIGHT and stop on \_\_\_\_.
4. Turn latch key LEFT to open.



Your ZIP + 4 is:  -

# Application Cards

Tear off this page, fill it out, and turn it in to your post office.

## Application for Post Office Box or Caller Service – Part 1

Customer completes items 1, 3–7, 15, and 18. Post office completes shaded items 2, 8–14, 16, 17, and 19.

1. Name(s) to which box number(s) is (are) assigned		2. Box or caller numbers _____ through _____	
3. Name of person applying, title (if representing an organization), and name of organization (If different from item 1)		4. Will this box be used for soliciting or doing business with the public? (Check one) a. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> b. No <input type="checkbox"/>	
5. Address (Number, street, apt. no., city, state, and ZIP Code). When address changes, cross out address here and put new address on back.		6. Telephone number	
7. Signature of applicant (identified in item 3) <b>I agree to comply with all postal rules regarding post office box or caller services (as applicable).</b>		8. Date application received	
9. Enter two types of identification and ID nos.: one must be photo bearing (Driver's license, military ID, other)	10. Dates of service _____ through _____		13. Box size needed
	11. Check eligibility for carrier delivery <input type="checkbox"/> a. City <input type="checkbox"/> b. Rural <input type="checkbox"/> c. HCR <input type="checkbox"/> d. None		14. Identification and physical address verified by (Initials)
	12. Service assigned <input type="checkbox"/> a. Box <input type="checkbox"/> b. Caller <input type="checkbox"/> c. Reserve Number		

PS Form 1093, July 1998

Use a separate form for each number or consecutive group of numbers, and type of service. File part 1 alphabetically by customer's name.

## Application for Post Office Box or Caller Service – Part 2

### Special Orders

15. Postmaster: The following named persons or representatives of the organization listed below are authorized to accept mail addressed to this (these) post office box(es) or caller number(s). Valid identification and proof of physical address must be provided with each name. Continue on back if necessary.

a. Name(s) of applicant(s) (Same as item 3)		<b>Customer note:</b> The Postal Service may consider it valid evidence that a person is authorized to remove mail from the box if that person possesses a key or combination to the box.
b. Name of box customer (Same as item 1)		
c. Other Authorized Representative	d. Other Authorized Representative	
16. Box or caller number to which this card applies		19. Post office date stamp
17. Will this box be used for Express Mail reshipment? (Check one) a. Yes <input type="checkbox"/> b. No <input type="checkbox"/>		
18. Signature of applicant (same as item 3) <b>I have read the instructions and agree to comply with the applicable standards. I certify that the statements made by me are true and complete. I understand that anyone who furnishes false or misleading information on this form or who omits material information requested on the form may be subject to criminal sanctions (including fines and imprisonment) and/or civil sanctions (including multiple damages and civil penalties).</b>		

PS Form 1093, May 1998

Use a separate form for each number or consecutive group of numbers, and type of service. File part 2 by box or caller number.



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**Privacy Act Statement:** The collection of this information is authorized by 39 USC 403 and 404. This information will be used to provide the applicant with post office box or caller service. As a routine use, the information may be disclosed to anyone, when the box is used for the purpose of doing or soliciting business with the public; to persons authorized by law to serve legal process for the purpose of serving such process; to an appropriate government agency, domestic or foreign, for law enforcement purposes; where pertinent, in a legal proceeding to which the USPS is a party or has an interest; to a government agency in order to obtain information relevant to a USPS decision concerning employment, security clearances, security or suitability investigations, contracts, licenses, grants, permits, or other benefits; to a government agency upon its request when relevant to its decision concerning employment, security clearances, contracts, licenses, grants, or other benefits; to a congressional office at your request; to an expert, consultant, or other person under contract with the USPS to fulfill an agency function; to the Federal Records Center for storage; to the Office of Management and Budget for review of private relief legislation; to an independent certified public accountant during an official audit of USPS finances; to an investigator, administrative judge or complaints examiner appointed by the Equal Opportunity Commission for investigation of a formal EEO complaint under 29 CFR 1614; and to a labor organization as required by the National Labor Relations Act. Completion of this form is voluntary; however, if this information is not provided, the applicant will not be able to receive a box or use caller service.

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## DMM REVISION

**New Specifications for Automated Flats**

Effective October 4, 1998, *Domestic Mail Manual* (DMM) C820.1.0 through C820.7.0, C840.3.0, and M820.1.5 through M820.1.8 are revised, and C820.3.0 and C820.4.0 are added to describe the new specifications for automated flats. Newspapers, tabloids, catalogs, and many kinds of polywrap that cannot be processed on existing FSM 881 equipment can be processed on FSM 1000 equipment and will now be able to qualify for automated rates.

Productivity on the FSM 881 is higher than that of the FSM 1000, and migration of the flats that are sorted on the FSM 881 to the FSM 1000 would adversely affect service and costs.

When prepared with polywrap, FSM 881-sized pieces must continue to meet all the polywrap criteria in DMM C820.4.0; pieces to be processed on the FSM 1000 may be prepared with polywrap that is exempted from all but property number 2 (haze) of the polywrap specifications given in Exhibit C820.4.1a.

Testing has shown that larger pieces can be processed on the FSM 1000 than on the FSM 881. The FSM 1000 can process a mailpiece up to 12 inches high by 15-3/4 inches in length. For the FSM 1000, the length is the longest edge unless the piece is folded or has a bound edge, in which case the dimension parallel to the folded or bound edge is the length. This is different than the definitions of length and height for mailpieces processed on FSM 881 for these pieces because the height is defined as parallel to the folded or bound edge. The dimensions for folded pieces or pieces with a bound edge that are processed on the FSM 1000 increase 3-3/4 inches in length (the bound edge) but decrease 3 inches in height (the edge perpendicular to the bound edge). The minimum height and length dimensions for all flats processed on the FSM 1000 is 4 inches by 4 inches provided the mailpiece is greater than 1/4-inch. Mailpieces less than 5 inches in length must be greater than 1/4-inch thick. The minimum thickness for pieces 5 inches or more in length is 0.009 inch.

Testing of flat mailpieces demonstrated that as the length of the piece decreases, the thickness may increase. The maximum thickness requirement for the FSM 1000 is 1-1/4 inches if the length of the mailpiece is less than or equal to 13 inches in length. For pieces over 13 inches, the thickness cannot exceed 7/8 inch.

The maximum weight for First-Class Mail processed on the FSM 1000 is 11 ounces (13 ounces after rate case implementation, January 10, 1999), less than 16 ounces for Standard Mail (A), and 6 pounds for Periodicals.

Flat mailpieces must meet the uniformity requirements contained in C820.8.0.

Since newspapers are double-folded, they pose no problem for processing on the FSM 1000. However, many flat-sized pieces are not currently bound or double-folded; therefore, unbound flat-sized mailpieces will be required to be prepared with two folds. The second fold must be perpendicular to the original fold. In order to give publishers and printers the opportunity to make adjustments to their periodicals design to comply with this requirement, the Postal Service has decided to suspend the effective date of this requirement until October 4, 2000.

Business Mail Entry Managers will receive instructions regarding acceptance procedures prior to the October 4, 1998, implementation date.

These changes will be included in DMM Issue 54 (see pages 23 and 24).

**Domestic Mail Manual (DMM)****C Characteristics and Content****C800 Automation-Compatible Mail**

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**C820 Flats**

*[Amend 1.0 by changing the term "2.0" to "1.0" and "7.0" to "9.0" and adding additional standards for FSM 881 and FSM 1000 pieces to read as follows:]*

**1.0 BASIC STANDARDS**

Flats claimed at automation rates must meet the standards in 1.0 through 9.0 and the general and specific standards for mailability and the class of mail and rate claimed. Pieces meeting the dimensions for FSM 881 processing under 2.0 (height, length, thickness, and weight) must also meet the turning ability and deflection requirements in 7.0 in order to qualify for the automation flats discount. If polywrap is used with FSM 881 pieces meeting the dimensions under 2.0, the polywrap must meet all of the physical properties in Exhibit C820.4.1a of section 4.0 in order to qualify for the automation flats discount. Pieces that do not meet the dimensions for height, length, thickness, and weight under 2.0 (FSM 881 pieces), but that do meet the dimensions in 3.0 are eligible for processing on the FSM 1000. Such FSM 1000 pieces need not meet the turning ability and deflection requirements in 7.0. If prepared with polywrap, the polywrap for FSM 1000 pieces must meet only physical property number 2 (haze) in Exhibit 4.1a.

[Amend the heading of 2.0 to read as follows.]

## 2.0 DIMENSIONS FOR FSM 881 PROCESSING

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[Delete the second sentence of section 2.3 b(2).]

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[Redesignate 3.0 through 7.0 as 5.0 through 9.0, respectively. Insert new 3.0 and 4.0 to read as follows.]

## 3.0 DIMENSIONS FOR FSM 1000 PROCESSING

### 3.1 Determining Length and Height

The length and height of an automation compatible flat-size mailpiece eligible for FSM processing is not determined by the orientation of the address. It is determined by the following:

- For a piece prepared as a single sheet or in an envelope, full-length wrapper, or full-length sleeve, the length is the longest dimension. The height is the dimension perpendicular to the length.
- For a piece that has a bound or folded edge (e.g., a newspaper, tabloid, and catalog), the length is the dimension parallel to the bound or folded edge. The height is the dimension perpendicular to the length. If the piece is folded more than once or bound and then folded, the length of the mailpiece is based on the final fold.

### 3.2 Address Placement and Folded Pieces

- A flat-size mailpiece with a final fold must be designed so that the address is in view when the final folded edge is to the right and any intermediate bound or folded edge is at the bottom.
- Unbound flat-size mailpiece will be required to be double-folded on October 4, 2000.

### 3.3 Shape and Size

Pieces must meet the following requirements:

- Height: no more than 12 inches or less than 4 inches.
- Length: no more than 15-3/4 inches or less than 4 inches.
- Minimum thickness:
  - For pieces at least 5 inches long, 0.009 inch.
  - For pieces at least 4 inches long, but less than 5 inches long, 0.25 inch thick.
- Maximum thickness:
  - For pieces 13 inches long or less, 1.25 inches.
  - For pieces longer than 13 inches up to and including 15-3/4 inches, 7/8 inch.

## 3.4 Maximum Weight

Maximum weight limits are as follows:

- For First-Class Mail, 11 ounces (13 ounces as of January 10, 1999).
- For Periodicals, 6 pounds.
- For Standard Mail (A), less than 16 ounces.

## 4.0 COVERINGS

### 4.1 Polywrap Films

The Postal Service will allow plastic manufacturers to use the results of their American Standard Testing Methods (ASTM). Product tests must be used to certify that the polywrap films meet or exceed the minimum requirements for the physical properties outlined in Exhibit 4.1a and 4.1b.

#### Exhibit 4.1a

#### FSM 881 Polywrapped Flats Specifications

Automation flat pieces that meet the height, length, thickness, and weight dimensions for the FSM 881 in 2.0 must meet all seven properties. Automation flat pieces that do not meet the height, length, thickness, or weight dimensions in 2.0, but meet the dimensions for the FSM 1000 in 3.0, may be prepared with polywrap that only meets property number 2 (haze).

Property	Requirement	Test Method	Comment
1. Kinetic Coefficient of Friction, MD	<0.28	ASTM D1894	Stainless steel finish must be in accordance with ASTM A 480/ A 480M.
a. Film on Stainless Steel with No. 8 (Mirror) Finish			
b. Film on Film	0.20 to 0.40	ASTM D1894	
2. Haze	<70	ASTM D1003	Address labels are an alternative to meeting this requirement.
3. Secant Modulus, 1% elongation			
a. TD, psi	>40,000	ASTM D882	
b. MD, psi	>50,000	ASTM D882	
4. Tensile Strength			
a. TD, psi	>2,000	ASTM D882	
b. MD, psi	>3,000	ASTM D882	
5. Density, g/cc	0.900 to 0.950	ASTM D1505	
6. Nominal Gauge, in	>0.001	ASTM D374	
7. Static Charge, kV	<2.0	ASTM D4470	Antistatic additives can regulate this charge.

**Exhibit 4.1b****Wrap Instruction**

1. The polywrapped flat shall be machinable according to USPS-STD-28A and as outlined in section C820. Shrinkwrapped mailpieces shall be approved if they conform to the machinable flat requirements according to USPS-STD-28A and as outlined in DMM 54 section C820.
2. Wrap direction shall be specified as around the shorter axis of the mailpiece so that the seam is along the addressed side of the mailpiece, oriented from top to bottom. This seam must not cover any part of the address and barcode read areas (FSM 881 mailpieces only)
3. Overhang around edges:
  - a. For FSM 881 mailpieces, overhang (selvage) of not more than 1.5 inches of polywrap shall be allowed at the top of the mailpiece when the contents are at the bottom of the package. Overhang on each side shall not be more than .25 inch, however. The piece shall not be wrapped so tightly as to cause the product to bend.
  - b. For FSM 1000 mailpieces, overhang (selvage) cannot exceed 3/4 inch from any edge.

**4.2 Polywrap Certification Process**

The polywrap certification program requires plastic manufacturers to provide to the producer of the polywrapped flats an official ASTM certification of conformance verifying that their polywrap product meets the physical properties described in Exhibit 4.1a. Prior to the initial mailing with that polywrap product, the producer of the polywrapped pieces must submit for evaluation barcoded sample pieces that meet both applicable DMM mailing standards for automated flats and the minimum standards for polywrapped flats including the configuration requirements described in Exhibit 4.1b. Mailpiece design analysts (MDAs) may authorize the producer of the polywrapped flats that it may claim the automation rates for their initial mailing of flat-size barcoded pieces if both of the following conditions are met: (A) The pieces are prepared in a polywrap product for which the plastics manufacturer provides an official ASTM certification of conformance; (B) The prepared mailpiece meets all other mail preparation standards for polywrapped flats such as overhang, seam, and barcode readability. The MDA who authorizes the producer of the polywrapped flats that it may claim the automation rates will notify the applicable business mail entry unit of the authorization.

**4.3 Submission of Samples for Evaluation**

A producer of polywrapped flats who wishes to obtain authorization to claim automation rates for that polywrap product must submit samples to the Manager of Business Mail Entry for review by an MDA. Each sample submitted must consist of at least 30 polywrapped and barcoded sample mailpieces with a certification of conformance verifying that the polywrap material meets the physical property specifications in Exhibit 4.1a and Exhibit 4.1b, for either the FSM 881 mailpieces or the FSM 1000 mailpieces. If the address is placed on the outside of the polywrapped FSM 1000 flat, the submission of test pieces is not required.

