

THE TOWNSHIP OF LEEDS AND THE THOUSAND ISLANDS



August 14<sup>th</sup> 2008

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377 Bank Street  
Ottawa, ON  
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Dear Sir/Madame,

*I am pleased to advise you that Council, at its regular meeting held on Monday August 11<sup>th</sup> 2008, supported your resolution with regard to requesting for submissions to save universal, public postal service. Please find enclosed a copy of the resolution that was passed.*

*I trust this is satisfactory, if you require any further information please contact the undersigned.*

Respectfully,

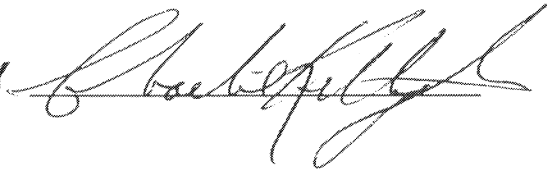
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Vanessa Latimer, AMCT  
Municipal Clerk

# TOWNSHIP OF LEEDS & THOUSAND ISLANDS

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| ITEM NO.       |                 |
| DATE           | August 11, 2008 |
| RESOLUTION NO. | 505 -08         |

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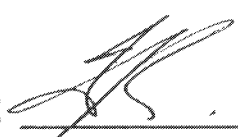
**WHEREAS** the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review, which was launched by the federal government on April 21, 2008, is looking at deregulating our public post office (i.e. reducing or removing Canada Post's exclusive privilege on letters)

**WHEREAS** it will become increasingly difficult for our public post office to provide affordable services to everyone, no matter where they live, if the government erodes or eliminates the very mechanism that funds universal postal service – the exclusive privilege.

**WHEREAS** postal deregulation in other countries has led to post office closures, less service, fewer jobs and higher postal rates for the public and small businesses.

**WHEREAS** the government is not holding public hearings as part of it's strategic review or adequately consulting with real owners of the post office – the public.

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Clerk send a letter or submission to the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review opposing deregulation of Canada Post and insisting that the government hold public hearings and properly consult with the true owners of Canada Post – the public.

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MAYOR