

**Kingston Area Council Meeting
April 12, 2012
Yukon Lodge, CFB Trenton**

Meeting called to order 18:30

Roll Call

Ralf Bucherer	President	UCTE Local 00056
Janet Lisk	Secretary	UCTE Local 00056
Laura Eastcott	Treasurer	UNDE Local 641
Richard McNeill	First Vice	USGE Local 00016
Anthony Bertrim		USGE Local 103
Andrea Holmes		UTE Local 00012
Arlene Preston		UNDE Local 637
Krystle Maki		DCL 901
Paul Chaves		USGE Local 103
MaryAnne Laurico	Staff	PSAC

Regrets

John Singleton, Ed and Peggy Jones, Christo Aivalis

Adoption of Minutes from February's Meeting

m/s/c Richard McNeill/Laura Eastcott

The Kingston Area Council has not yet received a refund from the Ontario Council. Ralf will look into why.

16th PSAC National Triennial Convention

People running for President of PSAC are Robyn Benson, Patty Duscharme, Heather Brooker, Colleen?.

People running for Vice President are Mike Wing, Daniel Kinsella, Chris Aylward, Ken Waldron.

The Supplemental Pension Plan is off the table until 2015.

Three resolutions will be put forth to disband DSL's. A campaign to keep DSL's is underway. Sr. Maki presented a letter to save the DCL's to the area council. The letter was passed around the room for members for signatures.

A resolution will be put forth for regionally funded Health and Safety Committees.

Round Table

Ontario Council would like to set up a standardization for education funding throughout the regions.

Day care on sight for conferences will be looked into. Sr. DeSousa said it will be put into place for the next conference.

Work Force Adjustment Training is available from the Kingston RO if needed.

April 21st Saturday there will be a bus leaving Kingston at 9:00 for a rally in Toronto OFL.

May 1st, Rally on Parliament Hill.

There is a website on Work Force Adjustment....www.GCForums.gc.ca. You will need a government e-mail address to join. You can post resumes etc on this website.

Adjournment 20:30

Next meeting will be held at the Kingston RO on June 13, 2012.