

Despite very aggressive cost cutting, the Postal Service is projecting financial losses for this and the next several years. This is due to a significant decline in mail volume and a major requirement to prefund its retirees health benefits. The Postal Service is committed to fulfilling its fundamental role as a deliverer of mail and packages to all Americans. To accomplish this, the Postal Service is developing a plan to transition from six- to five-day delivery on a national basis. This will remove delivery costs and help bring the financial picture into better balance. The alternative would be large price increases.

Key components of the five-day delivery plan are:

- No Saturday delivery to homes and businesses.
- No mail collection on Saturday.
- Maintain Saturday delivery for Post Office Box mail.
- Post Offices currently open on Saturday will remain open.
- Maintain delivery of Express Mail on Saturday and Sunday.
- Continue to make available remittance mail, caller service mail and national firm hold out mail at plants on Saturday.

The Postal Service plans to work with its business customers on any operational issues that result to seek ways to mitigate or reduce the problem.

The Postal Service would like your opinion, as a business customer, about this plan to transition from six- to five-day delivery. Please answer the following questions about this proposal. The survey will take about five minutes to complete. Your responses will be kept confidential. To begin click on the "next" button.

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