

## Postal Regulatory Commission

Washington, D.C. 20268-0001

### NOTICE OF FILING UNDER 39 U.S.C. § 404(d)

TO THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE:

Please take notice that on October 27, 2011, the Commission received a petition for review of the Postal Service's determination to close the Amoret post office located in Amoret, Missouri. The petition for review was filed by Mildred Bell and the Concerned Citizens of Amoret (Petitioners) and is postmarked October 14, 2011.

This notice is advisory only and is being furnished so that the Postal Service may begin assembling the administrative record in advance of any formal appeal proceedings held upon the alleged (closing/consolidation) for transmittal pursuant to 39 CFR § 3001.113(a) (requiring the filing of the record within 15 days of the filing with the Commission of a petition for review). The Postal Service's administrative record is due no later than November 14, 2011.



Shoshana M. Grove  
Secretary

Date: November 4, 2011

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Attn: Secretary Postal Regulatory Commission

This is an appeal to the closing of the Amoret Post Office. We were told at the community meeting in order to appeal the closing of the Amoret Post Office that the United States Postal Service had to follow the legal regulations in closing our office. According to the PO-101, Section 253 (c) it states the District Manager or MPOO conducts the Management Presentation and provides responses to customer's questions. Joanne Dean is not an MPOO or a district manager. She is the Discontinuance Coordinator. She is the one that conducted the Amoret meeting and answered questions.

Here's the portion from the PO-101

*253 Conducting the meeting*

The Manager, Marketing, has the overall responsibility for the community meeting, The Discontinuance Coordinator should assist with coordinating the following activities:

- a. The Manager, Marketing, sets up the meeting location and required equipment.
- b. The Discontinuance Coordinator places the sign-in sheet near the entrance of the meeting room and encourages customers to sign in.
- c. The District Manager or MPOO conducts the Management presentation and provides response to customer questions.
- d. The Manger, Consumer and Industry Contact, with assistance of the Discontinuance Coordinator, has responsibility for collecting customer comments and management responses.

We, the customers of the Amoret Post Office, feel the USPS did not follow correct procedures in conducting the meeting and we feel we have a very valid point to appeal this closing.

Respectfully,

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Amoret Post Office is more than just a Community Post Office that includes P O Boxes and rural area farmers. The Amoret Post Office serves rural America. Amoret is located on state hwy 52. State Hwy 52 connects Kansas to Missouri. It connects major Hwy 69 in Kansas, to major Hwy 71 in Missouri. Therefore, many people on vacation use this Post Office. Many truckers use this post office because of easy access. Other out of town people use this office more than there home town office because they pass it each day and like the easy access and no long line to wait for service. Please reconsider closing this rural post office.

Respectfully,



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