

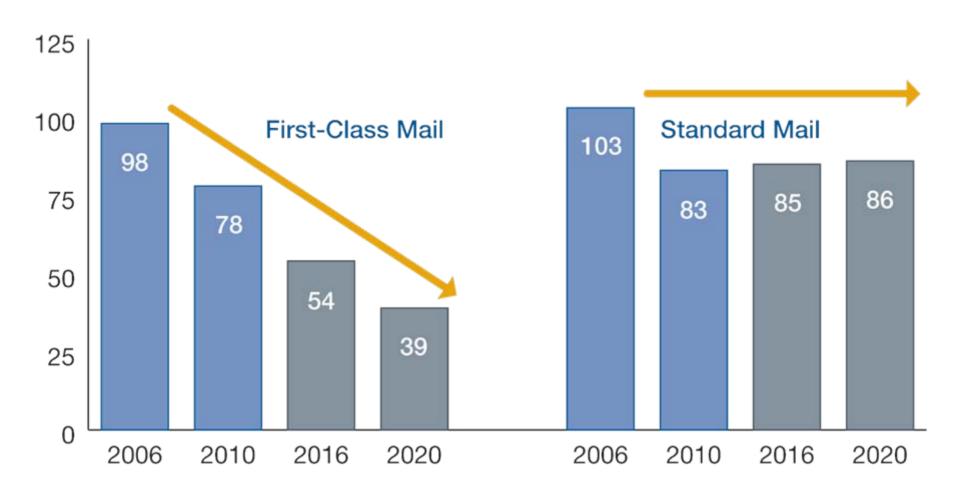
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## **Two Announcements**

Radical Network Realignment Mail
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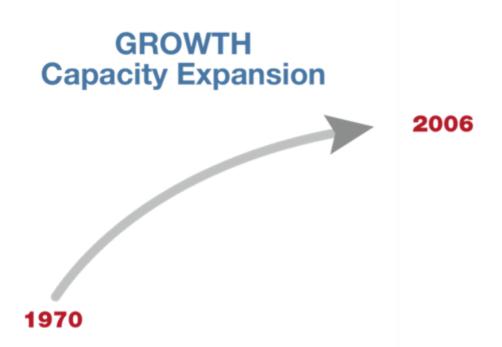
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Volume in Billions of Pieces

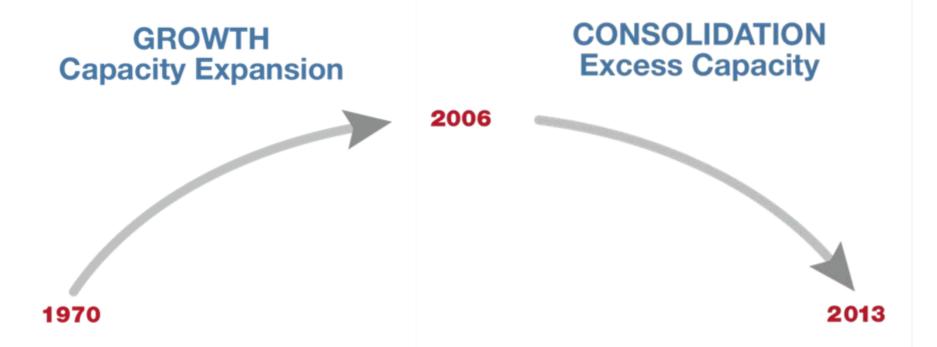


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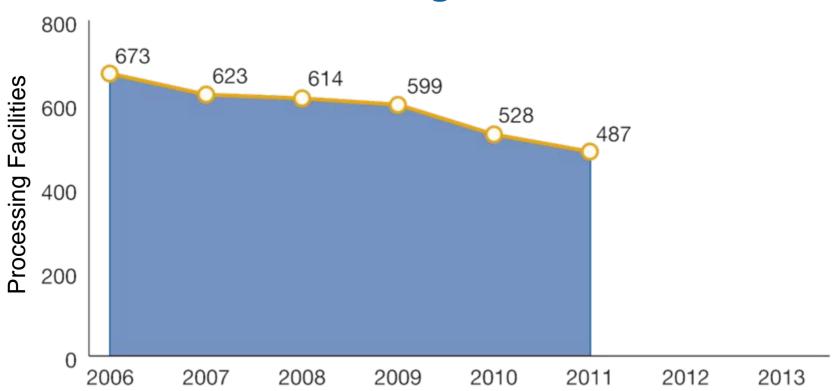


