

**BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20068-0001**

Postal Rate and Fee Changes, 2006

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Docket No. R2006-1

**REVISED RESPONSE OF NATIONAL NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION WITNESS
SIWEK TO USPS/NNA T3-25**

NNA hereby provides a revision to the response of witness Stephen Siwek to USPS/NNA T3-25. The revision is provided in response to a question posed during oral cross-examination of the witness on Nov. 6.

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REVISED RESPONSE OF NATIONAL NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION WITNESS
SIWEK TO INTERROGATORY OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

USPS/NNA T3-25

USPS/NNA-T3-25 In your testimony at page 27, lines 20 to 21, you state, “I recommend that the Commission accept the Within County rate design shown on page 10 of Appendix D.”

(a) Please complete the following table showing the postage rates that would apply to a 4-ounce Within County publication under the rates you propose on page 10 of Appendix D of your testimony, as well as the percentage changes over current rates that those rates would represent. If possible, please provide in Excel format.

Presort Level Rate % Change from Current

Basic Nonauto

Basic Auto Flat

Basic Auto Letter

3D Nonauto

3D Auto Flat

3D Auto Letter

5D Nonauto

5D Auto Flat

5D Auto Letter

CR Basic (DU entered)

CR Basic (not DU entered)

CR HD (DU entered)

CR HD (not DU entered)

CR SAT (DU entered)

CR SAT (not DU entered)

(b) Please provide tables in the same format as in part (a) showing the rates and percentage changes over current rates for a 4-ounce Within County publication that would result from the rates shown on i) page 5 of Appendix D of your testimony, and ii) page 7 of Appendix D of your testimony. If possible, please provide in Excel format.

Response (REVISED 11/6/06)

See attached spreadsheet.

**Revised Response of NNA Witness Siwek
to
USPS/NNA-T3-25 (a)**

**PERIODICALS WITHIN COUNTY
CURRENT vs. PROPOSED RATES
*Appendix D Revised at page 10.***

	Current Rates	Rates Proposed at page 10 of Appendix D	Current Rates for a 4 oz. piece	Proposed Rates for a 4 oz. piece	Percent Change
Pounds					
Delivery Unit	0.109	0.109			
General	0.142	0.146			
Pieces					
BASIC NON-AUTOMATION	0.103	0.150	0.1385	0.1865	34.66%
BASIC AUTOMATION LETTER	0.049	0.090	0.0845	0.1265	49.70%
BASIC AUTOMATION FLAT	0.075	0.141	0.1105	0.1775	60.63%
3-DIGIT NON-AUTOMATION	0.095	0.141	0.1305	0.1775	36.02%
3-DIGIT AUTOMATION LETTER	0.047	0.083	0.0825	0.1195	44.85%
3-DIGIT AUTOMATION FLAT	0.071	0.130	0.1065	0.1665	56.34%
5-DIGIT NON-AUTOMATION	0.085	0.131	0.1205	0.1675	39.00%
5-DIGIT AUTOMATION LETTER	0.045	0.084	0.0805	0.1205	49.69%
5-DIGIT AUTOMATION FLAT	0.065	0.126	0.1005	0.1625	61.69%
CARRIER ROUTE BASIC (at DU)	0.049	0.065	0.0703	0.0843	19.93%
CARRIER ROUTE BASIC (No DU)	0.049	0.065	0.0845	0.1015	20.12%
CR HIGH DENSITY (at DU)	0.033	0.048	0.0543	0.0673	23.96%
CR HIGH DENSITY (No DU)	0.033	0.048	0.0685	0.0845	23.36%
CR SATURATION (at DU)	0.027	0.037	0.0483	0.0563	16.58%
CR SATURATION (No DU)	0.027	0.037	0.0625	0.0735	17.60%