**4.4 Mailpiece Identification**

Producers of polywrapped flats authorized to claim the automation rates must endorse the flats to show that they are automation-compatible polywrapped flat-size pieces. The mailer may meet this requirement by adding "USPS (product name of polywrap) FSM 881 Approved Automatable Polywrap" or "USPS (product name of polywrap) FSM 1000 Approved Automatable Polywrap," as applicable, on the address side of the piece, preferably below the postage area or in another visible location on the outside of the mailpiece. The polywrap marking must not interfere with the delivery address or the recognition of the barcode. The polywrap marking may also be printed directly on the polywrap material. Producers of polywrapped flats not currently using the appropriate mailpiece identification marking will have until **October 4, 1999**, to comply with this standard. For a list of USPS-approved polywrap manufacturers, refer to the USPS website.

**4.5 Suspension of Approval**

Any mailing found to be improperly prepared will not be accepted at the automation rates for flats. The repeated submission of nonmachinable mailings is cause for exclusion from the polywrap flat automation rates for polywrap pieces.

*[Delete renumbered 5.1. Renumber 5.2 and 5.3 as 5.1 and 5.2.]*

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**6.0 TABS, WAFER SEALS, TAPE, AND GLUE**

*[Amend the first sentence in renumbered 6.0 to clarify that tabs, seals, tape, and glue are not required, to read as follows:]*

Although not required, mailpieces may be prepared with tabs, wafer seals, cellophane tape, or permanent glue (continuous or spot) if these sealing devices do not interfere with the recognition of the barcode, rate marking, postage information, and delivery and return addresses.

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## 7.0 TURNING ABILITY AND DEFLECTION

### 7.1 Turning Ability

*[Amend the first sentence of renumbered 7.1 by adding "881" to read as follows:]*

A flat-size mailpiece meeting the FSM 881 dimensions in 2.0 must fit between two concentric arcs drawn on a horizontal flat surface, one with a radius of 15.72 inches and the other with a radius of 16.72 inches in one of these ways:

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*[Renumber Exhibits 5.1a and 5.1b as Exhibits 7.1a and 7.1b.]*

### 7.2 Deflection

*[Renumber Exhibit 5.2 as Exhibit 7.2; amend renumbered 7.2 by adding "881" to read as follows:]*

A flat-size mailpiece meeting the FSM 881 dimensions in 2.0 must be sufficiently rigid so that, when placed flat on a surface to extend unsupported 5 inches off that surface, no part of the edge of the piece that is opposite the bound, folded, or final folded edge (as applicable) deflects more than 1-3/4 inches (if the piece is less than 1/8 inch thick) or more than 2-3/8 inches (if the piece is from 1/8 to 3/4 inch thick). See Exhibit 7.2.

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### C840 Barcoding Standards

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## 3.0 BARCODE LOCATION — FLAT-SIZE PIECE

*[Revise 3.0 to read as follows:]*

On any flat-size piece claimed at an automation rate, the barcode may be anywhere on the address side that is at least 1/8 inch from any edge of the piece. For FSM 1000 pieces, it is preferred that the barcode be placed at least 2 inches from the dimension that is the length for that type of automation piece (the longest edge, or for pieces with a folded or bound edge, the folded or bound edge). That portion of the surface of the piece on which the barcode is printed must meet the reflectance standards in 5.0. The address side may bear only one POSTNET-format barcode (i.e., the correct barcode for the delivery address on the mailpiece). Other mailer-applied non-POSTNET barcodes may appear on the address side if their format is not intelligible or not confusing to automated postal equipment. Address block barcodes are subject to the standards in 2.5a through 2.5e.

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## M Mail Preparation and Sortation

### M820 Flat-Size Mail

#### 1.0 BASIC STANDARDS

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#### 1.5 Package Preparation

All pieces must be prepared in packages. Firm packages must not be included in mailings prepared under M820. Pieces meeting the size dimensions for the FSM 881 under C820.2.0 must be prepared in separate packages from pieces that do not meet the FSM 881 dimensions (but that meet the dimensions for FSM 1000 processing). Each FSM 881 package and each FSM 1000 package must separately meet the package size minimum number of pieces in M820.2.1, 3.1, or 4.1 as applicable for the class of mail. When the total number of FSM 881 or FSM 1000 pieces for a specific presort destination (e.g., the 5-digit ZIP Code 12345) meets or exceeds the applicable minimum package size, the pieces for that presort destination must be prepared into a package or packages labeled to that presort destination in accordance with the standards for the rate claimed. The physical size of each package for that specific presort destination may contain the exact package minimum, more pieces than the package minimum, or fewer pieces than the package minimum depending on the size of the pieces in the mailing or the total quantity of the pieces to that destination. Rate eligibility is not affected when a physical package for a presort destination contains fewer pieces than the minimum package size for the above reasons, provided the total number of FSM 881 pieces physically packaged for that presort destination, or provided the total number of FSM 1000 pieces physically packaged for that presort destination, meets or exceeds the rate eligibility package minimum under E140, E240, or E640.

*[Renumber 1.6 and 1.7 as 1.7 and 1.8, respectively, and insert new 1.6 to read as follows:]*

#### 1.6 Sack Preparation

Mailers may combine FSM 881 packages and FSM 1000 packages in the same tray (First-Class Mail) or in the same sack (Standard Mail (A) and Periodicals).

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[Amend the heading of renumbered 1.8 to read "Exception— Periodicals Packages."]  
[Insert new 1.9 to read as follows:]

**1.9      Exception — Periodicals Automation and Nonautomation**

For Periodicals, packages of automation mail (both FSM 881 and FSM 1000 packages) prepared under 3.1 and packages of nonautomation mail prepared under M200.2.4c through f may be sacked together under 3.2d through 3.2e. Automation and nonautomation packages may not be combined in 5-digit sacks. Under this exception, documentation required under P012 must identify the mail claimed at each rate by

package and sack sortation level. Under this exception, non-automation mail continues to qualify for rates under E230 and automation mail continues to qualify for rates under E240 (i.e., rates for pieces in automation flats packages are based on the package level and rates for pieces in nonautomation flats packages are based on the package and sack level).

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—Mail Preparation and Standards,  
Marketing Systems, 10-8-98

**APO/FPO Changes**

Make the following ink changes to the most recent APO/FPO tables published in *Postal Bulletin* 21981 (9-24-98).

APO/FPO	Action	Effective Date	See Restrictions
09135	Activate	Immediately	B-X
09646	Activate	Immediately	B-X
34085	Activate	Immediately	B-X
96285	Activate	Immediately	B-X
96385	Activate	Immediately	B-X
96506	Close	Immediately	

—International and Military Mail Operations,  
International Business Unit, 10-8-98

# Designing Flats for Automated Processing

Related QSGs: 141, 241, 641

# 820

Quick Service  
Guide

**Overview** Pieces designed for automated flats processing (C820) could include pieces that, if not prepared as an automation flat, would be considered flat-size, letter-size, or irregular parcels under C050. For eligibility and preparation standards for specific rate discounts, see the appropriate Quick Service Guides: 141 First-Class Automation Flats, 241 Periodicals Automation Flats, or 641 Standard Mail Automation Flats. Size, weight, thickness, and flexibility standards vary for mail processed on the Flat Sorting Machine (FSM) 881 and the FSM 1000.

**Characteristics and Content (C820)** Shape: rectangular.  
Dimensions: see reverse  
Maximum Weight:  
■ First-Class Mail: 11 ounces, effective January 10, 1999, 13 ounces.  
■ Periodicals: 16 ounces for FSM 881, 6 pounds for FSM 1000.  
■ Standard Mail (A): less than 16 ounces.

Prohibitions: polywrapped, polybagged, and shrinkwrapped pieces are prohibited unless specifically approved by a manager, business mail entry (a list of approved polywrap and polywrap manufactures is available on the USPS web site). Clasps, strings, buttons, or other protrusions (C820.5).

Adequate flexibility and rigidity required for pieces meeting all FSM 881 dimensions.

Each piece in an automation flat-size mailing must contain a complete delivery address (A010).

Pieces that meet the dimensions for the FSM 881 in C820.2 *must* continue to meet flexibility and rigidity standards in C820.7 and, if prepared with polywrap, meet all polywrap criteria in C820.4.

FSM 1000 pieces may be prepared with polywrap that meets only property number 2, haze, in Exhibit C820.4.1a (not required if address label is on the outside of polywrapped piece).

Polywrapped pieces must be endorsed to show they are automation-compatible (C820.4.4).

Folded publications:

- A flat-size piece with a final fold must be designed so that the address is in view when the final folded edge is to the right and any intermediate bound or folded edge is at the bottom.
- Effective October 4, 2000, unbound tabloids must have two folds. The second fold must be perpendicular to the original fold.

**Mailpiece Length and Height** Length and height of an automation-compatible flat-size piece are determined by the following:  
For FSM 881 and FSM 1000

- For pieces prepared as a single sheet or in an envelope, full length wrapper, or full length sleeve, the length is the longest dimension. The height is the dimension perpendicular to the length.

For FSM 881 (C820.2)

- For a piece with a bound or folded edge (e.g., newspaper, tabloid, or catalog) the *height* (vertical dimension) is the dimension *parallel* to the bound, folded, or closed edge. The length is the dimension perpendicular to the height. If the mailpiece is folded more than once or is bound and then folded, the height of the piece is based on the final fold.

For FSM 1000 (C820.3)

- For a piece with a bound or folded edge (e.g., newspaper, tabloid, or catalog) the *length* is the dimension *parallel* to the folded or bound edge. The height (vertical dimension) is the dimension perpendicular to the bound folded or closed edge.

**Barcodes (C840)** Barcodes must be in one of these four positions:  
■ Above the address line containing the recipient's name.

- Below the city, state, and ZIP Code line.
- Above or below the keyline information.
- Above or below the optional endorsement line.

Barcodes must be at least 1/8 inch from any edge of the address side (for FSM 1000 pieces, at least 2 inches from the length, as defined above, is preferred). No more than one POSTNET barcode per piece. Additional standards apply for address block barcodes.

This guide is an overview only. For the specific DMM standards applicable to this category of mail, consult the DMM sections referenced above and the general sections within each DMM module.

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Guide**Designing Flats for Automated Processing****Flat Sorting Machine (FSM) 881**

**Length** Minimum: 5 inches long *if 6 to 7-1/2 inches high; or not less than 5-3/8 inches long if more than 7-1/2 inches high but no more than 9-1/2 inches high.*  
Maximum: 15 inches

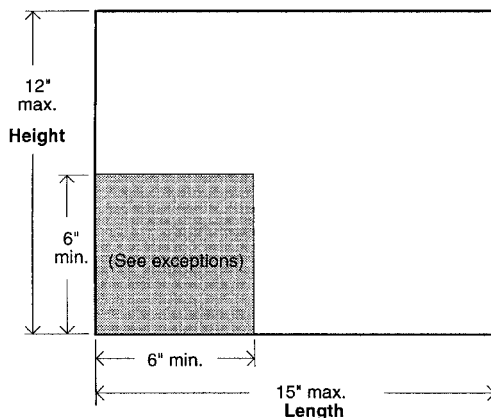
**Height** Minimum: 6 inches  
Maximum: 12 inches

**Thickness** Minimum: 0.009 inch  
Maximum: 3/4 inch

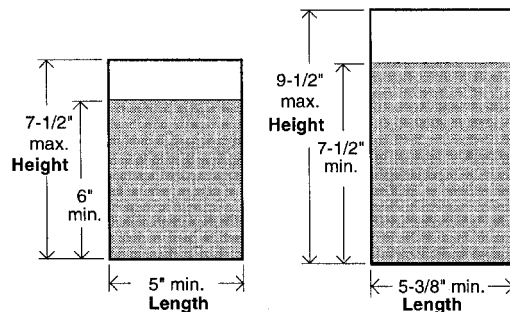
**Polywrapped Pieces** Must meet all seven properties in Exhibit C820.4.1a.

Polywrap marking: Effective October 4, 1999,  
"USPS [polywrap product name] FSM 881  
Approved Automatable Polywrap" (on address  
side, preferably below postage area).

**Flexibility** Must meet flexibility requirements in C820.7.

**Dimensions****Exceptions:**

May be a minimum of 5" in length if height is 6" to 7-1/2." **or** May be a minimum of 5-3/8" in length if height is more than 7-1/2" but no more than 9-1/2."

**Flat Sorting Machine (FSM) 1000**

Minimum: 4 inches  
Maximum: 15-3/4 inches

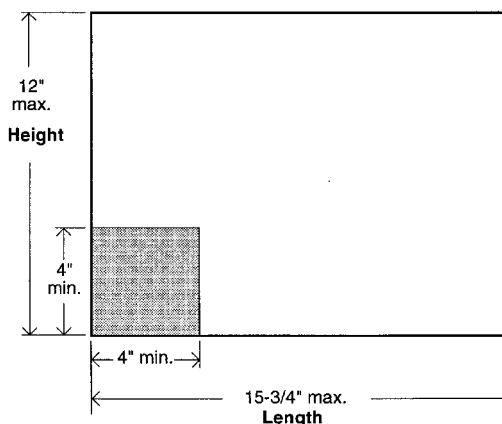
Minimum: 4 inches  
Maximum: 12 inches

Minimum: Pieces at least 4 inches but less than 5 inches long, 1/4 inch. Pieces at least 5 inches long, 0.009 inch thick.  
Maximum: Pieces 13 inches long or less, 1-1/4 inches thick. Pieces longer than 13 inches up to and including 15-3/4 inches, 7/8 inch thick.

Must meet property number 2, haze, in Exhibit C820.4.1a (not required if address label is on the outside of polywrapped piece).

Polywrap marking: Effective October 4, 1999,  
"USPS [polywrap product name] FSM 1000  
Approved Automatable Polywrap" (on address  
side, preferably below postage area).

No requirement.





# Fraud Alert

ALL PERSONNEL PROCESSING MAIL FOR DISPATCH ABROAD

## Foreign Order No. 425

Keep all foreign order notices for use as reference.

