September 5, 2013

Dear Postal Customer:

The United States Postal Service (USPS) in concert with Mailer Technical Advisory Committee (MTAC) work group 157 (Load Leveling of volumes) will be conducting a two-week operations test at the South Jersey P&DC beginning with receipt of mail on September 12th through delivery of the mail on September 26th. The objective of this test is to evaluate the changes to volumes, delivered by carriers to the home, across days of the week by making changes to the processing and dispatch of destination SCF Standard Mail. In today's environment it is estimated that approximately 38% of all commercial mail is delivered to the home on Monday.

For the above-referenced 2-week period and only for Standard Mail entered at the South Jersey P&DC (SCFs 080-084), the following rules will apply:

Week One
1. For Standard Mail dropped on Thursday September 12th at 1600 until Friday September 13th at 1600, the delivery expectation is no later than **Tuesday** September 17th.
2. For Standard Mail dropped on Friday September 13th at 1600 until Sunday September 15th at 1600, the delivery expectation is no later than **Wednesday** September 18th.
3. For Standard Mail dropped on Sunday September 15th at 1600 until Thursday September 19th at 1600 the delivery expectation will be the same as it is currently.

Week Two
4. For Standard mail dropped on Thursday September 19th at 1600 until Friday September 20th at 1600, the delivery expectation is no later than **Tuesday** September 24th.
5. For Standard Mail dropped on Friday September 20th at 1600 until Sunday September 22nd at 1600, the delivery expectation is no later than **Wednesday** September 25th.
6. For Standard Mail dropped on Sunday September 22nd at 1600 Thursday September 26th at 1600, the delivery expectation will be the same as it is currently.

Current Processing

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Color code for Wednesday until 1600	Color code for Thursday until 1600	Color code for Friday until 1600	Color code for Saturday until 1600	All Day is color coded for Monday	Color code for Monday until 1600	Color code for Tuesday until 1600
1600 - Thurs Violet	1600 - Fri Yellow	1600- Sat Pink	1600 - Monday		1600 - Tues Orange	1600 - Wed Green

South Jersey Test

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Color code for Wednesday until 1600	Color code for Thursday until 1600	Color code for Friday until 1600	Color code for Saturday until 1600	Color code for Monday until 1600	Color code for Tuesday until 1600	**All day is color coded for Wednesday**
1600 - Thurs Purple	1600 - Fri Yellow	1600- Sat Pink	1600 - Monday Blue	1600 - Tues Orange	1600 - Wed Green	

Any questions regarding this test should be directed to Prat Shah at 404-792-3195 or at
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I want to reiterate again that the above changes are only for the two week period specified above.
Your cooperation is geatly appreciated during this time frame.

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