 MINUTES OF THE UNIVERSITY EMPLOYEES’ UNION-

CUPE 5791 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

HELD Wednesday, September 12, 2018 at 12:00 noon in AH527.

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PRESENT: Jamie Mellor, Velda Gottselig, Louise Smith, Mary Catherine Litalien, Melanie Parisian, Kelly Jackman, James Batalha, Emily Kossick, Raheel Masood, Gabby Popa-Liesz, Brenda Smith, Florin Palanciuc, Pam Sparvier, Maria Alarcon

REGRETS: Brad Martin, Marina Ahrendt, Allison Marshall,

ABSENT: Shane Belter, Bill Heaman, Danielle Myers

GUESTS: Andrew Lowen (CUPE Rep)

Attendees: 45 members

The Chair called the meeting to order.

1. **New Members and Initiation:**
2. **Motion:** To accept the New Members from May, June, July, & August 2018.

F. Palanciuc/M.C. Litalien Carried

1. **Meeting Minutes:**

**Motion:** To accept minutes of June 13, 2018 as presented.

V. Gottselig / F. Palanciuc Carried

1. **Treasurer’s Report:**

**Motion:** To accept Treasures report for June, July, and August 2018 as presented.

V. Gottselig / K. Jackman Carried

4. **Executive Board Report:**

a. SFL Convention is in Regina, October 24-27, 2018 with a $300.00 registration fee. Budget is to send 4 (3 plus the President). Information at: <http://www.sfl.sk.ca/public/images/documents/Events/Convention/2018_Convention_Call_-_May_31_FINAL.pdf>

**Election of Attendees:** R. Masood D; **K. Jackman S/A; G. Popa-Liesz S/A; C. Perrin S/A**

b. CUPE National Sector Council Conference is in Ottawa, November 5-8, 2018. Budget is to send 2 members. Information at: <https://cupe.ca/event/national-sector-council-conference>

**Election of Attendees: R. Masood S/E**; V. Gottselig S; J. Batalha S

c. Aboriginal Council Conference is in Saskatoon, October 18-19, 2018. Not in the budget but we have not sent to other budgeted events. Information at: <https://sk.cupe.ca/event/aboriginal-council-conference-2018/>

**Motion:** To send 2 members to Aboriginal Council Conference is in Saskatoon, October 18-19, 2018.

**Election of Attendees:** **Pheonix Sparvier S/A; 1 Available Position**

d. Area meetings will be scheduled in the near future, before the November General Membership meeting so the units can bring their representative selections forward then.

e. University Post-doc and Researcher staff have organized with CUPE and have requested to become a subunit to the 5791 Membership similar to Chartwells, MAGI and FNUniv .

**Notice of Motion for the October General Membership Meeting:** To accept the University Post-doc and Researcher organized staff as a sub contract under CUPE 5791.

f. **Notice:** Elections for the following positions will take place at the **November 14, 2018 meeting**:

President

2nd Vice President

Recording Secretary

Executive at Large;

Clerical- 4 Positions

Library- 1 Position

Trades- 1 Position

Caretakers- 1 Position

College Ave Campus- 1 Position

Applied Science- 1 Position

Sargent at Arms

Trustee- 1 Position for 3 Years

5. **Reports of Committees and Delegates**

* 1. Benefits Committee- F. Palanciuc reported all is good.
  2. Employment Equity/Diversity Advisory Committee- No Report
  3. Good & Welfare Committee- No Report
  4. Grievance Committee- J. Mellor reported 4 grievances have been withdrawn.
  5. Health & Safety Committee- B. Yung reported there is information being sent out for the upcoming flu clinics. She also reminded everyone that the campus is smoke free.
  6. Parking Committee- No report.
  7. Position Review and Appeal Committee- No report.
  8. Scholarship Committee- V. Gottselig reported that there has been 1 submission for the fall so far.
  9. Social Committee- V. Gottselig reported that the Christmas Social will be held on November 24, 2018 at the Italian Club.
  10. Communication /Education Committee- E. Kossick reported they are still working on the next Newsletter.

6. U**nfinished Business/New Business/Members Concerns**.

**Motion:** To Destroy the ballots.

F. Palanciuc/V. Gottselig Carried

7. **Good of the Union:**

Draw for $450.00 cash from membership list: Cecilia Asla (340 out of 777 on Employee list)

Draw for $50.00 cash from 45 members in attendance: Maria Alacron (7)

8. **Meeting Adjourned.**

Minutes recorded by Velda Gottselig.