



November 07, 2014

Dear Sisters & Brothers:

I am currently seeking nominations for representatives and alternates for the following Saskatchewan Federation of Labour Committees:

- Aboriginal
- Occupational Health and Safety/Workers' Compensation
- Solidarity & Pride
- Women's
- Young Workers
- Apprenticeship
- Education
- Pensions & Benefits
- Shiftwork
- Trade

Please identify which committee you are interested in, your component, local number and your experience in that particular area. If you would like more information on the roles and responsibilities or the committees themselves, please contact me at: johnson@psac.com

Funding is available from the national PSAC budget for members participation on Federation of Labour Committees. Representatives will be required to provide written reports following each committee meeting before any expenses will be reimbursed. Committee representatives are not funded for annual conventions.

OTHER INFORMATION

- Committee terms are for two years.
- The goal for SFL committees is to further develop the experiences of representatives who have knowledge of the issues within their own union and to move forward on the overall provincial and national agenda within the Committee's mandate.
- The SFL prefers to "distribute the work" and therefore has asked that we consider not putting forward a member's name for more than one committee. If you are interested in more than one committee, please indicate your preferences as 1st, 2nd, etc.



- Our committees usually work on building consensus; however, should a vote be necessary, each union on the committee is entitled to one vote only.
- Unless there are unusual circumstances, the SFL will attempt to provide committee members with at least one month's notice of committee meetings. They endeavour to provide two weeks' notice, prior to meeting date, if meetings are cancelled (i.e., if they have not received indication that at least 50% of the committee members can attend).
- Committee meetings are usually scheduled to commence at 10:30 a.m., allowing most representatives time to drive in the morning of the meeting and return home same day.
- Committee Terms of Reference are available at www.sfl.sk.ca, under the *Committees* tab.
- The Young Workers Committee is open to your members who are 29 or under. NOTE: This is different than the PSAC Young Workers age.

Applications should be submitted to me via e-mail johnson@psac.com no later than November 21st.

In solidarity,

Nancy Johnson
PSAC VP to the SFL

cc: REVP Prairies



Expression of Interest

I would like to be considered for the following committee:

I believe that I should represent PSAC on this committee because:

Name: _____

Component: _____

Local: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Postal Code: _____

Work Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

E-mail Work: _____

E-mail Home: _____



VOLUNTARY SELF-DECLARATION

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| 1. a) Are you a person with a disability? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b) Has your disability required accommodations to be made in your present workplace, job or union? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Are you a person of Aboriginal ancestry? (this includes Status Indian, Non-status Indian, Métis and Inuit) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Are you a visible minority person? A visible minority is a person who is not Caucasian and does not include an Aboriginal person who answered #2. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Are you a young worker? (29 years of age or younger) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Are you gay, lesbian or bi-sexual or transgendered? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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