### Tentative Orders

A Tentative Lottery Order has been issued against the following:

#### Australia

AUSSIE WIN  
LOCKED BAG 51  
TULLAMARINE VIC 3043  
AUSTRALIA

BLS  
LOCKED BAG 225  
AUBURN NSW 2144  
AUSTRALIA

BLS  
POST OFFICE BOX 6080  
SILVERWATER NSW 2128  
AUSTRALIA

#### Canada

ALFI  
MAIL FORWARDING CENTRE  
PO BOX 2039 STN TERMINAL  
VANCOUVER BC V6B 3R6  
CANADA

AWARDS NETWORK OF AMERICA  
4981 HWY 7 EAST SUITE #305 UNIT 12A  
MARKHAM ON L3R 1N1  
CANADA

AWARDS NETWORK OF AMERICA  
509 COMMISSIONERS RD WEST SUITE #427  
LONDON ON N6J 1Y5  
CANADA

CPN  
111 DUNLOP STREET EAST SUITE #1005  
BARRIE ON L4M 6J5  
CANADA

CPRO  
ST# 200  
4981 HWY 7 EAST UNIT 12A  
MARKHAM ON L3R 1N1  
CANADA

IPCN  
981 WELLINGTON ROAD SOUTH SUITE #680  
LONDON ON N6E 3A9  
CANADA

THE PRIZE NOTIFICATION COMPANY  
981 WELLINGTON ROAD SOUTH SUITE #160  
LONDON ON N6E 3A9  
CANADA

UNIVERSAL PRIZE FINDERS  
4936 YONGE STREET SUITE #606  
NORTH YORK ON M2N 6S3  
CANADA

### Final Orders

The Tentative Decision and Order issued against the following has become final:

#### Australia

AUSSIE WIN  
POST OFFICE BOX 6080  
SILVERWATER NEW SOUTH WALES 2128  
AUSTRALIA

BLS  
LOCKED BAG 39  
TULLAMARINE VICTORIA 3043  
AUSTRALIA

BLS  
LOCKED BAG 180  
SILVERWATER NEW SOUTH WALES 2128  
AUSTRALIA

BLS  
PO BOX 61  
GISBORNE VICTORIA 3437  
AUSTRALIA

#### Canada

CASH AND PRIZE REPORTING OFFICE  
1568 MERIVALE RD SUITE #107  
NEPEAN ON K2G 5Y7  
CANADA

IAAAC  
140-8380 LANSLOWNE RD  
SUITE #704  
RICHMOND BC V6X 1B9  
CANADA

ICLP SUBSCRIPTION DEPT  
185-9040 BLUNDELL ROAD SUITE #322  
RICHMOND BC V6Y 1K3  
CANADA

INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUNDING  
INTERNATIONAL SUBSCRIPTIONS  
3495 CAMBIE ST SUITE #367  
VANCOUVER BC V5Z 4R3  
CANADA

UNIVERSAL PRIZE FINDERS  
16-1375 SOUTHDOWN ROAD STE #220  
MISSISSAUGA ON L5J 2Z1  
CANADA

*Germany*

L A MEIEREBERT  
ORDER CENTER  
POSTFACH 160665  
KAISERSTRASSE 79  
FRANKFURT 60069  
GERMANY

L A MEIEREBERT  
POSTFACH 2363 LIEBIGSTR 3  
HERFORD 32013  
GERMANY

*Sweden*

CUSTOMER SERVICES NETWORK  
NM116 SE-202 28  
MALMO  
SWEDEN

Do not dispatch any mail to the preceding addresses.  
Place the mailpieces in a pouch endorsed "Foreign Order Mail" and send it to:

POSTMASTER  
CLAIMS AND INQUIRY  
JAMES A FARLEY BLDG RM 2029A  
NEW YORK NY 10199-9652

Do not place any endorsement on the mailpieces themselves. Personnel may post this notice at the outgoing primary. They must post it on the Foreign Order Board at all processing and distribution plants, designated international exchange offices, and customer service plants.

—Recorder's Office, Judicial Officer, 10-8-98

## Withholding of Mail Orders

Withholding of mail orders is enforced by the postmasters at the cities listed below:

State/City	Names Covered
CA, Alamo 94507-1550	Richard Fokker, 170-F Alamo Plaza #123
CA, San Francisco 94103-2204	All Names Other Than The Surname Duar, 1855 15th Street, #106 and:
CA, San Francisco 94116-1653	All Names Other Than The Surnames Duar, Landworth and Mazzucchi, 2235 39th Avenue
CA, Yorba Linda 92886-3303	Any And All Names, 18032C Lemon Drive #182, 18032C Lemon Drive #168, 18032C Lemon Drive #207, and 18032C Lemon Drive #354
DE, Wilmington 19803-0454	The Surnames Daly and Haynes, P.O. Box 7454
DE, Wilmington 19850-2896	The Surnames Witmer and Jackson, P.O. Box 12896 and:
DE, New Castle 19720-5016	The Surname Greenfield, 80 West 5th Street
PA, Lansdale 19446-0248	The Surname Johns, P.O. Box 248
PA, Philadelphia 19124-4433	Any And All Various Names, 3943 Kensington Ave., #233

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## Counterfeited Canadian Money Order Forms

### Do Not Cash

To be posted and used by retail window employees. As directed, destroy previous notices. All interim notices should be destroyed when the numbers listed appear in the *Postal Bulletin*.

671,819,086	686,794,382
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686,619,887	

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## 800 Number Available to Verify Canadian Money Orders

The Canada Post Corporation is now providing an 800 number that cashing agents can call to verify the validity of Canadian Postal Money Orders. The number is 1-800-563-0444.

This 800 number is printed on the back of the Canadian Postal Money Orders.

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# Invalid Express Mail Corporate Account Numbers

These numbers are to be posted and used by retail/acceptance clerks. This listing supersedes all previous notices, which must be destroyed. Retail/acceptance clerks must not accept Express Mail shipments bearing any of the invalid numbers (listed below) in the "customer number" or "agreement number" section of the label or form.

**Note:** The first 6 digits of a 9-digit Custom Designed Service and Next Day Pickup Service Agreement make up the Corporate Account Number.

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618012	681467	752098	787928	809024	852314	895116	903004	914970	918289	926445	941564	968975
620035	685122	752227	787970	809029	852330	895396	903179	915196	918331	926453	941830	968977
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624081	<b>701141</b>	752384	788081	809069	852463	898006	903482	915297	918421	926510	945539	969034
626001	701282	752509	788083	809107	852510	<b>900041</b>	903490	915312	918484	926705	945656	969041
631012	701330	752512	790032	809122	852563	900071	903491	915337	918516	926778	945732	969064
631027	701362	752575	794032	809125	852580	900110	903641	915395	918543	926845	946413	969075
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631258	708397	752635	795008	809155	852659	900255	904299	915552	918689	927099	946520	970210
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631536	711047	752853	799202	810002	852780	900398	904635	915604	918796	927353	948307	970375
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641055	730382	761586	802018	812038	853074	900994	906550	917306	921029	928681	950359	970794
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661043	746034	782015	802561	843053	882120	902294	910421	917657	921760	939602	967410	995202
661101	749160	782421	802615	843086	891263	902546	910422	917665	921768	940262	968159	995227
662004	749170	782931	802636	844189	891387	902562	910423	917671	921881	940403	968232	995322
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662659	750403	785388	802869	850127	891496	902575	911318	917816	924228	940557	968441	995382
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672022	750718	786080	804132	850750	891690	902595	914097	918032	924640	940950	968673	995600
672118	750795	787024	804189	850778	891745	902619	914320	918094	925157	941054	968747	995770
676625	751017	787305	805426	850806	891752	902624	914358	918111	925225	941216	968849	997159
681271	751040	787634	806020	850990	891839	902677	914414	918147	926096	941364	968866	997249
681276	751066	787824	806169	852055	895042	902687	914647	918167	926120	941534	968937	997254
681310	751170	787907	809010	852097	895044	902689	914866	918245	926231	941540	968943	997294
681447	752028	787910	809021	852308	895075	902875	914892	918283	926288	941560	968969	

## International Mail

### IMM REVISION

#### International Mail — Mailing to Israel

Effective October 8, 1998, the following change is being made to the Individual Country Listing for Israel in the *International Mail Manual* (IMM):

##### *International Mail Manual* (IMM)

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##### Country Conditions for Mailing — Israel

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##### Prohibitions (130)

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The following articles are prohibited importation to places on the West Bank of the Jordan and the Gaza region administered by Israel:

*[Delete the first entry, which reads "Electrical appliances of all kinds, including appliances containing electronic parts." The remaining entries are unchanged and are now numbered 1 through 6, respectively.]*

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This change to the Country Conditions for Mailing to Israel will be incorporated into a future issue of the IMM.

—Pricing, Costing, & Classification,  
International Business Unit, 10-8-98

### IMM REVISION

#### International Mail — Mailing to the Republic of Georgia

Effective October 8, 1998, the following entry is being added to the Individual Country Listing for the Republic of Georgia in the *International Mail Manual* (IMM):

##### *International Mail Manual* (IMM)

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##### Country Conditions for Mailing — Republic of Georgia

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##### Prohibitions (130)

Coins; bank notes; currency notes (paper money); securities of any kind payable to bearer; traveler's checks; platinum, gold, and silver (manufactured or not); precious stones; jewelry; and other valuable articles are prohibited in all classes of mail, including Express Mail International Service (EMS) shipments, that are mailed to the Republic of Georgia.

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This change to the Country Conditions for Mailing to the Republic of Georgia will be incorporated into a future issue of the IMM.

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IMM REVISION

# International Mail — Tagging of International Priority Airmail (IPA)

Effective October 8, 1998, Subchapter 280 of the *International Mail Manual* (IMM) is revised to eliminate out-of-date IMM references to PS Tags 116 and 116-BL, which have been superseded by Tag 178, *UPU CN 35 Tag* (white). The various sections in the IMM that are impacted by this change in the International Priority Airmail (IPA) tagging procedures are identified below:

## International Mail Manual (IMM)

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### 2 Conditions for Mailing

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### 280 International Priority Airmail Service

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#### 284.522 Country Bundle Label

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- b. See Exhibit 284.522 for country specific information that is to be placed on the Direct Country Bundle Label (Facing Slip) and Tag 178.

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#### Exhibit 284.522 (Pages 1–5)

[The reference to Tag 116 in the header at the top of Pages 1–5 is replaced by a reference to Tag 178.]

[The two references to Tag 116-BL in the text of Footnote 2 at the bottom of Page 5 are replaced by a reference to Tag 178.]

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#### Exhibit 284.523

[The reference to Tag 116 in the header row in the right-hand column is replaced by a reference to Tag 178.]

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#### 284.61 Direct Country Sack (10 Pounds or More)

##### 284.611 General

[The reference to Tag 116-BL at the end of the first sentence is replaced by a reference to Tag 178.]

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##### 284.612 Direct Country Sack Label

[The reference to Tag 116-BL at the end of the first sentence is replaced by a reference to Tag 178.]

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The aforementioned changes to the mailing regulations for IPA will be incorporated into a future issue of the IMM.

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*IMM REVISION*

## Price Change for List Money Order Service from \$7.50 to \$8.50

Effective October 10, 1998, *International Mail Manual* (IMM) 391.3b is revised. The fee for using the *Authorization to Issue an International Money Order* (87 series) form is increased to \$8.50. This price change will be programmed into the Integrated Retail Terminal (IRT) and Point of Sale Terminal (POS) by October 10.

## ***International Mail Manual (IMM)***

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### 3 Special Services

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## 390      **Supplementary Services**

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### 391.3 Fees

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- b. The fee for money orders payable in countries for which application must be made via the *Authorization to Issue an International Money Order* (87 series) is \$8.50 per money order.\*\*\*

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This revision will be included in a future issue of the IMM. A sample of the money order form appears below.

## USPS — AUTHORIZATION TO ISSUE AN INTERNATIONAL MONEY ORDER

DO NOT BEND OR FOLD

THIS FORM IS NOT FOR CASHING PURPOSES

NOT NEGOTIABLE

87

CUSTOMER - MAIL TO: INTL. MONEY ORDERS, BOX 14964, ST. LOUIS, MO 63182-9421  
DO NOT SEND THIS FORM TO ANOTHER COUNTRY OR PERSON IT IS NOT NEGOTIABLE

**PURCHASER** (Given Name, Initial(s), Family Name)[illegible]

CHECKWRITER  
IMPRINT AREA

**ADDRESS** (House Number and Street)[illegible]

CITY (Town)

STATE

**ZIP CODE**[illegible]

REMOVE CARBONS BEFORE COMPLETING FORM

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STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 98-44

## "H" Series Stamp



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The Postal Service will issue a 33-cent "H" stamp (*Uncle Sam's Hat*) Item Nos. 1086, 5540, 6606, 6607, 6608, 7987, 7988, 7989, and 7990, and a 1-cent make-up rate (*Weather-vane Rooster*) Item No. 1087, on November 9, 1998, in Washington, DC. These stamps support the new postage rate, effective January 10, 1999. No official ceremony will be planned. The "H" stamp was designed by Phil Jordan of Falls Church, VA, and illustrated by Tom Engemen of Washington, DC. The 1-cent make-up rate stamp was designed and illustrated by Phil Jordan. Both stamps go on sale nationwide November 9, 1998.

### How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at their local post office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

FIRST CLASS H STAMP  
POSTMASTER  
900 BRENTWOOD RD NE  
WASHINGTON DC 20066-9991



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After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the envelopes through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by December 9, 1998.

