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Mike:

As you can see from the letter I sent to you on August 18, 2017 (below), I am still having issues/concerns regarding the restrooms within your installation. I have also received complaints from the craft members that I represent. I am told that as of yesterday, October 12, 2017, that there are only two restrooms, inside the Seminole P&DC, one by door 25 and one in the transportation office, and with approximately 500 employees in this facility, surely that is inadequate. I have been advised that that there is leaking sewage from the first portable restroom, and the second portable utilized by the male employees, has the air conditioner leaking onto the floor, which poses an imminent safety concern. It was also reported that the contractor is not providing hand soap, which of course is yet another safety concern. I was advised that the USPS did not sign off and accept the contractor's finished product as of yesterday, so I am asking you and your staff to provide adequate and safe restroom facilities for our bargaining-unit employees. I would appreciate a swift response as this is of the utmost importance to my membership. Thank you in advance.

Joe Paul
President, APWU

August 18, 2017

Mike Willard
Plant Manager
Seminole P&DC

Re: Restrooms

Mike:

It was brought to my attention that the lack of facilities/restrooms available at the Seminole P&DC is posing a problem. I have been advised at the present time there are only two available toilets and one urinal to cover the entire Seminole P&DC. Outside of door number 1 there is a temporary restroom with one toilet and three urinals. I have also been advised that this is approximately one-half of what is required per the USPS's own Manuals/Handbooks. On the FSS (Flat Sorter machine) side of the building there are no facilities. This situation is most problematic and needs to be addressed right away and would seem to be a Safety and Health issue.

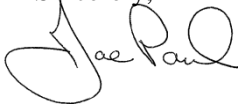
I was informed that the restroom remodeling is going to last for approximately one month. With the number of employees working under your employ in the P&DC, it is my belief that additional restrooms



should be brought in as expeditiously as possible. One of my Stewards apparently brought this request for additional facilities to Patricia Tartamella to see if a temporary restroom can be positioned in proximity to door 26, but as of today, nothing has occurred.

Please look into this situation and respond back to me as swiftly as possible, as this is in the best interests of, not only the employees I represent, but for all of the employees in your installation. If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joe Paul". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".

President

Cc: Robert Roman, A/Manager Maintenance
Benjamin Love, Maintenance Craft Director
Robert 'Bob' McSorley, Vice President
Stephen Nelson, Director of Safety and Health
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