

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 November 8, 2011, the Commission received a petition for review of the Postal Service's determination to close the Fort Meade post office located in Fort Meade, South Dakota. The petition for review was filed by Darla Burge and Glenda Hildebrand (Petitioners) and is postmarked October 27, 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).



Shoshana M. Grove
Secretary

Date: November 23, 2011

Attachment

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901 New York Ave NW; Suite 200
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To Whom it may Concern:

I am opposed to the closing of the Fort Meade Post Office. It is very convenient for our Veterans who are inpatients at the VA Black Hills Health Care System, Fort Meade campus. It also serves the many outpatient Veterans, residents living on station, employees, and many tourists that visit this historic site.

The current location of the Fort Meade Post Office is one of our many historical buildings located on the grounds. It once served as the jail for the Buffalo Soldiers of the 4th US Calvary and the 10th US Calvary.

Your reconsideration on the closing of the Fort Meade Post Office would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



Darla Burge

Operations Management Supervisor/Records Manager



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Glenda Hildebrand

Mail Room Manager



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