Stamp Fulfillment Services also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly *USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may request a free catalog by telephoning 1-800-STAMP-24 or by writing to:

INFORMATION FULFILLMENT  
DEPT 6270  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
PO BOX 419014  
KANSAS CITY MO 64141-6014

First day covers remain on sale for at least 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

**Issue:** "H" Stamp (*Uncle Sam's Hat*)  
**Item Number:** 1086  
**Denomination & Type of Issue:** Nondenominated, Definitive  
**Format:** Water-activated pane of 50 (1 design)  
**Series:** N/A  
**Issue Date & City:** November 9, Washington, DC  
**Illustrator:** Tom Engeman, Washington, DC  
**Designer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Engraver:** Armotek Industries  
**Art Director:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Typographer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Modeler:** Donald H. Woo  
**Manufacturing Process:** Gravure  
**Printer:** Stamp Venturers (SVS)  
**Printed at:** SVS, Richmond, VA  
**Press Type:** Champlain  
**Stamps Per Pane/Sheet:** 50  
**Print Quantity:** 1 billion stamps  
**Paper Type:** Type I  
**Gum Type:** PVA, Water-activated  
**Processed at:** Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA  
**Colors:** PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black  
**Stamp Orientation:** Vertical  
**Image Area (w x h):** 0.71 x 0.82 in./18.034 x 20.828 mm  
**Overall Size (w x h):** 0.84 x 0.99 in./21.336 x 25.146 mm  
**Full Pane Size (w x h):** 8.96 x 5.94 in./227.41 x 150.76 mm  
**Plate Size:** 400 Stamps per revolution  
**Plate Numbers:** "S" followed by four single digits  
**Marginal Markings:** "© USPS 1998" • Plate Position Grid • Plate Numbers

**Issue:** "H" Make-up Rate (*Weathervane Rooster*) Stamp  
**Item Number:** 1087  
**Denomination & Type of Issue:** Nondenominated (1-cent), Definitive  
**Format:** Water-activated pane of 50 (1 design)  
**Series:** N/A  
**Issue Date & City:** November 9, 1998, Washington, DC  
**Illustrator:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Designer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Engraver:** N/A  
**Art Director:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Typographer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Modeler:** Banknote Corporation of America, Inc. (BCA)  
**Manufacturing Process:** Offset  
**Printer:** BCA  
**Printed at:** Browns Summit, NC  
**Press Type:** Goebel 670  
**Stamps Per Pane/Sheet:** 50  
**Print Quantity:** 1 billion  
**Paper Type:** Untagged Type III  
**Gum Type:** PVA  
**Processed at:** BCA, Browns Summit, NC  
**Colors:** PMS 102 (Yellow), 3135 (Blue), 484 (Red), 653 (Dark Blue), Process Black  
**Stamp Orientation:** Horizontal  
**Image Area (w x h):** 0.82 x 0.67 in./20.83 x 17.02 mm  
**Overall Size (w x h):** 0.991 x 0.84 in./25.17 x 21.34 mm  
**Full Pane Size (w x h):** 5.95 x 9.0 in./151.13 x 228.6 mm  
**Plate Size:** 300 stamps per revolution  
**Plate Numbers:** "B" followed by five single digits  
**Marginal Markings:** "© USPS 1998" • Plate Position Diagram • Plate Numbers



<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Make-up Rate ( <i>Weathervane Rooster</i> ) Stamp
<b>Item Number:</b>	1087
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated (1-cent), Definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Water-activated pane of 50 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	N/A
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	Joseph Sheeran
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Offset
<b>Printer:</b>	Ashton Potter USA Ltd. (APU)
<b>Printed at:</b>	Williamsville, NY
<b>Press Type:</b>	Mueller-Martini
<b>Stamps Per Pane/Sheet:</b>	50
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	1.5 billion
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Westvaco, Non-Phosphored
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Brownbridge, PVA
<b>Processed at:</b>	APU
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 3125 (Blue), PMS 653 (Dark blue), PMS 484 (Red), PMS 102 (Yellow), Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Horizontal
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.82 x 0.71 in./20.82 x 18.03 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.99 x 0.84 in./25.17 x 21.33 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	5.94 x 9.0 in./151.13 x 228.6 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	400 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"P" followed by five single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Position Diagram • Plate Numbers

<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Stamp ( <i>Uncle Sam's Hat</i> )
<b>Item Number:</b>	5540
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated, Definitive (ATM)
<b>Format:</b>	Self-adhesive sheet of 18
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Tom Engeman, Washington, DC
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	North American Roto Engravers
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	Avery Dennison
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Avery Dennison (AVR)
<b>Printed at:</b>	AVR, Clinton, SC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Dia Nippon Kiko
<b>Stamps Per Pane/Sheet:</b>	18
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	75.6 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	TBD
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	AVR, Clinton, SC
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.720 x 0.818 in./18.288 x 20.772 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.870 x 0.982 in./22.098 x 24.9428 mm
<b>Full Booklet Size (w x h):</b>	2.610 x 6.125 in./66.294 x 155.575 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	30 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"V" followed by four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Position • Plate Numbers • Price

<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Stamp ( <i>Uncle Sam's Hat</i> )
<b>Item Number:</b>	6606
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated, Definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Convertible self-adhesive booklet of 20 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	TBD
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Tom Engeman, Washington, DC
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	North American Roto
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	Avery Dennison
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Avery Dennison (AVR)
<b>Printed at:</b>	AVR, Clinton, SC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Dia Nippon Kiko
<b>Stamps Per Book/Sheet:</b>	20
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	3 billion stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	AVR, Clinton, SC
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.720 x 0.818 in./18.288 x 20.772 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.870 x 0.982 in./22.098 x 24.9428 mm
<b>Full Booklet Size (w x h):</b>	2.610 x 7.25 in./66.294 x 184.15 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	800 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"V" followed by four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Position • Plate Numbers • Price

<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Stamp ( <i>Uncle Sam's Hat</i> )
<b>Item Number:</b>	6607
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated, Definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Convertible self-adhesive booklet of 10 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Tom Engeman, Washington, DC
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	North American Roto
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	Avery Dennison
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Avery Dennison (AVR)
<b>Printed at:</b>	AVR, Clinton, SC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Dia Nippon Kiko
<b>Stamps Per Book/Sheet:</b>	20
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	3 billion stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	AVR, Clinton, SC
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.720 x 0.818 in./18.288 x 20.772 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.870 x 0.982 in./22.098 x 24.9428 mm
<b>Full Booklet Size (w x h):</b>	1.74 x 6.50 in./44.196 x 165.10 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	880 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"V" followed by four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Position • Plate Numbers • Price

**Issue:** "H" Stamp (*Uncle Sam's Hat*)  
**Item Number:** 6608  
**Denomination & Type of Issue:** Nondenominated, Definitive  
**Format:** Folded self-adhesive booklet of 20 (1 design)  
**Series:** N/A  
**Issue Date & City:** November 9, 1998, Washington, DC  
**Illustrator:** Tom Engeman, Washington, DC  
**Designer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Engraver:** N/A  
**Art Director:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Typographer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Modeler:** N/A  
**Manufacturing Process:** Gravure  
**Printer:** Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)  
**Printed at:** BEP, Washington, DC  
**Press Type:** Andreotti, Model 601  
**Stamps Per Book/Sheet:** 20 stamps  
**Print Quantity:** 1.817 billion stamps  
**Paper Type:** Pre-phosphored Type I  
**Gum Type:** Self-adhesive  
**Processed at:** BEP, Washington, DC  
**Colors:** PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black  
**Stamp Orientation:** Vertical  
**Image Area (w x h):** 0.71 x 0.82 in./18.0 x 20.8 mm  
**Overall Size (w x h):** 0.87 x 0.96 in./22.1 x 24.4 mm  
**Full Pane Size (w x h):** 1.74 x 5.385 in./44.16 x 136.68 mm  
**Plate Size:** 480 stamps per revolution  
**Plate Numbers:** Four single digits  
**Marginal Markings:** "© USPS 1998" • Plate Numbers • Self-adhesive stamps • DO NOT WET

**Issue:** "H" Stamp (*Uncle Sam's Hat*)  
**Item Number:** 7987  
**Denomination & Type of Issue:** Nondenominated, Definitive  
**Format:** Gummed coil of 100 (1 design)  
**Series:** N/A  
**Issue Date & City:** November 9, 1998, Washington, DC  
**Illustrator:** Tom Engeman, Washington, DC  
**Designer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Engraver:** N/A  
**Art Director:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Typographer:** Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA  
**Modeler:** N/A  
**Manufacturing Process:** Gravure  
**Printer:** Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)  
**Printed at:** BEP, Washington, DC  
**Press Type:** Andreotti, Model 601  
**Stamps Per Coil/Sheet:** 100 stamps  
**Print Quantity:** 1 billion stamps  
**Paper Type:** Pre-phosphored Type I  
**Gum Type:** PVA  
**Processed at:** BEP, Washington, DC  
**Colors:** PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black  
**Stamp Orientation:** Vertical  
**Image Area (w x h):** 0.71 x 0.82 in./18.0 x 20.8 mm  
**Overall Size (w x h):** 0.87 x 0.96 in./22.1 x 24.4 mm  
**Full Pane Size (w x h):** N/A  
**Plate Size:** 480 stamps per revolution  
**Plate Numbers:** Four single digits  
**Marginal Markings:** "© USPS 1998" • Plate Numbers • Self-adhesive stamps • DO NOT WET

<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Stamp ( <i>Uncle Sam's Hat</i> )
<b>Item Number:</b>	7988
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated, Definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Self-adhesive coil of 100 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Tom Engeman, Washington, DC
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	N/A
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	N/A
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
<b>Printed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Andreotti, Model 601
<b>Stamps Per Coil/Sheet:</b>	100 stamps
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	4 billion stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.71 x 0.82 in./18.0 x 20.8 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.87 x 0.96 in./22.1 x 24.4 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	N/A
<b>Plate Size:</b>	480 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	Four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Numbers • Self-adhesive stamps • DO NOT WET

<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Stamp ( <i>Uncle Sam's Hat</i> )
<b>Item Number:</b>	7989
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated, Definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Self-adhesive coil of 3,000 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Tom Engeman, Washington, DC
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	N/A
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	N/A
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
<b>Printed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Andreotti, Model 601
<b>Stamps Per Coil/Sheet:</b>	3,000 stamps
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	399.960 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.71 x 0.82 in./18.0 x 20.8 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.87 x 0.96 in./22.1 x 24.4 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	N/A
<b>Plate Size:</b>	378 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	Four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Numbers • Self-adhesive stamps • DO NOT WET

<b>Issue:</b>	"H" Stamp ( <i>Uncle Sam's Hat</i> )
<b>Item Number:</b>	7990
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	Nondenominated, Definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Gummed coil of 3,000 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Tom Engeman, Washington, DC
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	N/A
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	N/A
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
<b>Printed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Andreotti, Model 601
<b>Stamps Per Coil/Sheet:</b>	3,000 stamps
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	399.960 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	PVA
<b>Processed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Colors:</b>	PMS 186C (Red), PMS 293C (Blue), PMS 443C (Gray), Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.71 x 0.82 in./18.0 x 20.8 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.87 x 0.96 in./22.1 x 24.4 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	N/A
<b>Plate Size:</b>	432 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	Four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Numbers • Self-adhesive stamps • DO NOT WET

## Distribution of "H" Prime Rate, Item No. 1086

"H" Prime Rate, Item No. 1086, will be shipped to stamp distribution offices (SDOs) in two half distributions. The first shipment began September 28, 1998, and the second will begin November 9, 1998.

### Initial Supply For Post Offices

All post offices using PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, and PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, will receive an automatic distribution of four times their standard quantities for a 50-stamps-per-pane issue. SDOs and stamp distribution networks (SDNs) must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

### Additional Supply

Post offices requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate prepositioning site using PS Form 17.

### Philatelic Requirement

SDOs and SDNs with authorized philatelic centers must provide subsequent distribution of these panes to each philatelic center from their initial distribution.

## Distribution of "H" Prime Rate Item No. 5540, Automatic Teller Machine (ATM) Sheetlets of 18 Stamps

"H" Prime Rate, Item No. 5540, Automatic Teller Machine (ATM) Sheetlets, have been shipped to accountable paper depositories (APDs).

### Initial Supply For Post Offices

SDOs with banks participating in the ATM program must requisition ATM sheetlets of 18 stamps from their designated APDs.

### Philatelic Requirement

Philatelic centers requiring ATM sheetlets of 18 stamps must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17.

## Distribution of "H" Prime Rate, Item No. 6606, Convertible Booklet of 20 Self-Adhesive Stamps; Item No. 6607, Convertible Booklet of 10 Self-Adhesive Stamps; and Item No. 6608, Folded Booklet of 20 Self-Adhesive Stamps

"H" Prime Rate Booklets, Item Nos. 6606 and 6607 will be shipped to SDOs in two half-distributions. The first shipment began September 28, 1998, and the second will begin November 9, 1998. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

### Initial Supply For Post Offices

For Item No. 6606, all post offices using PS Form 3309 and PS Form 17 will receive an automatic distribution of four times their standard quantities for convertible self-adhesive booklets of 20.

For Item No. 6607, all post offices will receive their standard quantities for convertible self-adhesive booklets of 10.

Item No. 6608, folded booklet of 20 stamps, is initially available for vending requirements and as back-up quantities to post offices.

**Additional Supply**

Post offices requiring additional Item Nos. 6606 and 6607 booklets must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17.

For Item No. 6608, SDOs and SDNs and authorized CAG A–G post offices requiring additional self-adhesive booklets of 20 stamps may submit PS Forms 3356, *Stamp Requisition — Bulk Quantities*, to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP). Requisitions must be submitted in the standard ordering quantities in multiples of 4,500 books to a maximum of 270,000 books per requisition.

**Philatelic Requirement**

SDOs and SDNs with authorized philatelic centers must provide subsequent distribution of these convertible self-adhesive booklets to each philatelic center from their initial distribution.

**Distribution of “H” Prime Rate, Item No. 7987, Gummed Coil of 100 Stamps; Item No. 7988, Self-Adhesive Coil of 100 Stamps; Item No. 7989, Self-Adhesive Coil of 3,000 Stamps; and Item No. 7990, Gummed Coil of 3,000 Stamps**

“H” Prime Rate, Item No. 7987, gummed coil of 100 Stamps; Item No. 7988, self-adhesive coil of 100 stamps; Item No. 7989, self-adhesive coil of 3,000 stamps; and Item No. 7990, gummed coil of 3,000 stamps, will be shipped to SDOs in two half-distributions. The first shipment began September 28, 1998, and the second will begin November 9, 1998.

**Initial Supply For Post Offices**

The Minneapolis Information Systems Support Center will not use PS Form 3309 to distribute Item No. 7987, Item No. 7988, Item No. 7989, and Item No. 7990. To obtain initial quantities of these coils, post offices must immediately submit PS Form 17 to their designated SDOs or SDNs. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

**Additional Supply**

SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate prepositioning site using PS Form 17.

**Philatelic Requirement**

Philatelic centers requiring these coils must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17.

**Distribution of “H” Make-up Rate (*Weathervane Rooster*), Item No. 1087**

“H” Make-up Rate (*Weathervane Rooster*) stamps, Item No. 1087, will be shipped to SDOs in two half-distributions. The first shipment began September 28, 1998, and the second will begin November 9, 1998.

**Initial Supply For Post Offices**

All post offices using PS Form 3309 and PS Form 17 will receive an automatic distribution of four times their standard quantities for a 50-stamps-per-pane issue. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

**Additional Supply**

Post offices requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from the appropriate prepositioning site using PS Form 17.

**Philatelic Requirement**

SDOs and SDNs with authorized philatelic centers must provide subsequent distribution of these panes to each philatelic center from their initial distribution.

—Stamp Services, Marketing, 10-8-98

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 98-45

# Mary Breckinridge Definitive Stamp



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The Postal Service will issue a 77-cent *Mary Breckinridge* definitive stamp (Item No. 1070) on November 9, 1998, in Washington, DC. No official ceremony will be planned. The stamp was designed by Howard Paine, of Delaplane, VA, and illustrated by Burt Silverman, of New York, NY, and goes on sale nationwide November 9, 1998.

## How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at their local post office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

MARY BRECKINRIDGE STAMP  
POSTMASTER  
900 BRENTWOOD RD NE  
WASHINGTON DC 20066-9991

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the envelopes through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by December 9, 1998.

