

Thank you again for your letter. Below are the answers to your remaining questions:

*4. We understand that there are delivery issues, particularly with local newspapers, that are concentrated in an area located in downtown Dickinson, and are told that the route did not have a mail carrier. Has USPS assigned a mail carrier to the route in downtown Dickinson that was experiencing no local newspaper delivery on Wednesdays?*

Local Postal management is aware of the delivery issues on that route and is working to ensure periodicals (and all mail) are delivered timely. Management has assigned the same employee to the route for the last two weeks.

On a related note, we continue our aggressive hiring efforts in the area, and we have held several hiring fairs. We are still looking to hire more carriers in Dickinson, and I have attached the most recent job posting for Dickinson for your reference. We recognize your office has a large social media presence, so if you can spread the word about postal jobs to your constituents, it would be appreciated. Interested applicants can apply for any postal jobs in North Dakota online at [www.usps.com/careers](http://www.usps.com/careers).

*5. Have all USPS-owned cluster box units (CBUs) in Minot, North Dakota that have pending service tickets been repaired or scheduled to be repaired in the near future?*

All CBUs that are the Postal Service's responsibility are scheduled to be repaired no later than January 5.

*6. Regarding non-USPS-owned CBUs, has USPS communicated the need for inoperable CBUs to be repaired with relevant developers or homeowner associations (HOAs)?*

Local Postal management is ensuring all HOAs and/or developers have been notified of all inoperable CBUs that are their responsibility to repair. We were informed that all notifications should be complete by the end of the day today.

I hope this information is helpful. If you have any further questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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