

LOCAL 002 CHAPTER 002 COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE REPORT – ERIKA EWEN MAY 2017 – APRIL 2018

This is my first year as a Local 002 Chapter 002 Council Representative. Over the years, I have attended AGMs and Conventions and then started attending Executive and General Membership Meetings in my role as Chapter 002's Secretary. These experiences as well as my increased involvement with the AUPE as a Chapter 002 Council Representative have provided me with a much better understanding of the AUPE and the issues concerning its members.

LOCAL 002 CHAPTER 002 MEETINGS ATTENDED

November 18, 2017

- AUPE Local 002 Chapter 002 Executive Board meeting and General Membership Meeting; I volunteered to take the minutes as the Secretary was absent.

January 20, 2018

- Special Meeting as requested by the AUPE Local 002 Chapter 002 Executive Meeting (this meeting was adjourned as the agenda was defeated) and General Membership Meeting; I volunteered to take the minutes as the Secretary was absent.

March 17, 2018

- AUPE Local 002 Chapter 002 General Membership Meeting following the failed attempt to remove the Chapter 002 Chair. I was absent from this meeting due to illness. However, I sent an email to the Local 002 Chair that was read at the meeting. The email voiced my comments, opinions and concerns regarding removing the Chapter 002 Chair and proposed some alternatives.

COURSES, ETC. ATTENDED

1. Introduction to Your Union – June 30, 2017
2. 2017 AUPE Convention – October 19 – 21, 2017
3. Introduction to Politics – December 1, 2017
4. Introduction to OHS – February 23, 2018
5. AUPE Labour School - Introduction to Labour History – March 25 – 29, 2018
6. PSPP Pension Workshop – April 11, 2018

COMMITTEE WORK

I was a member of an adhoc Chapter 002 Engagement Committee that worked on coordinating and developing an engagement plan for Chapter 002. This was done by reviewing the spreadsheet of ideas to improve Chapter 002 developed in 2016 and reviewing the Chapter 002 Survey results from January 2018 to identify if any issues were raised in the Survey that could be incorporated into the Chapter 002 Engagement Plan. The Chapter 002 Engagement Plan was finalized in April 2018 and will be presented at the 2018 Chapter 002 AGM.