

**REPORT
OF THE
REGIONAL VICE-PRESIDENT
NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR
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This report covers the period from June 2018 to October 2018

- Attended two RUMCC's and ROHS's, myself and the locals' representatives brought forward issues such as Phoenix, Appendices C and K, the issue of C&P Officers not receiving the allowance negotiated in last contract, use of casuals, grievance decisions made at first and second level and
- Many discussions with Local presidents about issues their locals' are facing, the three locals with C&P members are facing many issues with Appendix K, Appendix C, and receiving the allowance that was negotiated in the last round of negotiations. With all locals, there is a common theme that the level of respect being shown our members by management is constantly decreasing.
- I have also, along with labour caucus on the NAFC Building OHS committee, pushed for an epidemiological study of NAFC due to the seemingly high rate of illness and deaths to our members who work in this building, first part of study is complete with results to be shared with NAFC staff.
- Lobbied and was successful to have another member of Local 90002 added to NAFC OHS committee, so the issues facing CHS can be identified.
- Attended two National OHS meeting through conference call, am member of investigation team to help resolve outstanding issue involving a C&P member.
- Sandy Fraser stepped down as Vice-president of Local 90002, due to accepting a position out of PSAC. Todd Inkpen was elected Vice President during a general meeting of the local.
- Mark Power stepped down as president of Local 90001, after accepting an acting position with PSAC, the new executive was as follows:
 - President - Siobhan Foley-Lambert
 - 1st Vice President - Stephanie Jones
 - 2nd Vice President - Vacant
 - Treasurer - Karen Bursey
 - Secretary - Nancy White
 - Chief Shop Steward - Hartley Green
- Since then, Stephanie Jones has stepped down as vice-president.

- Working with the new executive to increase communication with the members and to try and increase member involvement in the local. The local has had poor attendance at its AGMs and has had very poor communication between executive and the members. This led to losing faith in the executive and feeling like there is no to little representation. The new executive is very eager to correct this and has taken steps to increase communication and to reach out to all its members. I think that there will be a positive turn in member involvement and confidence in the local and union.
- Currently dealing with closure of a C&P office and how it will impact members.