

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20268

In the Matter of:

Bentonville, Ohio 45705
Post Office State ZIP Code

Docket No: A 2011-58

Thomas L. Kirker, Petitioner(s)

PARTICIPANT STATEMENT

1. Petitioner(s) are appealing the Postal Service's Final Determination concerning the Bentonville post office. The Final Determination was posted 08/03/2011 (date)

2. In accordance with applicable law, 39 U.S.C. § 404(d)(5), the Petitioner(s) request the Postal Regulatory Commission to review the Postal Service's determination on the basis of the record before the Postal Service in the making of the determination.

3. Petitioners: Please set out below the reasons why you believe the Postal Service's Final Determination should be reversed and returned to the Postal Service for further consideration. (See pages of the Instructions for an outline of the kinds of reasons the law requires us to consider.) Please be as specific as possible. Please continue on additional paper if you need more space and attach the additional paper(s) to this form.

The Bentonville, Ohio Post office is a valuable asset to this general area due to its availability and historical qualities.

Representing the 5th and 6th generations of descendants of Gov. Thomas Kirker (2nd Governor of Ohio) and living on the original homestead 3 miles from the Post office we know the importance of the historical value

The Post office brings to the small village of Bentonville. We are also patrons of the Post office not as rural recipients but due to its close proximity to our residences we utilize it as a mailing receptor.

Please reconsider with everything within your power and assist in having the closure of the Bentonville Post office rescinded.

Respectfully submitted,


Thomas L. Kirker

Letter of comment on closure of Bentonville Post office

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