**Revised Response of NNA Witness Siwek
to
USPS/NNA-T3-25 (b)(i)**

**PERIODICALS WITHIN COUNTY
CURRENT vs. DESCRIBED RATES
*Appendix D Revised at page 5***

	Current Rates	Rates Described at page 5 of Appendix D	Current Rates for a 4 oz. piece	Described Rates for a 4 oz. piece	Percent Change
Pounds					
Delivery Unit	0.109	0.109			
General	0.142	0.146			
Pieces					
BASIC NON-AUTOMATION	0.103	0.128	0.1385	0.1645	18.77%
BASIC AUTOMATION LETTER	0.049	0.068	0.0845	0.1045	23.67%
BASIC AUTOMATION FLAT	0.075	0.119	0.1105	0.1555	40.72%
3-DIGIT NON-AUTOMATION	0.095	0.119	0.1305	0.1555	19.16%
3-DIGIT AUTOMATION LETTER	0.047	0.061	0.0825	0.0975	18.18%
3-DIGIT AUTOMATION FLAT	0.071	0.108	0.1065	0.1445	35.68%
5-DIGIT NON-AUTOMATION	0.085	0.109	0.1205	0.1455	20.75%
5-DIGIT AUTOMATION LETTER	0.045	0.062	0.0805	0.0985	22.36%
5-DIGIT AUTOMATION FLAT	0.065	0.104	0.1005	0.1405	39.80%
CARRIER ROUTE BASIC (at DU)	0.049	0.071	0.0703	0.0903	28.47%
CARRIER ROUTE BASIC (No DU)	0.049	0.071	0.0845	0.1075	27.22%
CR HIGH DENSITY (at DU)	0.033	0.055	0.0543	0.0743	36.87%
CR HIGH DENSITY (No DU)	0.033	0.055	0.0685	0.0915	33.58%
CR SATURATION (at DU)	0.027	0.043	0.0483	0.0623	29.02%
CR SATURATION (No DU)	0.027	0.043	0.0625	0.0795	27.20%

**Revised Response of NNA Witness Siwek
to
USPS/NNA-T3-25 (b)(ii)**

**PERIODICALS WITHIN COUNTY
CURRENT vs. DESCRIBED RATES
*Appendix D Revised at page 7***

	Current Rates	Rates Described at page 7 of Appendix D	Current Rates for a 4 oz. piece	Described Rates for a 4 oz. piece	Percent Change
Pounds					
Delivery Unit	0.109	0.142			
General	0.142	0.179			
Pieces					
BASIC NON-AUTOMATION	0.103	0.139	0.1385	0.1838	32.67%
BASIC AUTOMATION LETTER	0.049	0.079	0.0845	0.1238	46.45%
BASIC AUTOMATION FLAT	0.075	0.130	0.1105	0.1748	58.14%
3-DIGIT NON-AUTOMATION	0.095	0.130	0.1305	0.1748	33.91%
3-DIGIT AUTOMATION LETTER	0.047	0.072	0.0825	0.1168	41.52%
3-DIGIT AUTOMATION FLAT	0.071	0.119	0.1065	0.1638	53.76%
5-DIGIT NON-AUTOMATION	0.085	0.120	0.1205	0.1648	36.72%
5-DIGIT AUTOMATION LETTER	0.045	0.073	0.0805	0.1178	46.27%
5-DIGIT AUTOMATION FLAT	0.065	0.115	0.1005	0.1598	58.96%
CARRIER ROUTE BASIC (at DU)	0.049	0.054	0.0703	0.0815	16.01%
CARRIER ROUTE BASIC (No DU)	0.049	0.054	0.0845	0.0988	16.86%
CR HIGH DENSITY (at DU)	0.033	0.037	0.0543	0.0645	18.89%
CR HIGH DENSITY (No DU)	0.033	0.037	0.0685	0.0818	19.34%
CR SATURATION (at DU)	0.027	0.026	0.0483	0.0535	10.88%
CR SATURATION (No DU)	0.027	0.026	0.0625	0.0708	13.20%