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[The postal service's fiscal crisis and future viability](#)

By Rep. Edolphus Towns

"The IG argued that the USPS has overpaid into the Civil Service Retirement System by as much as \$75 Billion. If these findings are correct, it puts the changes to the USPS business model in a whole new light because the Postal Service would be able to fully fund its retiree health care obligations for the next 75 years if it was allowed to access the funds." - Comments

[PostCom](#) says "The word from several sources is that Korn Ferry is in charge of a search for a new postal senior v.p. to be in charge of governmental and public affairs. It sounds like a re-creation of a position that once had existed within the USPS. It was a good idea then. It would be a good idea now." - Comments

[Arbitrator: OIG Agents Intended to Make a Grievant's Life a Living Hell](#) - Comments (5)

[5-day delivery would not mean layoffs, PMG says](#) Federal Times - Comments (3)

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[Full-Service Intelligent Mail USPS Release #4](#) Postal Affairs Blog - Comments

[Does the Postal Service Need to Re-examine Its Delivery Service Standards?](#) - OIG Blog - Comments

[The Postal Service's Union Problem](#) Tad DeHaven - Cato Institute - Comments (4)

[Putting a price tag on Postal Service woes](#) Washington Post - Comments

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[German Postal Model Can Show U.S. The Way](#) - Comments (2)

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[Cleveland postal workers sentenced on drug charges](#)

Seven of the eight arrested worked at the mail distribution center at 2400 Orange Ave., where agents confiscated crack, PCP, prescription painkillers, marijuana and a loaded handgun in June. - Comments

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- Postal employee charged with making terroristic threats  
- Poll: Trust in government nose dives  
- How the Ash Cloud Will Hasten the Death of Postal Delivery  
- Former Missouri Postal Service worker admits dumping mail along SE Missouri river

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- Intelligent Mail : To Wait or Not to Wait?

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- There's no such thing as 'junk mail'

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- Postal worker accused of groping girl, 9  
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- U.S. Postal Service cites global warming as a reason to cut Saturday delivery

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