



CANADIAN UNION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES LOCAL 374

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES AND DELEGATES

CUPE Vancouver Island District Council (VIDC) – Sarah Fairbrass

- \$700 raised for this quarter's fundraiser, Vets for Pets
- More than 30 resolutions were submitted to VIDC to endorse and forward to CUPE BC convention
- May will have a number of elections for term positions. If anyone is interested in becoming a more active part of VIDC it is a good time to become active!
- VIDC has designed a new logo and will be having shirts made to be distributed at CUPE BC convention during the VIDC caucus
- Delegates to CUPE BC convention were requested to support Brother Pat Shade's bid for Disability Vice President. Pat has been tireless for years in promoting the rights of disabled workers at all levels of CUPE. The vote will occur during the Disability caucus. You do not have to have a physical disability to attend and support Pat. Many unseen illnesses are 'disabilities' – Diabetes, heart condition, Celiac disease to name but a few. I strongly encourage all 374 delegates who self-identify with a disability to attend the caucus and support Brother Shade.
- Shireen was endorsed by VIDC in her campaign for CUPE National trustee
- All incumbent Vancouver Island GVP's and RVP's were also endorsed by the council, as was Sister