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Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review  
330 Sparks Street (HCCR)  
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N5

**Universal Public Postal Service**

Dear Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review:

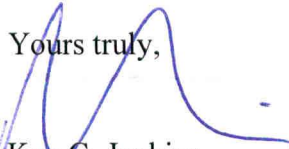
I have enclosed a certified copy of a resolution which calls for public hearings and consultation to be held with the stakeholders of Canada Post prior to any deregulation of the existing postal service.

Council is concerned on the impact of such action as it has the potential to drastically impact our municipal budget.

Council is also concerned about the negative impact this proposal may have on our citizens. The increasing price of gas, every day commodities, down loading by higher levels of government is having a severe effect on our public.

Deregulation could also negatively affect us. Please consider this before you move ahead with such a plan.

Yours truly,

  
Ken G. Jenkins  
Chief Administrative Officer  
Town of Minnedosa

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WHEREAS the Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review, which was launched by the Federal Government on April 21, 2008, is considering the deregulation of public post offices;

AND WHEREAS it will become increasingly difficult for public post offices to provide affordable service to everyone, no matter where they live, if the Government erodes or eliminates the very mechanism that funds universal postal service;

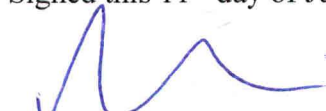
AND WHEREAS postal deregulation in other countries has led to post office closures, less service, fewer jobs and higher postal rates for the public and small business;

AND WHEREAS the Government is not holding public hearings as part of its strategic review or adequately consulting with public;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Town of Minnedosa hereby oppose the deregulation of Canada Post in its present form and ask that the Federal Government hold public consultation meetings prior to any formal deregulation taking place.

I hereby certify this to be a true copy of  
Resolution No. 145/08 of the Town of  
Minnedosa.

Signed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2008.



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Chief Administrative Officer