

Dear Ms. Bunn,

Thank you for reading my email.

I'm writing in the hopes that sharing my experience can help in the consideration of changing regulations so that it is not permitted to send unsolicited graphic, disturbing images to people.

I give my permission for all of this email to be put on the agenda for the November 2nd CPSC meeting, and for you to share it with whoever you feel it's relevant to share with.

I deal with PTSD, unfortunately, and after the shock of seeing the anti-abortion flyer in my mailbox with graphic images, I had over 2 months of symptoms flaring up - awful nightmares, high anxiety and fear, jumping at the slightest sound, couldn't focus, flashbacks, crying over nothing, etc. It was awful. Now I'm nervous to get the mail.

I don't understand how sending these images is allowed. I saw one on the sidewalk once, and any small child could have seen it and been traumatized. Shocking images like that can profoundly impact children and cause psychological harm. That's not ok.

I'm not sure of the details involved in regulating this kind of thing, but I hope that you'll forward my letter to anyone you know of who is involved in decision-making.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,  
Lily O'Brien