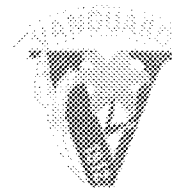


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Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review  
330 Sparks Street (HCCR)  
Ottawa, ON  
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Dear Sirs:

RE: Canada Post Corporation Strategic Review,

Regarding the above review which was launched by the federal government on April 21, 2008, the Village of Vanguard is opposed to any deregulations of our public post office. As a small municipality, we use our post office on a daily basis. It is an integral part of our business and the most efficient way to contact all our ratepayers.

If the government makes any changes to Canada Post which will erode or eliminate the corporation's exclusive privilege to fund universal postal service, it will become increasingly difficult for our public post office to provide affordable service to everyone, no matter where they live. The security and privacy of the mail will also be affected by deregulation. Postal deregulation in other countries has proven to lead to post office closures, less service, fewer jobs and higher postal rates for the public and small businesses.

The Village of Vanguard requests that public hearings be held to properly consult with the public who are the true owners of Canada Post.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.

Yours truly,

*Marie Burton*

Marie Burton  
Administrator

cc: Canadian Union of Postal Workers