

DISTRICT MANAGER
LOUISIANA DISTRICT



November 2, 2021

Honorable Bob Fisher
Councilman, District VI
PO Box 3692-3692
Hahnville Louisiana 70057



Dear Councilman Fisher:

This is in response to your letter dated October 20, 2021 on behalf of your constituents of Montz Louisiana requesting a change of ZIP Code.

We recognize that some customers might prefer a mailing address that reflects a specific community name or locally recognized area. The ZIP Code is an operational tool used for distribution and delivery of mail. Although delivery growth and changing demographics can necessitate adjustments to delivery and ZIP Code boundaries, the general stability of boundaries is essential to the prompt and accurate distribution of mail. Many factors are considered in these decisions, including the size of the population, the relationship of existing carrier delivery routes, and each post office's capability to serve an area in terms of personnel space.

According to the Louisiana State Department of Revenue and State Treasurer Offices, the ZIP Code is not used in any way to determine the source or amount of sales or tax revenues. These funds are allocated to each parish based on state laws which use population formulas from the latest census count.

As new growth areas emerge, delivery must be extended according to the capability of a particular post office to accommodate new delivery territory. Based on the above mentioned national policies and procedures, a realignment of delivery territory is not operationally feasible or efficient. Therefore, we are not able to respond favorably to your request. to change mail delivery from Montz LA 70068 to the Norco LA 70079.

You have the right to appeal this decision within 45 days of the issuance of this letter. The appeal should be submitted to:

MANAGER, DELIVERY
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
475 L'ENFANT PLAZA SW RM 7142
WASHINGTON DC 20260-2802

Thank you for the opportunity to address this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Camp".

David Camp

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