

MTAC User Group 9

January 29, 2015 at 2:00PM EST

Mission Statement: Collaborate to create and discuss the efficient communication, deployment, and accuracy of USPS presort reference data. Creating visibility into any issues around this presort reference data distribution and usage will lead to recommendations for improvements.

Notes:

- In depth review of issue list starting with the most recent issues
 - Review Log
 - Update log with
 - L002 VS L003 Fixed 3/1 BUD
 - “S” added to L002 list for Philadelphia
 - G2 Capitalization
 - PAVE is pushing back on vendors for this issue but have let it go for now once it was explained that it is the data causing the problem and not the vendors software
 - All labeling lists capitalized for 3/1 BUD
 - G1 – LSS project starting up to address this issue and other issues that relate to new rules for processing mail
 - G3 – Layout file posted. Industry to take a look at the layout file and see if it matches to the files that it describes. Was posted Sunday 1/24
 - G4 – L012 not in ZIPCODE order is a manual process and should be converted to an automated process
 - L012 in ZIP code order for 3/1 BUD
 - G6 – DVD is discontinued so this can be closed
 - NR Consolidations File
 - File owner has been identified. Kristina will provide update when dates have been corrected
 - New location in RIBBS for PRDIL
 - https://ribbs.usps.gov/intelligentmail_schedule2015/releaseoverview2015.cfm
 - Update on consolidated facility file
 - Still unclear about why the existing files cannot be used. What was the reason for creating a new file? Kristina to follow up for next meeting
 - Status report around standardizing/versioning
 - Presort reference data file dates
 - Mail.dat/Mail.xml dates
 - City/State and DelStat file versioning in filler
 - Step 1: Postal to decide on versioning methods. Three departments need to coordinate this effort
 - FAST
 - Labeling List
 - AIS
 - Step 2: Industry coordination of mail.dat and mail.xml specifications
 - IDEAlliance (Bob Schimek)
 - Labeling Lists in FAST, Postal Explorer

- USPS to show all 3 active labeling lists in FAST
- Postal Explorer users will be redirected to FAST
- (Timeframes to be determined)
- Open discussion
 - Question surrounding Del Stat files and how they can be out of sync
 - Confusion arises with multiple vendors and EDDM
 - Group recommendation: issue could be greatly improved with file versioning
- Next Scheduled Meeting: Thursday, February 12, 2015 at 2:00PM EST