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Dear Senator Obama,

On behalf of the 300,000 members of the National Association of Letter Carriers, congratulations on winning the Democratic Party's nomination for President. As a union that represents letter carriers who work for the U.S. Postal Service in virtually every community in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, NALC has welcomed the first truly national primary campaign in history. This campaign has energized the Party and prepared us well for the coming general election. That both you and Senator Clinton see the labor movement as an important ally in rebuilding the middle class and turning this country around has given us great hope for the future.

In addition to offering you my personal congratulations, I write to invite you to attend the National Association of Letter Carriers' 66th Biennial Convention in Boston, MA. **The Convention will run from July 21st - 25th, 2008** and will be held at the new Boston Convention and Exhibition Center, located in the city's Seaport District.

Specifically, I want to invite you to address a general session of our convention, which runs between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. each day. The program has not yet been finalized so we are happy to work with your scheduler to arrange a time and date that works for you. **We are expecting between 9,000 - 10,000 delegates from every state in the union at this convention.**

A resolution to endorse your candidacy will be made and voted on at the convention and your presence will help kick off a major political effort by NALC in the fall. We are determined to help elect you as our next President and to return a strong pro-labor majority to Congress in November. We will use our 152,000 e-Activists and thousands of Carrier Corp volunteers to turn out the labor vote in November and we expect to release more than 200 members to work full-time on the AFL-CIO's Labor 2008 effort.

If you are able to attend our convention, please have your staff contact Jennifer Alvarez at (202) 662-2833. She will make the necessary arrangements for your visit.

Thank you for your consideration of this invitation. It would be a great honor to have you in Boston.

Sincerely,

William H. Young
President