

NZ Post's Tūpuna programme

PWUA asking for feedback from Union members

NZ Post has now confirmed that its preferred plan for the future of mail is to:

- Close every Postal Delivery Branch in New Zealand
- Eliminate every job connected with Delivery Branches –
 - All Posties / Delivery Agents to go
 - All inside staff to go
 - All Delivery Branch management to go
 - All support staff to go
- Move the work currently done by Delivery employees onto courier contractors
- Retain only the minimum number of employees needed to keep the Auckland and Christchurch Mail Centres operating
- Transfer the delivery of mail by zero-carbon modes (walking, cycling, Paxsters) to delivery by petrol and diesel powered vans
- Impose all this in 5 years, more or less, depending on how it goes

The PWUA wants to hear members' feedback and comments on the company's plan:

- Is it the right thing to do / the wrong thing to do?
- Will it work / not work?
- Do you like it / dislike it?
- What else could they do instead?

Please **email your feedback** to the following email addresses **as soon as possible**, but **before Friday 10 November** so the PWUA can compile and forward it to NZ Post by their deadline of 14 November 2023:

Northern District: andre@unite.org.nz

Southern District: pwu@tradeshall.org.nz

The next Redback will publish the key points of feedback provided by members, but without using any names.

The feedback from union members will also be essential to the Union's response to the company's Tūpuna programme.

You can join the Postal Workers Union by going to the Union's website, www.pwua.org.nz
Click on the "Join us" link and submit the form