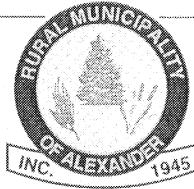


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Denis Lemelin,
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Save Universal Public Postal Service

Dear Mr. Lemelin:

Upon review of your June 2008 letter, Council for the RM Of Alexender, during their Regular Council Meeting of July 8th, passed a motion to support your request to continue to have Universal Public Postal Service.

Therefore, enclosed please find a Certified Copy of Resolution #300/08.

Should you have any questions you can contact the undersigned at (204) 367-6170.

Yours truly,


Margaret Bonekamp, C.M.M.A.
Chief Administrative Officer

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RESOLUTION

300/08

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ALEXANDER

July 8, 2008

Moved by Councillor **Diane Dubé**

Seconded by Councillor **Ed Forsyth**

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); AND WHEREAS it will become increasingly difficult for our public post office 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 – the exclusive privilege; AND WHEREAS postal deregulation in other countries has led to post office closures, less services, fewer jobs and higher postal rates for the public and small businesses; AND WHEREAS the government is not holding public hearings as part of its strategic review or adequately consulting with the real owners of the post office-the public; NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the RM of Alexander 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.

ALL IN FAVOUR – CARRIED

George Harbottle
Reeve

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No. 300/08 of the Rural Municipality of Alexander


Chief Administrative Officer