<b>Issue:</b>	<i>Mary Breckinridge</i> Definitive Stamp
<b>Item Number:</b>	1070
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	77-cent, definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Sheet of 20
<b>Series:</b>	Great Americans
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	Burt Silverman, New York, NY
<b>Designer:</b>	Howard Paine, Delaplane, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	Martin Morck
<b>Art Director:</b>	Howard Paine, Delaplane, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	John Boyd, New York, NY
<b>Modeler:</b>	Banknote Corporation of America, Inc. (BCA)
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Intaglio
<b>Printer:</b>	BCA
<b>Printed at:</b>	Browns Summit, NC
<b>Press Type:</b>	EPIKOS, Model 5009
<b>Stamps Per Book/Sheet:</b>	20
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	110 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	BCA, Browns Summit, NC
<b>Colors:</b>	Modified PMS 288 (Blue)
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.69 x 0.80 in./17.53 x 20.32 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.84 x 0.99 in./21.34 x 25.15 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	5.04 x 4.83 in./128.02 x 122.68 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	240 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"B" followed by a single digit
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Plate Position Diagram • Plate Numbers • Price
<b>Nationwide Sale Date:</b>	November 9, 1998

Stamp Fulfillment Services also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly *USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may request a free catalog by phoning 1-800-STAMP-24 or writing to:

INFORMATION FULFILLMENT  
DEPT 6270  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
PO BOX 419014  
KANSAS CITY MO 64141-6014

First day covers remain on sale for at least 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

## Distribution

All stamp distribution offices (SDOs) and stamp distribution networks (SDNs) will receive one-half of an automatic distribution for a 20-stamps-per-pane issue, rounded to the nearest master carton size (70,000 stamps).

## Initial Supply For Post Offices

The Minneapolis Information Systems Support Service Center will not use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, to distribute this definitive stamp. To obtain initial quantities of this stamp, post offices must immediately submit PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDOs or SDNs. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

## Additional Supply

Post offices requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using a separate PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from their accountable paper depositories (APDs) using a separate PS Form 17. For filling supplemental orders, the New York, NY; Chicago, IL; and San Francisco, CA,

APDs and the Kansas City, MO, SDN will each receive 7,000,000 stamps. The Washington, DC; Memphis, TN; and Denver, CO, APDs, and the Dulles, VA, SDN will each receive 6,930,000 stamps.

## Philatelic Requirement

SDOs and SDNs with authorized philatelic centers will receive their automatic distributions of this stamp in six positions for subsequent distributions to each center.

SDOs and SDNs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Mary Breckinridge</i> Definitive Stamp
1	12,000
2	24,000
3	36,000
4	48,000
6	140,000
12	210,000
20	280,000

—Stamp Services, Marketing, 10-8-98



STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 98-46

# Uncle Sam Definitive Stamp



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The Postal Service will issue a 22-cent *Uncle Sam* Definitive Stamp in two formats (Item No. 1071, pane of 20, and Item No. 7723, coil of 100) on November 9, 1998, in Washington, DC. No official ceremony will be planned. The stamp was designed by Richard Scheaff of Scottsdale, AZ, and illustrated by David LaFleur of Derby, KS, and goes on sale nationwide the same day.

## How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at their local post office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

22 CENT UNCLE SAM STAMP  
POSTMASTER  
900 BRENTWOOD RD NE  
WASHINGTON DC 20066-9991

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the envelopes through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by December 9, 1998.

Stamp Fulfillment Services also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly

*USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may request a free catalog by telephoning 1-800-STAMP-24 or by writing to:

INFORMATION FULFILLMENT  
DEPT 6270  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
PO BOX 419014  
KANSAS CITY MO 64141-6014

First day covers remain on sale for at least 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

## Distribution for *Uncle Sam* Definitive Stamp, Pane of 20 (PSA), Item 1071

All stamp distribution offices (SDOs) and stamp distribution networks (SDNs) will receive one-half of an automatic distribution for a 20-stamps-per-pane issue, rounded to the nearest master carton size (70,000 stamps).

## Initial Supply For Post Offices

The Minneapolis Information Systems Support Service Center **will not** use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, to distribute this definitive stamp. To obtain initial quantities of this stamp, post offices must immediately submit a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDO or SDN. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

## Additional Supply

Post offices requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using a PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from their accountable paper depositories (APDs) using a PS Form 17. For filling supplemental orders, all APDs and SDNs will receive 3,990,000 stamps, except for the Memphis, TN, and Denver, CO, APDs, which will each receive 3,920,000 stamps.

## Philatelic Requirement

SDOs and SDNs with authorized philatelic centers will receive an automatic distribution of these stamps in eight positions for subsequent distribution to each philatelic window.

SDOs and SDNs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity of the <i>Uncle Sam</i> Definitive Stamp
1	16,000
2	32,000
3	48,000
4	64,000
6	140,000
12	210,000
20	350,000

### Distribution for *Uncle Sam* Definitive Stamp, Coil of 100 (PSA), Item 7723

All stamp distribution offices (SDOs) and stamp distribution networks (SDNs) will receive the following automatic distribution of this pressure-sensitive adhesive coil of 100. Distributions are in master carton size (800 coils).

SDOs and SDNs That Receive This Standard Distribution for a Commemorative Sheet Stamp	Will Receive This Conversion Quantity of the <i>Uncle Sam</i> PSA Coil of 100
150,000 to 450,000	8,000 coils
500,000 to 900,000	12,000 coils
1,000,000 to 2,000,000	16,000 coils
2,500,000 to 3,500,000	24,000 coils

### Initial Supply For Post Offices

The Minneapolis Information Systems Support Service Center will not use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, to distribute this definitive stamp coil. To

obtain initial quantities of this stamp, post offices must immediately submit a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDO or SDN. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

### Additional Supply

Accountable paper depositories (APDs) will not receive quantities of this coil of 100 for filling supplemental orders. SDOs, SDNs, and authorized CAG A–G post offices requiring additional coils in bulk quantities may submit PS Form 3356, *Stamp Requisition — Bulk Quantities*, for Item 7723 to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

All other post offices requiring additional stamps in less than bulk quantities must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using a PS Form 17.

### Philatelic Requirement

SDOs and SDNs must provide a subsequent distribution of these coils of 100 to each authorized philatelic center from the initial automatic distribution quantity.

<b>Issue:</b>	<i>Uncle Sam</i> Definitive Stamp
<b>Item Number:</b>	1071 (pane of 20)
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	22-cent, definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Pane of 20
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	David LaFleur, Derby, KS
<b>Designer:</b>	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
<b>Engraver:</b>	Arnotek Industries
<b>Art Director:</b>	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
<b>Typographer:</b>	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
<b>Modeler:</b>	Donald Woo
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Printer:</b>	Sennett Security Products (SSP)
<b>Printed at:</b>	American Packaging Corporation, Columbus, WI
<b>Press Type:</b>	Champlain, M831
<b>Stamps Per Pane/Sheet:</b>	20
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	100 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	Unique Binders, Fredericksburg, VA
<b>Colors (PMS Colors):</b>	Magenta, Yellow, Cyan, Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.71 x 0.82 in./18.03 x 20.82 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.84 x 0.99 in./21.33 x 25.14 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	5.04 x 4.96 in./128.01 x 125.89 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	160 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"S" followed by four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Price • Position Diagram • Plate Numbers

<b>Issue:</b>	<i>Uncle Sam</i> Definitive Stamp
<b>Item Number:</b>	7723
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	22-cent, Definitive
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Format:</b>	Coil of 100
<b>Series:</b>	N/A
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Illustrator:</b>	David LaFleur, Derby, KS
<b>Designer:</b>	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
<b>Art Director:</b>	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
<b>Typographer:</b>	Richard Sheaff, Scottsdale, AZ
<b>Modeler:</b>	Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP)
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Gravure
<b>Engraver:</b>	N/A
<b>Printer:</b>	BEP
<b>Printed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Andreotti 601
<b>Stamps per Pane/Coil:</b>	100
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	500 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Pre-phosphored Type I
<b>Processed at:</b>	BEP, Washington, DC
<b>Colors:</b>	Process Magenta, Process Yellow, Process Cyan, Process Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Vertical
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	0.71 x 0.82 in./18.0 x 20.8 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	0.87 x 0.96 in./22.1 x 24.2 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	N/A
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	N/A
<b>Plate Size:</b>	480 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	Four single digits

STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT 98-47

# Shuttle Landing With Parachute Definitive Priority Mail Stamp



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The Postal Service will issue a *Shuttle Landing With Parachute* \$3.20 Definitive Priority Mail Stamp (Item No. 1109) on November 9, 1998, in Washington, DC. No official ceremony will be planned. The stamp was designed and illustrated by Phil Jordan of Falls Church, VA, and goes on sale nationwide the same day.

## How to Order the First Day of Issue Postmark

Customers have 30 days to obtain the first day of issue postmark by mail. They may purchase the new stamps at their local post office, affix the stamps to envelopes of their choice, address the envelopes (to themselves or others), and place them in a larger envelope addressed to:

SHUTTLE LANDING PRIORITY MAIL STAMP  
POSTMASTER  
900 BRENTWOOD RD NE  
WASHINGTON DC 20066-9991

After applying the first day of issue postmark, the Postal Service will return the envelopes through the mail. There is no charge for the postmark. All orders must be postmarked by December 9, 1998.

The Stamp Fulfillment Services office also offers first day covers for new stamp issues and postal stationery items postmarked with the official first day of issue cancellation. Each item has an individual catalog number and is offered in the quarterly *USA Philatelic* catalog. Customers may request a free catalog by telephoning 1-800-STAMP-24 or by writing to:

INFORMATION FULFILLMENT  
DEPT 6270  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
PO BOX 419014  
KANSAS CITY MO 64141-6014

<b>Issue:</b>	<i>Shuttle Landing With Parachute</i> Definitive Priority Mail Stamp
<b>Item Number:</b>	1109
<b>Denomination &amp; Type of Issue:</b>	\$3.20, definitive
<b>Format:</b>	Pane of 20 (1 design)
<b>Series:</b>	Priority Mail
<b>Issue Date &amp; City:</b>	November 9, 1998, Washington, DC
<b>Photographer:</b>	NASA
<b>Designer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Engraver:</b>	N/A
<b>Art Director:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Typographer:</b>	Phil Jordan, Falls Church, VA
<b>Modeler:</b>	Banknote Corporation of America, Inc. (BCA)
<b>Manufacturing Process:</b>	Offset, with Scrambled Indicia®
<b>Printer:</b>	BCA
<b>Printed at:</b>	BCA, Browns Summit, NC
<b>Press Type:</b>	Goebel 670
<b>Stamps per Pane/Sheet:</b>	20
<b>Print Quantity:</b>	245 million stamps
<b>Paper Type:</b>	Prephosphored Type II
<b>Gum Type:</b>	Self-adhesive
<b>Processed at:</b>	BCA, Browns Summit, NC
<b>Colors (PMS Colors):</b>	Yellow, Magenta, Cyan, Black
<b>Stamp Orientation:</b>	Horizontal
<b>Image Area (w x h):</b>	1.422 x 1.087 in./36.119 x 27.609 mm
<b>Overall Size (w x h):</b>	1.56 x 1.225 in./39.624 x 31.115 mm
<b>Full Pane Size (w x h):</b>	6.78 x 7.26 in./172.212 x 184.404 mm
<b>Plate Size:</b>	120 stamps per revolution
<b>Plate Numbers:</b>	"B" followed by four single digits
<b>Marginal Markings:</b>	"© USPS 1998" • Price • Plate Position Diagram • Plate Numbers
<b>Nationwide Sales Date:</b>	November 9, 1998

First day covers remain on sale for at least 1 year after the stamp's issuance.

## Distribution

All stamp distribution offices (SDOs) and stamp distribution networks (SDNs) will receive a standard automatic distribution for a 20-stamps-per-pane issue, rounded to the nearest master carton size (40,000 stamps).

## Initial Supply For Post Offices

The Minneapolis Information Systems Support Service Center **will not** use PS Form 3309, *Advice of Shipment/Stamp Invoice*, to distribute this definitive stamp. To obtain

initial quantities of this stamp, post offices must immediately submit PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDOs or SDNs. SDOs and SDNs must not distribute stamps to post offices before November 2, 1998.

### Additional Supply

Post offices requiring additional stamps must requisition them from their designated SDO or SDN using a separate PS Form 17. SDOs requiring additional stamps must order them from their accountable paper depositories (APDs) using a separate PS Form 17.

For filling supplemental orders, the New York, NY; Washington, DC; and Chicago, IL, APDs and the Dulles, VA, SDN will each receive 17,560,000 stamps. The Memphis, TN; Denver, CO; and San Francisco, CA, APDs will each receive 17,520,000 stamps. The Kansas City, MO, SDN will receive 35,040,000 stamps.

### Philatelic Requirement

SDOs and SDNs with authorized philatelic centers will receive their automatic distributions of this stamp in six positions for subsequent distributions to each center.

SDOs and SDNs That Serve This Many Philatelic Windows	Will Receive This Quantity Of Shuttle Landing With Parachute Definitive Priority Mail Stamp
1	12,000
2	24,000
3	36,000
4	48,000
6	80,000
12	160,000
20	240,000

—Stamp Services, Marketing, 10-8-98

### STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT

## Nondenominated, Presorted Standard, *Green Bicycle* Stamp, Item No. 7954

### Distribution

Item No. 7954, *Green Bicycle*, presorted standard, pressure-sensitive adhesive (PSA) coils of 3,000 **will not** be automatically distributed to stamp distribution offices (SDOs), stamp distribution networks (SDNs), or accountable paper depositories (APDs). Produced by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP), Item No. 7954 is now available for bulk requisitioning. SDOs, SDNs, and APDs may order Item No. 7954 from BEP using PS Form 3356, *Stamp Requisition* — *Bulk Quantities*.

### Initial Supply For Post Offices

Authorized CAG A–G post offices may order Item No. 7954, *Green Bicycle*, presorted standard (bulk rate), PSA coils of 3,000 from BEP using PS Form 3356. All other post offices requiring quantities of Item No. 7954 must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*.

### Additional Supply

SDOs, SDNs, APDs, and authorized CAG A–G post offices requiring additional coils may order them from BEP using PS Form 3356. All other post offices requiring quantities of Item No. 7954 must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using a separate PS Form 17.

### Philatelic Requirement

Philatelic centers requiring PSA coils of 3,000 must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17.

—Stamp Services, Marketing, 10-8-98

## STAMP ANNOUNCEMENT

**Nondenominated, First-Class Presort, *Diner* Stamp, Item No. 7986****Distribution**

Item No. 7986, *Diner*, First-Class presort, pressure-sensitive adhesive (PSA) coils of 10,000 **will not** be automatically distributed to stamp distribution offices (SDOs), stamp distribution networks (SDNs), or accountable paper depositories (APDs). Produced by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (BEP), Item No. 7986 is now available for bulk requisitioning. SDOs, SDNs, and APDs may order Item No. 7986 from BEP using PS Form 3356, *Stamp Requisition — Bulk Quantities*.

**Initial Supply For Post Offices**

Authorized CAG A–G post offices may order Item No. 7986, *Diner*, First-Class presort, PSA coils of 10,000 from BEP using PS Form 3356. All other post offices requiring quantities of Item 7986 must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using a separate PS Form 17, *Stamp Requisition*.

