



Yukon Status of Women Council

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Jan Simpson
1st National Vice-President
Canadian Union of Postal Workers
377 Bank St.
Ottawa ON, K2P 1Y3

Dear Ms. Simpson,

I am writing on behalf of the Yukon Status of Women Council in support of the Rural and Suburban Mail Carriers (RSMCs) in negotiations with Canada Post over equal pay for equal work.

We feel it is unjust and unacceptable for RSMCs that perform almost identical work to that of letter carriers to be paid 28% less, especially because RSMCs are predominantly women and letter carriers are predominantly men.

We agree with the Canadian Union of Postal Workers; it is time to resolve this terrible case of gender discrimination in Canada's federal public service. If Canada wishes to maintain its status as a global leader in gender equality, we must address gender discrimination in Canada and lead by example.

Hopefully our support will help RSMCs receive the pay and benefits they deserve for the work they are completing.

In solidarity,

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Coordinator

c.c. Deepak Chopra, President and Chief Executive Officer Canada Post Officer
c.c. Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada