Government Services Union



# GSU Local 50002 Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: November 22, 2017

**Start time:** 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Location: St Boniface Boardroom, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 167 Lombard Ave, Winnipeg

#### Attendees:

Bev Laurin (President)
Larissa Williams (Treasurer)
Brendan Olver (Communications Officer)

#### 1. Outstanding Action Items:

- Communications Officer to begin the process of uploading meeting minutes for the year
   2017 onto the GSU website.
- President to complete additional Local Development training application and submit on behalf of the Local.
  - President to confirm with Clint if the training is local-specific or for local engagement.
- Dedicated teleconference line through GSU to be researched by the President.
- Meet and Greet with Members:
  - Communications Officer to mail to local offices pre-stamped envelopes for members to mail member application cards in.
- Treasurer and Communications Officer to review the running membership list.
- Communications Officer to go through local archive and organize/condense material.

#### 2. New Action Items:

- Treasurer must resign position due to being elected as a Regional Vice President for Manitoba/Saskatchewan.
- Tentative SALD meet and greet date of December 7<sup>th</sup>, will contact SALD representative to check if that date is acceptable.

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- Treasurer contact information will be removed from website.
- Call-out to members for proposed by-law changes will be sent out, with a due date of January 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Tentative AGM date set for 2018 AGM set for February 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- President will investigate a potential health and safety officer position for local.

#### 3. Other Business:

Communications Officer submitted to the Executive expenses for the September GSU convention.

### 4. AGM Suggestions:

- By-Law suggestions to bring forward at the next Annual General Membership Meeting:
  - Change the Shop Steward wording remove locations altogether to provide more flexibility regarding where the Shop Stewards are located.
  - o The Executive to review proposed by-law amendment to increase the honorariums.
  - The Executive to review/add additional money allotted for Convention registration into the by-laws.
  - o Possible addition of a Social Media/ PR position.

Bev Laurin, President

**Brendan Olver, Communications Officer**