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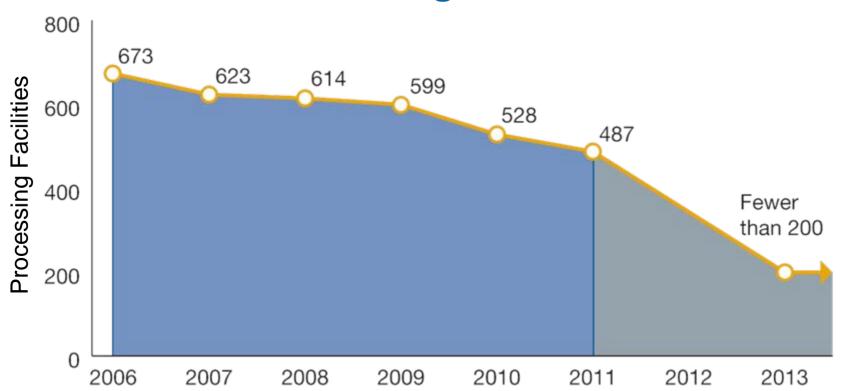


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# Proposed Decrease in Processing Facilities Through 2013



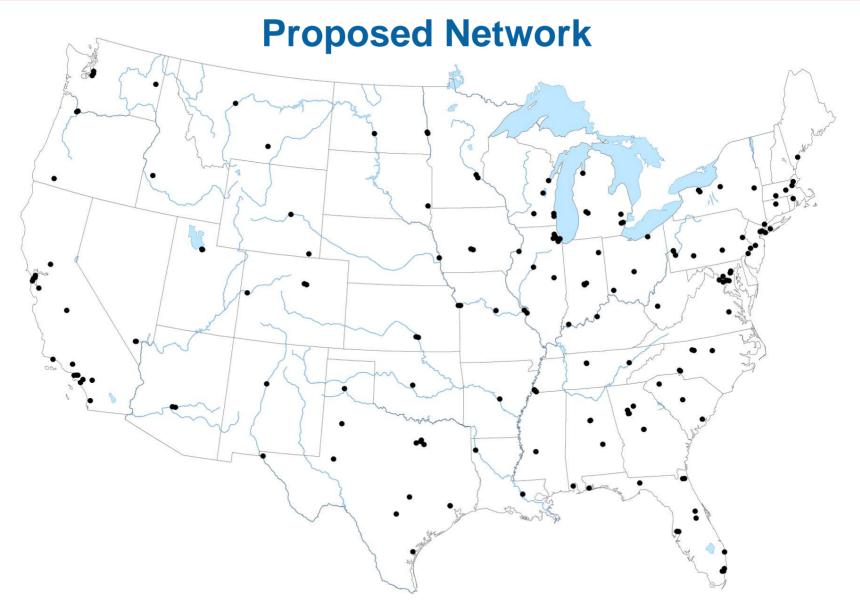
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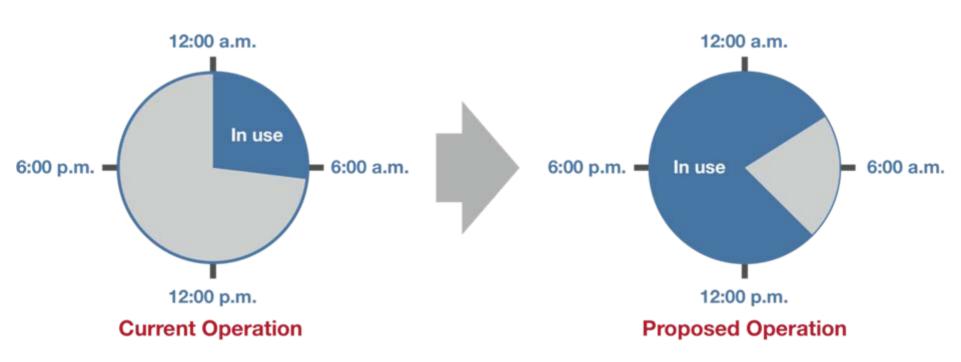
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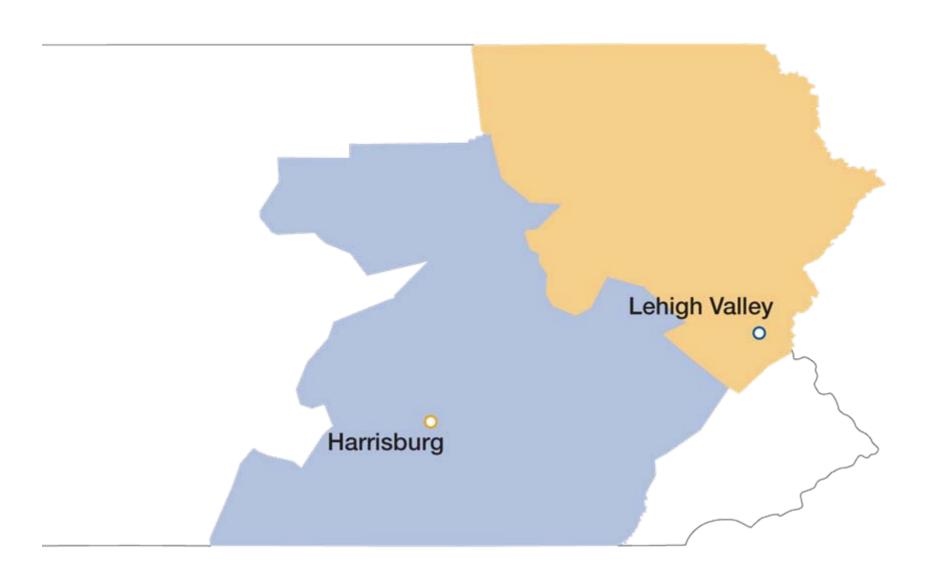














