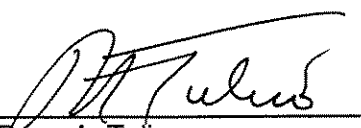


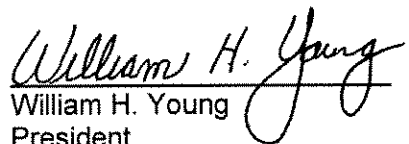
**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN THE
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
AND THE
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS, AFL-CIO**

Re: Extension of Negotiation Period for Local Implementation

The parties agree to extend the period of local implementation and related deadlines by 15 days. As a result, the 45-day local implementation period will begin on October 1, 2007, and continue through November 14, 2007. These revised dates will be used to establish time frames in Article 30 of the National Agreement and the Memorandum of Understanding; *Re: Local Implementation.*



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REVISED LOCAL NEGOTIATIONS CALENDAR

Preparation for Negotiations	Now
Information Demands	Now
Notice of Intent to Negotiate Sent	As Soon As Possible
Negotiating Ground Rules Set	Before October 1, 2007
Negotiations Begin	Monday, October 1, 2007
Negotiations End	Wednesday, November 14, 2007
Impasse to USPS and NBA By	Thursday, November 29, 2007
Impasse Discussions Begin	Thursday, November 15, 2007
Impasse Discussions End	Monday, January 28, 2008
Appeal to Arbitration No Later Than.....	Monday, February 18, 2008