**Additional Supply**

SDOs, SDNs, APDs, and authorized CAG A–G post offices requiring additional coils may order them from BEP using PS Form 3356. All other post offices requiring quantities of Item 7986 must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using a separate PS Form 17.

**Philatelic Requirement**

Philatelic centers requiring PSA coils of 10,000 must order them from their designated SDO or SDN using PS Form 17.

—Stamp Services, Marketing, 10-8-98

## Pictorial Cancellations Announcement 98-20

As a community service, the Postal Service offers pictorial cancellations to commemorate local events celebrated in communities throughout the nation. A list of events for which pictorial cancellations are authorized appears below. If available, the sponsor of the pictorial cancellation appears in italics under the date. Also provided, as space permits, are illustrations of those cancellations that were reproducible and available at press time.

People attending these local events may obtain the cancellation in person at the temporary post office station established there. Those who cannot attend the event, but who wish to obtain the cancellation, may submit a mail order request. Pictorial cancellations are available only for the dates indicated, and *requests must be postmarked no later than 30 days following the requested pictorial cancellation date.*

All requests must include a stamped envelope or postcard bearing at least the minimum First-Class Mail postage (32 cents per envelope or 20 cents per postcard). Items submitted for cancellation may not include postage issued

after the date of the requested cancellation. Such items will be returned unserviced.

Customers wishing to obtain a cancellation should affix stamps to any envelope or postcard of their choice, address the envelope or postcard to themselves or others, insert a card of postcard thickness in envelopes for sturdiness, and tuck in the flap. Place the envelope or postcard in a larger envelope and address it to: PICTORIAL CANCELLATIONS, followed by the NAME OF THE STATION, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP + 4 CODE, exactly as listed below (using all capitals and no punctuation, except the hyphen in the ZIP + 4 code).

After applying the pictorial cancellation, the Postal Service returns the envelope or postcard through the mail. Customers who want their serviced item returned under protected cover should include a larger, stamped, self addressed envelope.

The following pictorial cancellations have been extended for an additional 30 days.

	<b>CELEBRATE THE CENTURY</b> STATION <b>THE 1930s</b>	September 10, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY — THE 1930S POSTMASTER 101 W 5TH ST METROPOLIS IL 62960-9998	September 16, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER PO BOX 9998 WARWICK NY 10990-9998
		September 16, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER PO BOX 9998 PINE PLAINS NY 12567-9998	September 30, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER 320 W SECOND ST WICHITA KS 67202-9998

	<b>PUT YOUR STAMP ON HISTORY</b> →1930s←		September 16, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER PO BOX 9998 CUDDEBACKVILLE NY 12729-9998	CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER PO BOX 9998 WHITE PLAINS NY 10602-9998
			September 16, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER PO BOX 9998 MOUNT VERNON NY 10550-9998	September 18, 1998  CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION POSTMASTER PO BOX 9998 FLINT MN 48502-9998



October 1, 1998

BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
101 E COMMERCE ST  
GREENVILLE AL 36037-9998

October 1, 5, & 10, 1998

BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
320 S 2ND AVE  
SIOUX FALLS SD 57104-9998

October 2, 1998

BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
108 N SANBORN ST  
CHAMBERLAIN SD 57325-9998

October 5, 1998

BREAST CANCER STATION  
POSTMASTER  
333 W 4TH ST RM 253  
TULSA OK 74103-9802

October 7, 1998

USPS  
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
KALISPELL MT 59901-9998

October 8, 1998

St Joseph Mercy Hospital  
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
RR 3 BOX 38  
CENTERVILLE IA 52544-9403

October 10, 1998

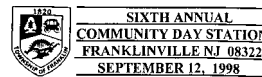
BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
120 ENTERPRISE ST  
STERLING VA 20164-9998



August 24-27, 1998

National Association of Postmasters of the  
United States

CONVENTION STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1900 W OAKLAND PK BLVD  
FT LAUDERDALE FL 33310-9998



September 12, 1998

Franklinville Historical Society  
SIXTH ANNUAL COMMUNITY DAY  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
2387 DELSEA DR  
FRANKLINVILLE NJ 08322-9998



August 28, 1998

UNION FAIR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
309 COMMON RD  
UNION ME 04862-9998



September 12, 1998

West Chicago Bible Church  
50 YEAR CELEBRATION STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WEST CHICAGO IL 60185-9998



August 28, 1998

AMERICAN GOTHIC STATION  
POSTMASTER  
402 ELM ST  
ELDON IA 52554-9998



September 12, 1998

FLAG DAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
900 E FAYETTE ST  
BALTIMORE MD 21233-9715

ARTWORK UNAVAILABLE

September 10, 1998

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
40 WESTERN AVE  
AUGUSTA ME 04330-9998



September 12-17, 1998

USPS  
NATIONAL SOCIETY FOR  
HISTOTECHNOLOGY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
230 W 200 S  
SALT LAKE CITY UT 84101-9998



September 12, 1998

SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY DAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
101 25TH ST  
NEWPORT NEWS VA 23607-9998



September 16, 1998

CELEBRATE THE CENTURY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
YONKERS NY 10702-9998



September 12, 1998

Salisbury Post Office QWL/EI Team  
GREATER SALISBURY FIREMANS  
ANNUAL MUSTER STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
SALISBURY MD 21801-9998



September 18, 1998

Stephen F Austin State University  
ANNIVERSARY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
3007 UNIVERSITY DR  
NACOGDOCHES TX 75961-9998



September 18, 1998

AFDCS North Texas Chapter No 56  
1998 BALLOON FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1200 JUPITER RD  
PLANO TX 75074-9998



September 20, 1998

Romeo Historical Society  
2ND ANNUAL CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
ROMEO MI 48065-9998



Philatelic Station  
Detroit MI 48202  
September 18, 1998

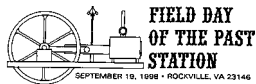
September 18-20, 1998

Detroit Festival of the Arts and the USPS  
DETROIT FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS  
PHILATELIC STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1401 W FORT ST LOBBY  
DETROIT MI 48233-9998



September 24, 1998

TASTE OF ARDMORE STATION  
POSTMASTER  
208 1ST SW  
ARDMORE OK 73401-9998



September 18-20, 1998

FIELD DAY OF THE PAST STATION  
POSTMASTER  
16590 POUNCEY TRACT RD  
ROCKVILLE VA 23146-9998



September 24-October 4, 1998

STATE FAIR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1801 BROOK RD  
RICHMOND VA 23232-9998



September 19, 1998

25TH ANNIVERSARY FAIR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
STATE HWY 3  
WHITE STONE VA 22578-9998



September 25 &amp; 26, 1998

VIRGINIA PEANUT FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
109 S MAIN ST  
EMPORIA VA 28347-9998



September 19, 1998

GATEWAY FOOTBALL CLASSIC STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1720 MARKET ST WINDOW 31  
ST LOUIS MO 63155-9998



September 26, 1998

RIVER CITY ROUNDUP STATION  
POSTMASTER  
14TH & FARNAM ST  
OMAHA NE 68108-9998



September 19, 1998

SACRAMENTO BALLET DANCE IN THE  
WILD STATION  
POSTMASTER  
2000 ROYAL OAKS DR  
SACRAMENTO CA 95813-9998



September 26, 1998

BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
320 SW 5TH ST  
OKLAHOMA CITY OK 73125-9998



September 19, 1998

CENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
125 FOREST AVE  
PORTLAND ME 04101-9998



September 26, 1998

Knights of Pythias  
SEPAR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
401 SHAKESPEARE  
LORDSBURG NM 88045-9998



September 19, 1998

ROCK AROUND THE CLOCK  
GOLD RUSH STATION  
POSTMASTER  
10923 PROGRESS CT  
RANCHO CORDOVA CA 95670-9998



September 26, 1998

Fort Mott State Park  
FORT MOTT STATION  
POSTMASTER  
220 S BROADWAY  
PENNSVILLE NJ 08070-9998



September 19-27, 1998

Ontario Airport  
ONT STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1555 E HOLT BLVD  
ONTARIO CA 91761-9998



September 26, 1998

FORESTHILL GOLD MINERS GATHERING  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
24035 RACETRACK ST  
FORESTHILL CA 95631-9998





September 26, 1998  
*Antique Club*  
 THREE RIVERS ANTIQUES TRACTORS  
 ENGINES STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 1125 ROANE ST  
 HARRIMAN TN 37748-9998



October 1, 1998  
 SEVENTIETH ANNIVERSARY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 NEWARK INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT  
 BLDG 345  
 NEWARK NJ 07114-9741



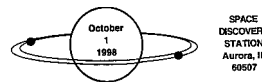
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 POSTMASTER  
 2 S ACADEMY ST  
 WYOMING NY 14591-9998



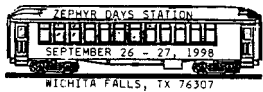
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 BREAST CANCER RESEARCH STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 351 24TH ST N  
 BIRMINGHAM AL 35203-9998



September 26 & 27, 1998  
 SACRAMENTO READS STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 2000 ROYAL OAKS DR  
 SACRAMENTO CA 95813-9998



October 1, 1998  
 SPACE DISCOVERY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 9998  
 AURORA IL 60505-9998



September 26 & 27, 1998  
*Railroad Museum*  
 ZEPHYR DAYS STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 1000 LAMAR ST  
 WICHITA FALLS TX 76307-9998



October 1, 1998  
 40TH ANNIVERSARY STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 809 ABERDEEN RD  
 HAMPTON VA 23670-9998



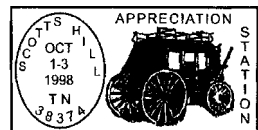
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 SEPTEMBER TO REMEMBER STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 25 DORCHESTER AVE RM 4009  
 BOSTON MA 02205-9996



October 1, 1998  
 JOHN C BOORSE HOUSE HEXAGONAL  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 1401 FORTY FOOT RD  
 KULPSVILLE PA 19443-9998



September 28, 1998  
 THE NEW ENGLAND FALL FOLIAGE  
 EXPRESS STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 125 FOREST AVE  
 PORTLAND ME 04101-9998



October 1-3, 1998  
*City of Scotts Hill*  
 APPRECIATION STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 685 HWY 114 S  
 SCOTTS HILL TN 37374-9998



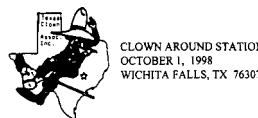
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 40 YEARS NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND  
 SPACE ADMINISTRATION STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 2503 S WASHINGTON AVE  
 TITUSVILLE FL 32780-9998



October 1-3, 1998  
 LOUISVILLE BALLET  
 LOUISVILLE BALLET STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 31905  
 LOUISVILLE KY 40231-9998



October 1, 1998  
 SPACE EXPLORATION STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 RTE 642 & RTE 643  
 MOON VA 23119-9998



October 1-4, 1998  
*Texas Clown Association*  
 CLOWN AROUND STATION  
 OCTOBER 1, 1998  
 WICHITA FALLS, TX 76307



October 1, 1998  
 TULSA STATE FAIR STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 333 W 4TH ST  
 TULSA OK 74103-9802

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October 1-4, 1998  
 SALEM APPLE BUTTER PHILATELIC  
 STATION  
 POSTMASTER  
 PO BOX 293  
 SALEM WV 26426-0293



OKTOBERFEST  
STATION  
LACROSSE WI 54601  
OCTOBER 2, 1998

October 2, 1998

OKTOBERFEST STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
LA CROSSE WI 54601-9998



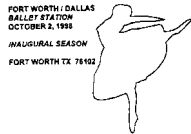
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PIONEER LANDING STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WARREN OH 44481-9998



October 2, 1998

VICTORY DAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
PORT JEFFERSON NY 11777-9998



October 2, 1998

*Fort Worth/Dallas Ballet*  
FORT WORTH/DALLAS BALLET STATION  
POSTMASTER  
4600 MARK IV PKWY  
FORT WORTH TX 76161-9998



October 2 & 3, 1998

LAMOILLE CENTRAL ACADEMY  
ANNIVERSARY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
214 CHURCH ST  
HYDE PARK VT 05655-9998



October 2-4, 1998

*Franklin Area Chamber of Commerce*  
APPLEFEST STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1202 ELK ST  
FRANKLIN PA 16323-9998

Battle of  
Mill Springs, 136th



*National Reenactment*

October 2-4, 1998

*Mill Springs Battlefield Association*  
LOGANS CROSSROADS STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
NANCY KY 42544-9998



October 2-4, 1998

MID AMERICA WATERFOWL EXPO  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
95 STATE ST  
PEORIA IL 61601-9998

Apple Fest "98" Station  
October 2-4, 1998



Wellsburg WV 26070

October 2-4, 1998

APPLE FEST 98 STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WELLSBURG WV 26070-9998



October 2, 3, 4, 1998  
Berlin Fair Station  
Postmaster  
Beckley Road  
East Berlin, CT 06023

October 2-4, 1998

BERLIN FAIR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
BECKLEY RD  
EAST BERLIN CT 06023-9998



FESTIVAL '98  
\*\* Station \*\*  
TIPTONVILLE \*\*  
TN 38079-9998  
OCT 2-4 1998

October 2-4, 1998

*City of Tiptonville*  
FESTIVAL 98 STATION  
POSTMASTER  
404 CHURCH ST  
TIPTONVILLE TN 38079-9998



October 3, 1998

150TH ANNIVERSARY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
13851 LONG CREEK HWY  
LONG CREEK SC 29658-9998



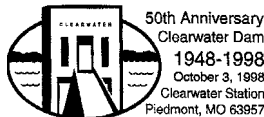
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TEDDY BEAR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
90 CENTER ST  
MIDDLEBORO MA 02346-9998



October 3, 1998

BAYFIELD APPLEFEST STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
BAYFIELD WI 54814-9998



October 3, 1998

CLEARWATER STATION  
POSTMASTER  
125 W GREEN ST  
PIEDMONT MO 63957-9998



*Bicentennial Station*  
Leesburg, NJ 08327  
October 3, 1998

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*Maurice River Township Bicentennial Ad Hoc Committee*

BICENTENNIAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
174 MAIN ST  
LEESBURG NJ 08327-9998



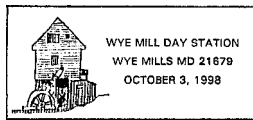
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*Searchlight Museum Guild*  
100TH BIRTHDAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 36  
SEARCHLIGHT NV 89046-9936



October 3, 1998

*Apple N Cheese Festival Committee*  
APPLE N CHEESE FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
CANTON PA 17724-9998



October 3, 1998  
WYE MILL DAY STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
WYE MILLS MD 21679-9998



