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Mr. Doug Tulino  
Vice President, Labor Relations  
United States Postal Service  
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Washington, D.C. 20260-4000

Dear Doug:

As we have traveled around the country during our state conventions we have been met with a common concern from our Postmaster members. Will the Postal Service be offering an early out (VERA) to Postmasters, similar to the requests that have been made by the Postal Service to OPM on behalf of the crafts and other management positions?

We believe that with the current state of the Postal Service that offering them an early out would be a sound business decision. We are basing this credo on the fact that many Postmasters are at the end of their pay scale, and along with their retirement, the Postal Service would see supervisors and clerks "landing" into the Postmaster positions lower in the pay scale.

We look forward to discussing this issue with you.

Sincerely,

Charles Mapa  
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National League of  
Postmasters of the United  
States

Dale Goff  
President  
National Association of  
Postmasters of the United  
States