

**2015 NATIONAL RURAL ROUTE MAIL COUNT
OPTION OUT ELECTION FORM**

In accordance with Article 9.2.C.3.a. (3) of the 2010-2015 National Agreement between the United States Postal Service and the National Rural Letter Carriers' Association, a national mail count is scheduled for eighteen (18) working days beginning Saturday, February 7, 2015 and ending Saturday, February 28, 2015, for all routes except those routes which both the regular carrier and management agree in writing not to count.

Vacant regular routes and all auxiliary routes as of Friday, January 23, 2015 will be scheduled for the mail count and are not eligible for the option election.

POST OFFICE: _____

ROUTE NUMBER: _____

CARRIER NAME: _____

I ELECT TO OPTION OUT THE ABOVE ROUTE FOR THE 2015 NATIONAL MAIL COUNT.

CARRIER SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

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**Management** must complete the following and return a copy of the completed form to the carrier no later than Close of Business (COB) January 23, 2015.

I DO \_\_\_ DO NOT \_\_\_ AGREE TO THE REGULAR CARRIER'S ELECTION TO OPTION OUT OF THE 2015 NATIONAL MAIL COUNT

POST OFFICE: \_\_\_\_\_

ROUTE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

CARRIER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MANAGEMENT NAME AND TITLE (PRINTED): \_\_\_\_\_

MANAGEMENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

*If there is mutual agreement to option out of the 2015 National Mail Count, a count will NOT be conducted.*