October 3, 1998  
*Pumpkin Daze Committee*  
GREAT PUMPKIN COMMONWEALTH  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
660 E HARRISON ST  
REPUBLIC MO 65738-9998



October 3, 1998  
STONE LAKE CRANBERRY FEST  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
STONE LAKE WI 54876-9998



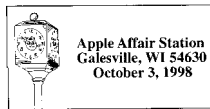
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WATERFORD STATION  
POSTMASTER  
40175 MAIN ST  
WATERFORD VA 20197-9998



October 3, 1998  
SMITHTOWN STITCHERS STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
SMITHTOWN NY 11787-9998



October 3, 1998  
CELEBRATE STAMP COLLECTING  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1335 JEFFERSON RD  
ROCHESTER NY 14692-9998



October 3, 1998  
APPLE AFFAIR STATION  
POSTMASTER  
PO BOX 9998  
GALESVILLE WI 54630-9998



October 3, 1998  
*Feather River Byway Committee*  
FEATHER RIVER SCENIC BYWAY  
STATION  
POSTMASTER  
440 S GULLING ST  
PORTOLA CA 96122-9998



October 3, 1998  
IGNITE YOUR MIND STATION  
POSTMASTER  
1200 WILLIAM ST  
BUFFALO NY 14240-9998



October 3, 1998  
MANTON STATION  
POSTMASTER  
COUNTY RD A6  
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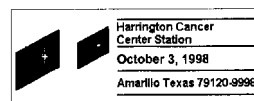
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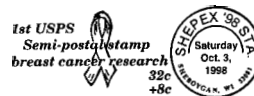
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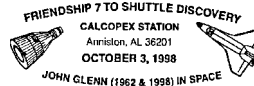
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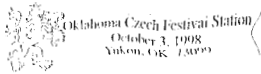
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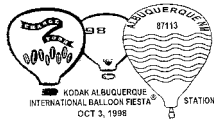


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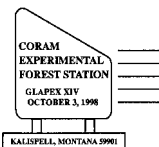
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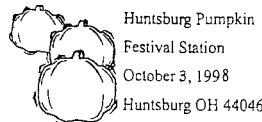
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STATION  
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October 3 & 4, 1998  
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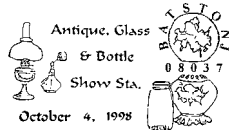


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34th National Apple Harvest  
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October 3, 1998

October 3 & 4 and 10 & 11, 1998  
34TH NATIONAL APPLE HARVEST  
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Antique, Glass  
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October 4, 1998  
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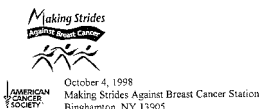
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October 4, 1998  
Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Station  
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MAKING STRIDES AGAINST BREAST  
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October 4, 1998  
*Berlin Fall Festival*  
BERLIN FALL FESTIVAL STATION  
POSTMASTER  
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MSABC Station  
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*HUGS to Kids*  
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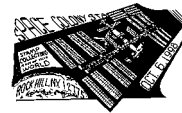
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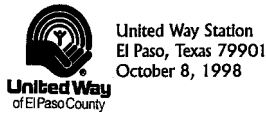
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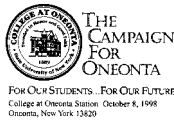
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EL PASO TX 79901-9998



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D&H TREK 98 STATION  
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WAYMART PA 18472-9998



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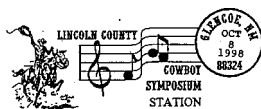
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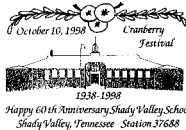
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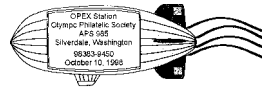
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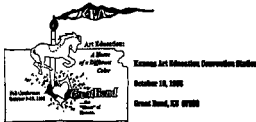
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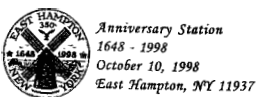
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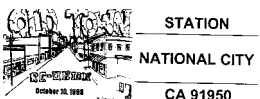
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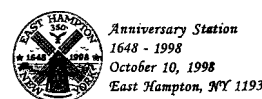
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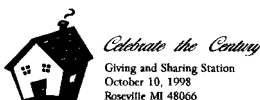
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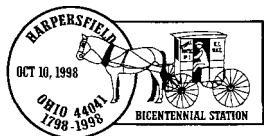
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October 10, 1998

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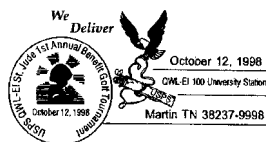
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KANSAS CITY KS 66106-9998



October 12, 1998

Martin QWL-EI Team  
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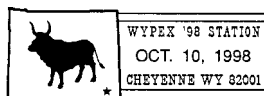
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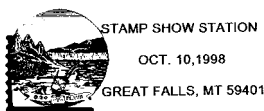
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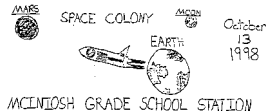
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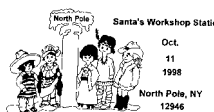
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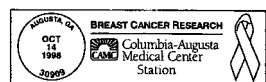
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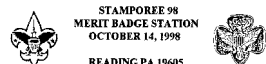
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560 HUYLER ST  
HACKENSACK NJ 07601-9998



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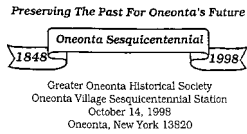
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October 14-17, 1998

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October 14, 1998

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October 15, 1998

WOMEN AND CHILDRENS STATION  
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October 14, 1998

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October 15, 1998

HALLOWEEN STATION  
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## Special Cancellation Die Hubs

Postmasters and plant managers who have any of the special cancellation die hubs listed below may use them for the periods designated. At the end of the period, these die hubs must be withdrawn and stored. Postmasters and plant managers who do not have these special die hubs may not request them from the sponsors.

Cancellation	Period of Use
Only You Can Prevent Forest Fires	April 1–Oct. 31
Peace Corps Anniversary, Making a Difference	Sept. 1–Oct. 31
Employ People With Disabilities	Sept. 1–Nov. 30
Give, the United Way	Sept. 15–Oct. 31
Learn About Lupus, October, Lupus Awareness Month	Oct. 1–Oct. 31
Radon Action Week	Oct. 1–Oct. 31
Support Infection Control Week	Oct. 1–Nov. 30
National Adoption Month	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
Military Families Recognition Day	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
National Philanthropy Day, Love of Humankind	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
Help Retarded Children	Nov. 1–Nov. 30
Use Christmas Seals, Support Your Lung Association	Nov. 8–Dec. 31
Support American Education Week	Nov. 10–Nov. 30
Autistic Children, Hope Through Research and Education	Dec. 1–Dec. 31

—Business Mail Acceptance, Marketing Systems, 10-8-98

## Post Offices

### NEW MANAGEMENT INSTRUCTION RELEASED

#### Piece Count Recording System

Effective September 26, 1998, MI PO-610-1998-3, *Piece Count Recording System*, replaced MI PO-610-85-3, *Daily Unit Volume Recording*. These guidelines apply to all post offices and station and branch operations that require mail volume recording.

The revised management instruction is available on the IntraNet at <http://blue.usps.gov/cpim/manage/welcome1.htm> by title or document number. The document will also be available through the MDCs upon completion of printing in mid-October. Please note that any requests phoned into the MDCs prior to that time will be placed on back order until the shipment is received.

Related PS Forms 3921, *Volume Recording Worksheet*; 3922, *Customer Services Volume Recording Worksheet*; and 3930, *Operations Analysis*, with instructions, are currently available through the MDCs and on the Internet at <http://www.usps.gov/business/formspdf.htm> (scroll down the page to the heading "Delivery Operations").

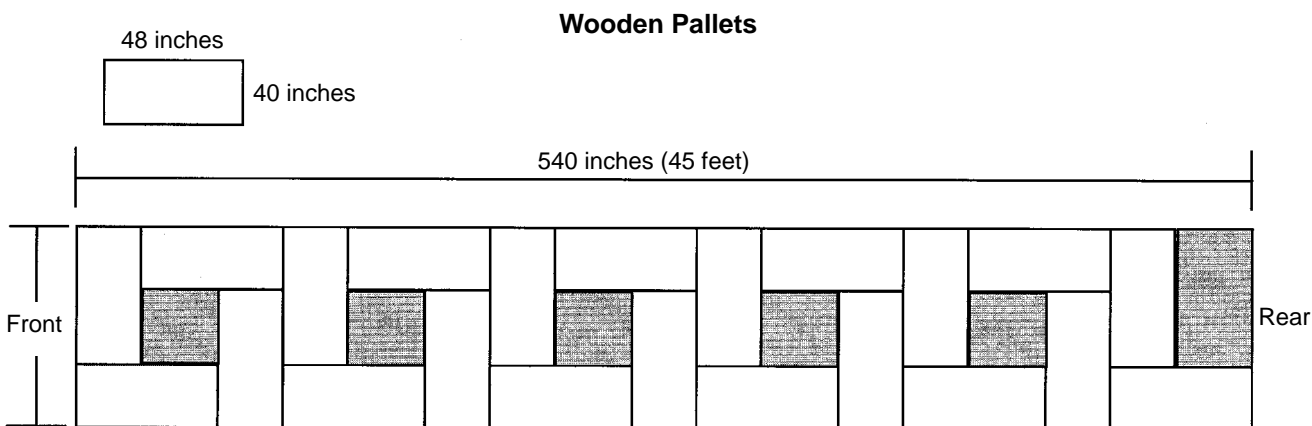
—*Delivery Policies and Programs,  
Operations Support, 10-8-98*

### PALLET SAFETY

#### Loading Pallets Safely Into Trailers

Offices that dispatch pallets (either with or without mail on them) must load those pallets into trailers in a safe manner to ensure the integrity of the load. Improperly loaded pallets can shift or slide, causing the contents to topple in transit or when the trailer door opens.

Plastic postal pallets are designed to nest. The capacity for a 45-foot trailer is 22 stacks of 45 nested pallets. Load nested pallets side by side and secure in trailers with straps.



—*Mail Transport Equipment, Operations Support, 10-8-98*

CFR REVISION

# Conduct on Postal Property

Effective June 25, 1998, the Postal Service revised title 39 of the *Code of Federal Regulations* (CFR) to amend its regulations concerning conduct on postal property. The final rule promulgating the new regulations was published in the *Federal Register* at 63 FR 34599 and appears in section 232.1 of the July 1998 edition of title 39 CFR.

The new regulations add the following prohibitions:

- No smoking in postal buildings.
- No soliciting of signatures on petitions, polls, or surveys on postal property except as otherwise authorized by postal regulations.
- No impeding ingress to or egress from postal buildings.
- No leafleting, picketing, and demonstrating by members of the public in lobbies and other interior areas of postal buildings open to the public.
- No public assembly and address, except when conducted or sponsored by the Postal Service, in lobbies and other interior areas of postal buildings.

- No placement of tables, chairs, freestanding signs or posters, structures, or furniture of any type on postal property except as part of postal activities or as otherwise permitted by these regulations.
- No storage of weapons and explosives on postal property except for official purposes.

The new regulations add rules for voter registration activities on postal property.

The new regulations provide that, in addition to guide dogs, animals used to assist persons with disabilities may be brought on postal property.

The new regulations provide that, in addition to postal inspectors and postal police, Office of Inspector General special agents and persons designated by the Chief Postal Inspector may enforce Postal Service property regulations.

A future issue of the *Postal Operations Manual* (POM) will include these changes in the CFR regulations.

—Counsel, Postal Inspection Service, 10-8-98

## Post Office Changes Number 98-18

Old/New	Finance No.	ZIP Code	State	P.O. Name	County/Parish	Station/Branch/Unit	Unit Type	Effective Date	Comments
Old	05-1092	92319	CA	Cadiz	San Bernardino	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Cadiz CA becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 92304.
New	05-0216	92304	CA	Amboy	San Bernardino	Cadiz	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	05-5004	93628	CA	Hume	Fresno	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 93628 to include delivery.
New	05-5004	93628	CA	Hume	Fresno	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	05-5004	93603	CA	Badger	Tulare	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 93603 to include delivery.
New	05-5004	93603	CA	Badger	Tulare	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	16-6300	62676	IL	Plainview	Macoupin	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Plainview IL becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 62685.
New	16-7224	62685	IL	Shipman	Macoupin	Plainview	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	19-0099	66930	KS	Agenda	Republic	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office discontinued. Retain ZIP Code. Establish a community post office. Use Agenda KS 66930 as last line of address.
New	19-1958	66930	KS	Clyde	Cloud	Agenda (Republic Co.)	Community Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	19-4609	67856	KS	Kalvesta	Finney	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Kalvesta KS becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 67835.
New	19-1826	67835	KS	Cimarron	Gray	Kalvesta (Finney Co.)	Place Name	10/3/1998	

Old/ New	Finance No.	ZIP Code	State	P.O. Name	County/ Parish	Station/Branch/ Unit	Unit Type	Effective Date	Comments
Old	20-5180	41650	KY	Melvin	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41650 to include delivery.
New	20-5180	41650	KY	Melvin	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-2304	41621	KY	Dwale	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41621 to include delivery.
New	20-2304	41621	KY	Dwale	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-5300	41651	KY	Minnie	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41651 to include delivery.
New	20-5300	41651	KY	Minnie	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-8196	41667	KY	Weeksbury	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41667 to include delivery.
New	20-8196	41667	KY	Weeksbury	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-4924	41835	KY	McRoberts	Letcher	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41835 to include delivery.
New	20-4924	41835	KY	McRoberts	Letcher	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-3668	41534	KY	Hellier	Pike	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41534 to include delivery.
New	20-3668	41534	KY	Hellier	Pike	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-4076	41751	KY	Jeff	Perry	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41751 to include delivery.
New	20-4076	41751	KY	Jeff	Perry	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-2232	41619	KY	Drift	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 41619 to include delivery.
New	20-2232	41619	KY	Drift	Floyd	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	20-2220	42128	KY	Drake	Warren	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office discontinued. Retain ZIP Code. Establish a community post office. Use Drake KY 42128 as last line of address.
New	20-0896	42128	KY	Bowling Green	Warren	Drake	Community Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	21-0104	70421	LA	Akers	Tangipahoa	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 70421 to include delivery.
New	21-0104	70421	LA	Akers	Tangipahoa	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	21-3926	70057	LA	Hahnville	Saint Charles	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 70057 to include delivery.
New	21-3926	70057	LA	Hahnville	Saint Charles	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	21-7098	70393	LA	Plattenville	Assumption	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 70393 to include delivery.
New	21-7098	70393	LA	Plattenville	Assumption	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	23-1008	21021	MD	Bradshaw	Baltimore	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Bradshaw MD becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 21087.
New	23-4950	21087	MD	Kingsville	Baltimore	Bradshaw	Place Name	9/19/1998	
Old	22-7350	04279	ME	Rumford Point	Oxford	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Rumford Point ME becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 04276.
New	22-7320	04276	ME	Rumford	Oxford	Rumford Point	Place Name	9/19/1998	

