



WORKING TOGETHER FOR SASKATCHEWAN

COMMUNITY SERVICES SECTOR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING & EDUCATIONAL

Date: October 18-19, 2024
Location: Prince Albert SGEU Building
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Please join your fellow SGEU members from the Community Services Sector as we:

- Share our ideas, concerns and solutions about the union and work-related issues; Discuss our priorities
Make new friends and re-establish long-time relationships
Elect leaders to represent us and our sector
Shape the future of our workplaces and our union

The following positions are up for election this year for 2-year terms. These positions give members the ability to work within the Union with other sectors.

The available positions are as follows:

- Vice President
Secretary
Provincial Council Members 1 & 2 plus their alternates
Central Area Council Member 1 – Zone 3
Southeast Area Council Member 1 – Zone 8
Southeast Area Council Member 2 – Zone 6
Southwest Area Council Member 1 – Zone 5
Long Term Disability Rep 1 and alternate
Community Based Organization (CBO) Workers Rep 2 and alternate

For more details on the duties of these positions, please email our CSS Secretary, Trish, at css.sec@gmail.com



This year we will be voting via Simply Voting – it is email based and will help move elections along in a timely manner.

There is a tendency for SGEU Members to believe that only Stewards can take training or attend meetings, this is not true beyond the idea that Stewards should be taking the training that is offered but every member of the Union can take training or attend meetings and even apply to attend Convention or the AGM of our Sector. The 'Educational' session that we are offering to those who attend our AGM is directed to everyone so they can:

- have the basics of how unions like SGEU function
- how the laws that exist surrounding labour and unions function in society
- how Stewards can help their fellow members
- what can happen if Stewards and other Union Leaders do not perform their duties appropriately
- Organization and structure of SGEU
- Unions and the legislative framework (SEA, Human Rights, OH&S)
- Member recognition and growth initiatives
- Steward roles and responsibilities (inclusive of New Member Orientation instructional)
- SGEU member advocacy and effective meeting representation

Also, don't miss out on our fun activities at the Social on Friday night starting with Music Bingo at the Best Western Premier Inn at 7:30pm

Music Bingo takes the classic game of bingo and infuses it with a rhythmic twist. Instead of calling out numbers, a host plays a series of song snippets, and participants mark off the corresponding titles or artists on their bingo cards.

In your package you will find the Bylaws for the Community Services Sector. Please take time to read them over and if you would like changes made bring them to AGM for discussion.

We look forward to seeing you all at the AGM!