## DEJOY AND THE USPS BOARD OF GOVERNORS **RELEASE 10-YEAR PLAN**

ostmaster General Louis DeJoy and the USPS Board of Governors recently released their long-awaited ten-year plan for the U.S. Postal Service, Delivering for America. The plan sets forth a series of strategies by which USPS management hopes to ensure financial stability and improve service. It reviews the massive changes in mail volume and mail mix over the past several decades and urges that a series of steps be adopted to deal with difficulties in processing and delivering mail, reducing employee turnover, and addressing long-term financial shortfalls. A copy of the plan was reviewed with all Local Presidents during a nationwide conference call on March 26, 2021.

As with all ambitious goals, the ultimate success of the 10-year plan is dependent on its details and its goodfaith implementation. At this early point, however, the NPMHU can be only supportive on a few aspects: growth of package volume; expanding sources of revenue; congressional action that repeals the prefunding mandate and enrolls future retirees in Medicare; establishing forty-six parcel annexes;





Local Union Presidents from across the country joined President Hogrogian to discuss the pros and cons of the USPS 10 Year Plan, Delivering for America.

and stabilizing the non-career postal workforce by providing a clearer path to career status.

More concerning to the NPMHU is the call for the closing or consolidation of mail processing facilities. The Union is prepared to work with USPS management to identify those changes that might be beneficial, if USPS management is prepared to admit error when its proposals are without foundation.