

# **PSAC NCR Communications Committee**

## **Meeting Minutes**

July 11, 2017

### **I. Call to order**

Shawn Walker called to order the meeting of the PSAC NCR Communications Committee on July 11, 2017 at Pat McGrath Room at 6:00 pm.

### **II. Roll call**

The following persons were present: Shawn Walker, Karen Reimer

Present via teleconference: Robert Hawgood, Behiye Cinkilic, Robert Willson

### **III. Approval of minutes from last meeting**

n/a

### **IV. New business**

- a) Movies in the Park – July 21, screening ‘Hidden Figures’. Need volunteers, 6 pm set up, movie starts at 9 pm. Robert H., Robert W., and Behiye volunteered to help. Shawn to send email to ensure Facebook event is updated, as it currently shows 8 pm at Holland Cross.
- b) Retreat – July 21-23 date doesn’t work. September 9-10 suggested, to be further discussed at August meeting.
- c) OLDC budget is still bad, looking for small Locals to join. UNE suggested. Election in February. Unknown if membership count is based on work or home location. Robert H. to prepare to ask question to President. Labour Day Parade (approx. 16,000 per year).
- d) PRIDE – Looking for volunteers – 7 PSAC members versus 80 workers from Winners store. Affiliate with all labour, under one banner, being considered.
- e) September Regional Council Meeting – Speak to Local to get a seat at RC meeting. Date may be October – Shawn to confirm.
- f) Component Conventions
  - UHEW August 22-24, Toronto
  - UNE August 23-25

- UNDE August 21-25, Victoria
- National PSAC Convention, next year, Ottawa. PSAC National Office will likely do call out for volunteers/hosting in next few months. Talk to Local to attend as an Observer or be elected to attend as a Delegate

## **V. Round Table**

Reminder that next meeting is August 8, and will have teleconference option. Next in person meeting will be September 12.

## **VI. Adjournment**

Shawn Walker adjourned the meeting at 6:45 pm.

Minutes submitted by: Karen Reimer