



April 2, 2015

The Honorable Steny H. Hoyer  
Member of Congress  
6500 Cherrywood Lane, Suite 310  
Greenbelt, MD 20770-1287

Dear Congressman Hoyer:

This is in response to your March 3 letter on behalf of Ms. Christine Dollymore of College Park, concerning local mailing addresses.

- Thank you for sharing Ms. Dollymore's comments. I appreciate your interest in assisting her, and the opportunity to provide some information on the issue that she has raised. It may be helpful if I explain that each 5-digit ZIP Code has only one primary (or default) city name. The default city name in our national address management system database is the main Post Office or delivery unit that provides the majority of the deliveries in a specified ZIP Code. However, as the U.S. Postal Service recognizes the importance of last-line address designations for our customers, our database has been expanded so that, in some cases, we can also accommodate specific alternate place names.

To be of assistance, we contacted Capital District officials who investigated this matter. They report that Berwyn Heights was incorrectly listed in our system as the preferred last-line city designation for ZIP Code 20740. Nevertheless, they have entered a correction making College Park the primary city name. Berwyn Heights is now listed as an acceptable alternate place name. In regard to mail delivery service, please know that all mail for ZIP Code 20740 is delivered from the North College Park Station.

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention. If I can be of assistance in other postal matters, please let me know.

Sincerely,

(signed)

Darrell Donnelly  
Government Relations Representative



Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515  
April 6, 2015

Mrs. Christine Dollymore  
4710 Tecumseh Street  
Berwyn Heights, MD 20740-2156


Dear Mrs. Dollymore:

Enclosed is a copy of the letter I received from the US Postal Service (USPS) regarding an inquiry I made on your behalf.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to assist you. If there is anything else that I can do, please contact Ms. Daryl Pennington, in my Greenbelt Constituent Services Office at 6500 Cherrywood Lane, Suite 310, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770. The telephone number is 301-474-0119. The fax number is 301-474-4697.

Wishing you the best and with kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,



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