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MIDWEST DIRECT COMPLETES AND DELIVERS ALL VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS TO THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE

CLEVELAND, October 20, 2020 – Midwest Direct has completed printing and delivering all vote-by-mail ballots to the U.S. Postal Service as of 10/19/20. Working with the County Boards of Election, and communicating with the Secretary of State's office and the Postal Service, Midwest has processed and delivered an unprecedented one million vote-by-mail ballots and more than 1.4 million election day ballots in two states to the Postal Service over the past 14 days.

"We appreciate the work the Postal Service has done to make sure voters receive their ballots promptly, said Richard T. Gebbie, CEO, Midwest Direct. "Throughout the entire process, we have seen one- to two-day delivery to the voters in the counties we serve.

"We are up-to-date with all ballot orders as of yesterday and we anticipate timely fulfillment as we move through the rest of the vote-by-mail process, which will continue through Saturday, October 31, the last day of mailing.

"We are proud of our team's efforts in processing this unprecedented number of ballots in the short time we had to complete them, and we thank them for their diligent efforts. We brought in extra staff, expanded hours and added equipment to meet the staggering volume of mail-in ballot requests for this election. In many cases, we processed three times the volume of requests the county board of elections anticipated."

Gebbie also addressed allegations that Midwest held or produced only those ballots affiliated with one political party or another. "For the 10 years we've been producing ballots, Midwest has never held or prioritized ballot printing for any reason. This year, we processed every ballot without regard to party, geography or county, as we always do. Any suggestion that our personal political beliefs prompted us to slow down ballot production and distribution is absolutely false. Quite simply, we wouldn't be in business if we conducted business that way. We know how important this election is to everyone in our country and we have kept our pledge to do everything our company can to make sure the mail-in ballot process proceeds expediently and with integrity."

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