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Ms. Gail Hendrix Mid-America District-USPS 300 West Pershing Road, Ste. 210 Kansas City, MO 64108

Dear Director Hendrix:

Thank you for the prompt notification on the recent flood damage to the United States Postal Service (USPS) facility in Fremont, MO. I recently toured the area to see the damage firsthand. While great strides have been made to return the town of Fremont to normalcy, much work remains.

In an effort to help the residents of Fremont recover from these tragic circumstances, I ask that the USPS facility be reopened as soon as possible and all services that were in place prior to the flood be resumed. Post offices in communities like Fremont are pillars of the community. When towns are shaken by disaster daily life is disrupted. Opening of the USPS facility will serve as a sign of hope for Fremont residents.

I am requesting that you provide me a prompt timeline or plan for the reopening of the facility in Fremont. You may direct your response to my Rolla District Office, 830A South Bishop Avenue, and put to the attention of Ross Branson. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Ross at 573-364-2455. Thank you for your time and assistance.

Sincerely

Jason Smith

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