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## U.S. Postal Service Recommends New Shipping Services Prices for 2025

- Postal Service continues to offer great value on affordable shipping with reliable service.
- No price changes are being made to Priority Mail Express, Domestic Extra Services, International Ancillary Services, or International Products.
- Pricing actions are part of a balanced approach under Delivering for America, the Postal Service's 10year strategic plan for achieving financial sustainability and service excellence.
- Rate changes will support the \$40 billion in investments in people, technology and infrastructure and continue the modernization and improvement of the Postal Service's operations and customer experience.

WASHINGTON — The Postal Service filed notice today with the Postal Regulatory Commission (PRC) for shipping services price changes to take effect July 13. The proposed adjustments were approved by the USPS Board of Governors this week.

The changes would raise domestic shipping services prices approximately 6.3 percent for Priority Mail service, 7.1 percent for USPS Ground Advantage and 7.6 percent for Parcel Select. Prices are not changing for Priority Mail Express service.

Although mailing services price increases are based on the consumer price index, shipping services prices are primarily adjusted according to market conditions. The USPS governors believe these new rates will keep the Postal Service competitive while providing the agency with needed revenue.

As part of the 10-year comprehensive strategic <u>Delivering for America</u> plan, these proposed changes will support the Postal Service in creating a revitalized organization capable of achieving its public service mission — providing a nationwide, integrated network for the delivery of mail and packages at least six days a week — in a cost-effective and financially sustainable manner over the long term, just as the U.S. Congress has intended.

The PRC will review the changes before they are scheduled to take effect. The complete Postal Service price filing, with prices for all products, can be found on the PRC website under the Daily Listings section at <u>prc.arkcase.com/portal/filings</u>. The Competitive Products filing is Docket No. CP2025-7. The price tables are also available on the Postal Service's Postal Explorer website at <u>pe.usps.com/PriceChange/Index</u>.

## **Postal Products**

Customers may purchase stamps and other philatelic products through the <u>Postal Store</u> at <u>usps.com/shopstamps</u>, by calling 844-737-7826, by mail through <u>USA Philatelic</u> or at Post Office locations nationwide. For officially licensed stamp products, shop the <u>USPS Officially Licensed</u>

<u>Collection on Amazon</u>. Additional information on stamps, First Day of Issue Ceremonies and stamp inspired products can be found at <u>StampsForever.com</u>.

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**Please note:** The United States Postal Service is an independent federal establishment, mandated to be selffinancing and to serve every American community through the affordable, reliable and secure delivery of mail and packages to nearly 169 million addresses six and often seven days a week. Overseen by a bipartisan Board of Governors, the Postal Service is implementing a 10-year transformation plan, *Delivering for America*, to modernize the postal network, restore long-term financial sustainability, dramatically improve service across all mail and shipping categories, and maintain the organization as one of America's most valued and trusted brands.

The Postal Service generally receives no tax dollars for operating expenses and relies on the sale of postage, products and services to fund its operations.

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