



North Okanagan Labour Council  
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Chartered by the Canadian Labour Congress

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING – Wednesday, January 2, 2019

1. **LOCATION:** Kelowna BC
2. **AFFILIATES PRESENT:**  
**EXECUTIVE:**

SECRETARY TREASURER	<b>Louise Gibson</b> MoveUP	CENTRAL DELEGATE	<b>Helen Repole</b> BCGEU 12
RECORDING SECRETARY	<b>Cheryl Stone</b> UFCW 1518	TRUSTEE	<b>Greg McGowan</b> BCFORUM
VICE PRESIDENT	<b>Shane Curveon</b> ATU 1722	TRUSTEE	<b>Gail Neufeld</b> HEU
VICE PRESIDENT	<b>Carmen Belanger</b> HEU	NORTHERN DELEGATE	<b>Wynn Hartfelder</b> BCGEU 3
SERGEANT at ARMS	<b>Karen Abramsen</b> UFCW1518		
3. **AFFILIATES:** **Troy Coburn** CUPW 760, **Nicholas Balducci** IBEW 213, **Peter Stantic** IAFF 953, **Kelly Hutchinson** BCGEU 17, **Angela Allen** HEU, **Jeff Fisher** IBEW 213, **Heidi Collins** HEU Vernon
4. **REGRETS:** **Susan Bauhart** COTA/BCTF, VP **Ronn Dunn** CUPE3523, PRESIDENT **Ian Gordon** CUPE 3523,
5. **OBLIGATION OF NEW DELEGATES:** none
6. **GUESTS:** **Pat Bulmer** Kelowna Daily Courier
7. **BCFORUM Delegates:** **Greg McGowan**, **Doug Gibson**
8. **CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order by VP **Shane Curveon** ATU sitting in for PRESIDENT **Ian Gordon**.
9. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA:** M/S/C that the agenda is adopted.
10. **GUEST SPEAKER(S):**
11. **ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:** M/S/C
12. **CREDENTIALS REPORT:** 16 Present with 13 Delegates 1 Guest(s) 2 BCFORUM delegate(s)
13. **FINANCIAL REPORT:** M/S/C that the Financial Report was given by Secretary Treasurer **Louise Gibson** MoveUP
14. **ACTION CORRESPONDENCE:** The Bridges thank you letter.
15. **(a) REPORTS OF LOCAL UNIONS – (b) STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS – (c) CLC REPORT**
  - (a) **REPORTS OF LOCAL UNIONS:** NB: It is important to have your Union report included in our minutes; however, the Secretary requires it in digital form. Therefore, if it is not in the minutes this is the reason. Please email it to me before the 15th of the month so it can be included. Thank you. [nolc.cstone@gmail.com](mailto:nolc.cstone@gmail.com).

**Jeff Fisher** IBEW 213, **Angela Allen** HEU Kelowna, **Shane Curveon** ATU, **Pat Bulmer** Guest, **Doug Gibson** BCFORUM

**(b) STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- **Community Outreach** - none
- **Bursary Committee** - none
- **Union Affiliate Outreach** - none
- **Political Action** - none

(b) STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS: (continued)

- **Education** - none
- **Communications** - none
- **Financial Policies** - none

(c) CLC Report – n/a

16. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

- **NOLC Executive Council Election 2019** - The election is held at the meeting in February. Roles for each position are available upon request. Some nominations were made this evening and more can be nominated at the February 6 2019 meeting.
- **NOLC Merchandise** – tabled to February 6, 2019

17. **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **Day of Mourning 2019** – **Karen Abramsen** UFCW 1518, **Cheryl Stone** UFCW 1518 will work on this committee.
- **NOLC By Laws** – Changes regarding the Executive Council election in the By-Laws to be discussed further and tabled to the February 6 2019 meeting.

18. **FINAL CREDENTIALS REPORT:** 18 Present with 15 Delegates 1 Guests 2 BCFORUM delegates

19. **GOOD & WELFARE:**

- **Kelly Hutchinson** BCGEU 1707 spoke on the results of Proportional Representation and 2019 Federal NDP election.
- **SAVE THE DATE: World community Film Festival – February 28 2019 to March 3 2019 (www.worldfilmfestkelowna.net)**  
The 2019 festival will include over 30 documentaries from around the world, with a focus on environmental, social justice, and human rights issues. These are films that are sure to entertain, educate, and inspire!  
The Festival begins Thursday evening (Feb 28th) at the Ki Low Na Friendship Centre. Then a Friday evening grand opening at Okanagan College, followed by films all day Saturday and Sunday at OC.

20. **ADJOURNMENT:** M/S/C - adjourned at 8:15 pm

21. **NEXT MEETINGS:** 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month, July/August (summer break)  
**February 6, March 6, April 3 (Vernon) May 1, June 5, September 4,  
October 2 (Vernon) November 6, December 4, 2019**

Minutes respectfully submitted by Recording Secretary **Cheryl Stone** UFCW 1518.

Next meeting:  
**NOLC February 6, 2019**  
**Kelowna BCGEU building**  
1064 Borden Avenue  
Executive meeting 5:30 pm  
General Meeting 7:00 pm