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October 2, 2014

Denis Lemelin
President
Canadian Union of Postal Workers
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Dear Mr. Lemelin:

Attached please find a Resolution of Council opposing Canada Post plan for job cuts, eliminating door-to-door delivery, increasing postage rates and the closing, downsizing and reducing hours at post offices throughout the country.

Council feels that the public should have a voice as to how the postal service continues to work in communities.

Sincerely,
Town of Come By Chance



Stephanie Eddy
Town Clerk
For The Town Council

TOWN OF COME BY CHANCE

**Regular Meeting
September 30, 2014**

#08 RESOLUTION #14-64

Proposed by Mayor Joan Cleary, seconded by Deputy Mayor Keith Best that:

WHEREAS Canada Post and the Conservatives are taking an axe to long-treasured postal services - killing good jobs, eliminating door-to-door delivery, drastically increasing postage rates and closing, downsizing and reducing hours at post offices.

WHEREAS Canada Post did not properly consult on these changes, effectively eliminating any opportunity for input from the people who will be most affected; and

WHEREAS closing and downsizing post offices, reducing post office hours, and eliminating door-to-door delivery will reduce service and eliminate thousands of jobs in communities throughout our country.

WHEREAS Canada Post offers a public service that needs to be protected;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Come By Chance write a letter to the Minister responsible for Canada Post that calls on the government to reverse the changes to services announced by Canada Post, and to look instead for ways to increase service and revenues in areas such as postal banking.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Town of Come By Chance ask the Federation of Canadian Municipalities to request that the federal government properly consult with the public about what kind of postal service they need before allowing Canada Post to make such major changes to public postal service.

Decision on Resolution: In favor 7; Opposed 0. Abstained 0.