#### **FUTURE NETWORK**

- Support 2-3 day Service Standards
- Revised Entry Times
- Reduced Equipment
- Reduced Footprint

#### **BENEFITS**

- Eliminate Excess Capacity
- More Efficient Transportation Network
- Fully Utilized Workforces
- Up to \$3 Billion Cost Reduction



### **CHANGES**

- Planning for new mail processing footprint and transport pattern
- Transitioning to 2-3 day service standard

## **OUR APPROACH**

- Industry-specific strategies
- Ongoing communication and collaborative solutions





559,000

**Total Career Employees** 

151,000

**Total Mail Processing Employees** 

35,000

Fewer Mail Processing Positions





Fewer facilities, greater utilization and efficiency



Earlier mail availability driving more efficient local delivery



More retail partners and kiosks, more online, fewer brick and mortar Post Offices

## \$6.5 Billion Cost Reduction by 2015

#### THE RESULT

Highly efficient, low cost, national delivery platform





Sorting and Transport Retail Delivery

#### **COMPENSATION & BENEFITS:**

Flexibility, Benefits, Wages/Admin

#### **LEGISLATIVE CHANGES:**

RHB Pre-Funding Resolved Five-Day Delivery



## **Key Areas Requiring Legislative Action**

- Delivery Frequency authority to go from 6- to 5-Day Delivery
- FERS Refund return \$6.9 billion in overpayments to the Postal Service
- Resolve the current mandate to pre-fund Retiree
   Health Benefits by \$5.5 billion annually and
   manage legacy cost going forward
  - Transfer CSRS overpayment (\$50 billion), or
  - Allow Postal Service to restructure its healthcare system to make it independent of federal programs — USPS Health Care Program

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- Managing Workforce allow reductions in the number of bargaining unit postal employees to follow Reduction-in-Force provisions applicable to other federal employees
- Retirement Plan allow Postal Service to provide a defined contribution retirement plan for its new hires; can be accomplished via OPM
- Streamlined Governance Model to speed pricing and product decisions

