

**REPORT
OF THE
REGIONAL VICE-PRESIDENT
BRITISH-COLUMBIA/YUKON
Richard May**

This report covers the activities of Regional Vice President BC / Yukon from August 2017 – October 2017

August

- Attended the UHEW inaugural National Convention in Toronto Aug 20 – 26th
- Elected to RVP position Aug 24th
- Held Local meeting to resign from local president position for local 20090 and hold elections for executive members.
- Change signing authority for local 20090 to reflect current executive.
- Addressed multiple Phoenix issues with new Local president Daniel Williams
- Met with 2 members in Victoria BC related to ongoing harassment grievances

September

- DFO ROHS meeting – teleconference
- Address Phoenix issues with members
- North Vancouver Island Area Council meeting - Comox
- PSAC resolutions conference call

October

- North Vancouver area council teleconference for election of delegates to PSAC national convention
- Met with RDS at Pacific Biological Station to discuss contracting out of mailroom position and staffing issues within the administrative group.
- Address Phoenix issues with members
- PCOHS NRCan teleconference – discussed membership on this committee with NRCan reps Jesse Simpson and Brett Foord.
- BRUSH committee meeting - teleconference
- Fix Phoenix rally – arranged buses and coordinated with PIPSC for a successful rally with approximately 70 attendees.
- DFO Labour relations symposium Oct 24 – 26th

Key concerns for this region are:

- Phoenix pay issues
- Harassment in the workplace
- Staffing issues and appointment processes