

April 8, 2014

Mr. Colin Mayes, Member of Parliament, Okanagan - Shuswap 3105 29<sup>th</sup> Street Vernon, BC V1T 5A8

Dear Mr. Mayes:

## Re: Concerns Regarding Recent Amendments to the Canada Postal System

The Village of Lumby Council, at the Open Council Meeting held on April 7, 2014, was presented with a delegation from the Canadian Postmasters and Assistants Association regarding the community impacts of the proposal to eliminate home delivery service by the Canada Post Corporation.

Council is concerned with the current proposal to replace home mail delivery service with community mail boxes, and would like Canada Post to engage in a comprehensive and meaningful public consultation with municipalities in order to review all options. Council is very supportive of rural postal service.

The local Post Office in Lumby serves a critical component to the social livelihood of the community while supporting the local economy.

Yours sincerely,

Kevin Acton Mayor

cc: MLA Eric Foster
UBCM Member Municipalities

THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF LUMBY