

# JOIN COMMUNITY LABOR UNITED FOR POSTAL JOBS AND SERVICES (CLUPJS) IN SOLIDARITY WITH THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS

The National Association of Letter Carriers has called March 24 a national day of action to prevent the reduction of mail service to five days a week. American Postal Workers Union and the Rural Letter Carriers Union have both endorsed.

## SAVE SATURDAY MAIL DELIVERY

Support the Chelsea Coalition on Housing Petition Campaign to save the Port Authority Post Office (at 15<sup>th</sup> St. & 9<sup>th</sup> Ave.) scheduled to close. USPS is also selling Old Chelsea Station at 18th St. Chelsea residents need their post offices.

Followed by community march to:

**Rally 10am-11:30am, March 24**  
**15<sup>th</sup> St. & 9<sup>th</sup> Ave.**

**RALLY 12 - 3pm**  
**SUNDAY MARCH 24**  
**Manhattan GPO**  
**8th Ave between 31 & 33**

List of endorsers: Chelsea Coalition on Housing, Neighborhood Advisory committee, for Peace, Fulton Housing Tenants Association, NYC Metro Raging Grannies, Post Office Workers of America Local 1180, Parents to Improve School Transportation, Chelsea Community-Labor United for Postal Jobs & Services, US Labor Against The War, Workers Foundation for Community Organization, May 1 Coalition for Workers & Immigrant International Women Workers Day, SCLC Baltimore Chapter, Rev CD Witherspoon, National Action Center, All Peoples Congress, Community Postal Workers United, Mike Glick, Delegate to NYC Central Labor Council for Union @ Cooper Union NYSUT, AFT, AFL-CIO (NY), Refugee Ministries of Tampa Bay, Poor People's Economic Human Rights Campaign, Petersburg Move to Amend, St. Petersburg Green Party, Coalition for the Reform of Youth Living Waters Ministries

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The United States Postal Service decision to eliminate Saturday delivery is a direct attack on this country's best loved federal institution.

Combined with the planned closures of hundreds of post offices, the reduction of hours, the sub-contracting of postal trucking, and the closing of half the processing plants, the elimination of Saturday delivery is a frontal attack on the largest unionized workforce in the United States.

Thirty percent of postal jobs are held by people of color. Veterans hold over 20%, and women over 40%, of postal positions. Continued closings of processing plants and post offices economically undermine our communities and small businesses. Not only are these wage jobs threatened by privatization, but the world's lowest postage rates and most efficient mail service would be at the mercy of for-profit private corporations.

The sale of valuable and historic post office buildings being pushed by the Postal Service, such as the Bronx GPO and the Old Chelsea Station at 18th St. between 7th and 8th Ave in NYC, is yet another unnecessary privatization scheme that will enrich the 1% and harm our communities.