Old/ New	Finance No.	ZIP Code	State	P.O. Name	County/ Parish	Station/Branch/ Unit	Unit Type	Effective Date	Comments
Old	25-8570	49280	MI	Seneca	Lenawee	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office discontinued. Retain ZIP Code. Establish a community post office. Use Seneca MI 49280 as last line of address.
New	25-8400	49280	MI	Sand Creek	Lenawee	Seneca	Community Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	26-5280	56459	MN	Lake Hubert	Crow Wing	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office discontinued. Retain ZIP Code. Establish a community post office. Use Lake Hubert MN 56459 as last line of address.
New	26-6860	56459	MN	Nisswa	Crow Wing	Lake Hubert	Community Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	28-7956	63470	MO	Steffenville	Lewis	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Steffenville MO becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 63447.
New	28-4392	63447	MO	La Belle	Lewis	Steffenville	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	36-8296	27981	NC	Wanchese	Dare	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 27981 to include delivery.
New	36-8296	27981	NC	Wanchese	Dare	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	36-1064	27508	NC	Bunn	Franklin	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 27508 to include delivery.
New	36-1064	27508	NC	Bunn	Franklin	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	34-4788	88003	NM	Las Cruces	Dona Ana	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 88003 to include delivery.
New	34-4788	88003	NM	Las Cruces	Dona Ana	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	35-2895	11351	NY	Flushing	Queens	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 11351 to include delivery.
New	35-2895	11351	NY	Flushing	Queens	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	35-8715	14888	NY	Valois	Schuyler	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Valois NY becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 14841.
New	35-3705	14841	NY	Hector	Schuyler	Valois	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	40-6096	97369	OR	Otter Rock	Lincoln	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 97369 to include delivery.
New	40-6096	97369	OR	Otter Rock	Lincoln	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	41-6172	18637	PA	Nuangola	Luzerne	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Nuangola PA becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 18707.
New	41-9260	18707	PA	Wilkes-Barre	Luzerne	Nuangola	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	48-1130	78526	TX	Brownsville	Cameron	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 78526 to include delivery.
New	48-1130	78526	TX	Brownsville	Cameron	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	54-1176	98609	WA	Carrolls	Cowlitz	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 98609 to include delivery.
New	54-1176	98609	WA	Carrolls	Cowlitz	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	55-5574	26506	WV	Morgantown	Monongalia	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 26506 to include delivery.
New	55-5574	26506	WV	Morgantown	Monongalia	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	
Old	55-7254	26430	WV	Sand Fork	Gilmer	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	This announcement expands the use of ZIP Code 26430 to include delivery.
New	55-7254	26430	WV	Sand Fork	Gilmer	Main Office	Post Office	9/19/1998	

Old/ New	Finance No.	ZIP Code	State	P.O. Name	County/ Parish	Station/Branch/ Unit	Unit Type	Effective Date	Comments
Old	55-4872	25867	WV	Long Branch	Fayette	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Use Pax WV 25904 as last line of address for deliveries previously in Long Branch WV.
New	55-6240	25904	WV	Pax	Fayette	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	
Old	55-6468	25158	WV	Pliny	Putnam	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Pliny WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25082.
New	55-2928	25082	WV	Fraziers Bottom	Putnam	Pliny	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-4398	25120	WV	Kingston	Fayette	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Kingston WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25917.
New	55-7320	25917	WV	Scarbro	Fayette	Kingston	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-3534	25105	WV	Harrison	Clay	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Harrison WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25063.
New	55-2286	25063	WV	Duck	Clay	Harrison	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-7260	25274	WV	Sand Ridge	Calhoun	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Sand Ridge WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25234.
New	55-0306	25234	WV	Arnoldsburg	Calhoun	Sand Ridge	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-0348	24810	WV	Ashland	McDowell	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Ashland WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 24868.
New	55-5922	24868	WV	Northfork	McDowell	Ashland	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-0570	25814	WV	Beckwith	Fayette	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Beckwith WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25840.
New	55-2748	25840	WV	Fayetteville	Fayette	Beckwith	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-4950	25631	WV	Lundale	Logan	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Lundale WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25630.
New	55-4896	25630	WV	Lorado	Logan	Lundale	Place Name	10/3/1998	
Old	55-7140	25643	WV	Rossmore	Logan	Main Office	Post Office	10/3/1998	Post office and ZIP Code discontinued. Establish a place name. Rossmore WV becomes an acceptable last line for use with ZIP Code 25601.
New	55-4854	25601	WV	Logan	Logan	Rossmore	Place Name	10/3/1998	

# **Postmasters**

## **Watch for America Recycles Day**

### **Postmaster's Kit in the Next Issue of the *Postal Bulletin***

**Join in the Celebration  
of America Recycles Day  
November 15**

The Postal Service is encouraging employees and customers to protect the environment by participating in America Recycles Day.

The Postmaster's Kit will include many ideas for special events and tips for publicizing America Recycles Day, and we are counting on you to help the Postal Service celebrate this special day at your post office.

**Please Post On All Bulletin Boards**

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# Postal Employees

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## ALL POST OFFICES WITH RURAL DELIVERY SERVICE

### Rural Carrier Guarantee Period

Postal managers must effectively manage rural carriers who work under the provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA), section 7(b)(2). Those carriers are paid overtime for all hours actually worked in excess of 2,080, up to 2,240, within the 52-consecutive-week guarantee period.

If a carrier works more than 2,240 hours within the guarantee period, the agreement under FLSA, section 7(b)(2), is considered void, and the carrier must be compensated for all hours worked during the guarantee period in accordance with FLSA, section 7(a).

It is important that we make every effort to minimize the number of hours rural carriers work over 2,080 and strictly monitor these carriers to ensure that no carrier works in excess of 2,240 actual work hours.

Last year's guarantee period was from Saturday, November 8, 1997, through Friday, November 6, 1998. The guarantee period for this year runs from Saturday, November 7, 1998, through Friday, November 5, 1999.

—*Delivery Policies and Programs,  
Operations Support, 10-8-98*

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## CAMPAIGN SEASON NOTICE

### Political Campaign Mail

One of the most important public policy functions of the Postal Service is serving as a trusted partner in our nation's electoral process. Candidates for thousands of federal, state, and local offices are relying on us to bring their message to America's voters. Voters and candidates will also be judging the service of the USPS during the fall campaign season.

Direct mail remains a critical component of the media mix used by many candidates. Political consultants describe it as the most personal of all media, as it is the only one that permits pinpoint focusing on specific elements of the electorate.

Over the next several weeks, our system will experience a huge influx of political campaign mail. It is our job to make sure it is handled and delivered promptly and correctly. Equally important is the proper identification of political mail as it moves through our processing, delivery, and transportation network. The use of the distinctive red Tag 57, *Political Campaign Mailing*, is designed to ensure that our people recognize this mail at every step along the way. More detailed information about the processing of political campaign mail is contained in *Postal Operations Manual (POM) 492*.

—*Policy and Strategy Development,  
Government Relations, 10-8-98*

## Retail

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### PACKAGING UPDATE

#### New FIRSTCLASS PHONECARD™ Packaging

There are now two types of FIRSTCLASS PHONECARD packaging: cards in the original "dollar bill" size packaging and a new, wider package for use in displays at retail counters in card selling sites.

Retail locations selling FIRSTCLASS PHONECARDS should display the new, wider packaging in their acrylic displays and can also continue to sell cards in the "dollar bill" package until that inventory is exhausted. Future shipments for retail sites will contain only cards in the new packaging.

Vending personnel must place only "dollar bill" size packaging in their PCM-1625B machines. The original "dollar size" packaging will be shipped only to those sites that are vending FIRSTCLASS PHONECARDS.

To ensure receipt of correct inventory, any employee ordering FIRSTCLASS PHONECARDS must specify whether the order is for "retail" or for "self service (vending)." This will help guarantee that they receive cards in the appropriate packaging.

—New Business Initiatives and Products,  
Marketing, 10-8-98

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### YEARBOOK UPDATE

#### 1998 Stamp Yearbook

On Monday, November 2, 1998, the *1998 Stamp Yearbook*, formerly known as the "Commemorative Collection," will go on sale throughout the country and by mail order from:

STAMP FULFILLMENT SERVICES  
PO BOX 419636  
KANSAS CITY MO 64179-0996

Selling for \$39.95, the *1998 Stamp Yearbook* (Item #8998) is a 64-page hardbound book that contains 80 commemorative stamps (approximately \$30 in postage) with mounts. This beautifully illustrated book contains colorful pictures and stamp subjects such as: Sylvester & Tweety, Four Centuries of American Art, Tropical Birds, Space Discovery, and 21 other subjects celebrated on 1998 commemorative stamps.

Distribution to stamp distribution offices (SDOs) will take place in three waves:

- Wave 1 — all postal stores, October 19.
- Wave 2 — 102,570 copies to SDOs beginning October 12 with completion by October 29.
- Wave 3 — 135,195 copies to SDOs beginning October 13 with completion by November 19.

Distribution quantities are based on the January 1998 stamp distribution survey.

The books and stamp packets are being shipped to SDOs separately from different suppliers. SDOs must verify receipt of the quantities of stamp packets, as recorded on their advice of shipment. The books are being shipped with 15 books per carton to equal the total number of books received. The stamp packets are shipped in quantities of 150 packets per carton. SDOs should report all differences between quantities shown on the advice of shipment and those actually received. SDOs must verify that they have received equal quantities of books and stamp packets.

Those SDOs that serve retail stores will receive additional quantities of the *1998 Stamp Yearbook (with stamp packets enclosed)* (Item 8998E). SDOs must use this item to fill orders for postal stores only. To obtain an initial supply of this product, all post offices must submit separate PS Forms 17, *Stamp Requisition*, to their designated SDO. Offices should report all sales of this product in AIC 092, *Philatelic Product Sales*, on PS Form 1412-A, *Daily Financial Form*.

—Stamp Marketing, Marketing, 10-8-98

SELF SERVICE

# “H” Stamp Vending

On November 9, 1998, the Postal Service will issue the nondenominated “H” Hat stamps in Washington, DC. These stamps support the new postage rates effective January 10, 1999. In support of the Postal Service’s Self Service operations, these stamps are packaged in 20-stamp, \$6.60 vending booklets.

For the convenience of our customers, please ensure that sufficient quantities of these stamp booklets are stocked beginning November 10, 1998. Stock booklets in Postal Booklet and Stamp Machines (PBSM-624) and in the following Postal Commodity Machine (PCM) models: PCM-1625A, PCM-1625B, PCM-21, and 21-CE-72.

For the period between November 10, 1998, and January 10, 1999, stock these machines with **BOTH** the nondenominated “H” Hat stamps and an existing 32-cent booklet. Beginning January 10, 1999, replace the 32-cent booklets with the “H” Hat stamps or another suitable denominated alternative.

Use item numbers from the following table when ordering these vending products from your stamp distribution office (SDO).

Stamp Product	Item Number	Vending Machines
“H” Hat Stamp, 20-stamp Book	6608	PCM-1625A, PCM-1625B, PCM-21, 21-CE-72
“H” Hat Stamp, 20-stamp Book, Criss-crossed	6608X	PBSM-624

Stocking of the other model vending machines (booklet and stamp vendors) and other new rate vending products should not begin until January 10, 1999. Additional guidance will be provided in a future *Postal Bulletin* article.

## Setting Prices

PCM-1625A and PCM-1625B must have the new prices entered into the control board via the keypad. Procedures for price setting are in Section 2 of Handbook MS-121, *Postal Commodity Machine, PCM-1625* and Handbook MS-134, *Postal Commodity Machine, PCM-1625B*.

The PCM-21 and 21-CE-72 PCM modified with the Applied Micro Technology (AMT) “in-site” controller have pricing instructions silk-screened on the cover over the controller board located on the inside of the cabinet door.

PBSM-624 must have the new prices entered into the control board via the keypad. Procedures for price setting are in Section 2 of Handbook MS-139, *Postal Booklet and Stamp Machine, PBSM-624*.

—Self Service Retail, Marketing, 10-8-98

## TEMPORARY INDICIA

# Commemorative Postage Meter Indicia

Employees are advised that a special postage meter indicia has been approved for limited use to commemorate the rededication of the Grand Central Terminal in New York City. This indicia will be applied to visitors’ souvenir post cards as a courtesy by Pitney Bowes at a special display located on the main concourse. Pitney Bowes is offering this service to visitors through February 1999. A copy of this indicia is shown at right.



—Metering Technology Management, Retail, 10-8-98

## USPS PARTNERSHIP

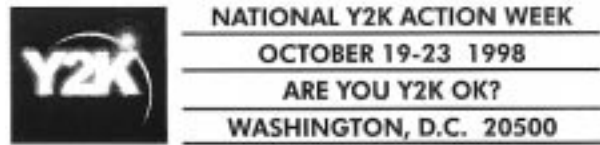
**Postal Service Partners With President's Council on Y2K Conversion**

The Postal Service is partnering with the President's Council on Y2K Conversion to motivate managers of small- and medium-sized organizations to take action to address the Year 2000 computer problem.

October 19–23, 1998, has been designated “Y2K Action Week” to reach out to millions of small business owners across the United States who have not yet fully addressed the Y2K problem. Training seminars and other events will be held locally to provide information about the issue. For information about local events, call 1-800-U-ASK-SBA.

In support of this effort, the Postal Service has designed a special poster (on page 77) that will appear in post office lobbies during that week. Also, a special Y2K Action Week

stamp cancellation (see below) has been designed to publicize the challenge facing the nation as we approach the Year 2000.



—Media Relations, Corporate Relations, 10-8-98

# ARE YOU Y2K OK?

NATIONAL **Y2K** ACTION WEEK  
OCTOBER 19-23, 1998

Now is the time to protect your business from the **Y2K** problem.  
Take advantage of training seminars and other events held in your area  
during **Y2K Action Week** -- October 19-23, 1998.  
For **Y2K Action Week** events in your area, call toll free: 1-800-U-ASK-SBA

Other Y2K information can be obtained from:  
U.S. Small Business Administration <[www.sba.gov/y2k](http://www.sba.gov/y2k)>  
President's Council on Y2K Conversion <[www.y2k.gov](http://www.y2k.gov)>  
Small manufacturers can get specialized information from 1-800-MEP-4MPG



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ATTN POSTAL BULLETIN  
US POSTAL SERVICE  
475 L'ENFANT PLZ SW RM 2800  
WASHINGTON DC 20260-1540

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