

CANDIDATE PROFILE

NAME: Wendy Bradley Reynolds

POSITION BEING SOUGHT: Secretary/Treasurer

LENGTH OF TIME WITHIN THE UNION: 15 years

UNION EXPERIENCE:

- Current Union Co-chair of Kentville OH&S Committee
- Elected to the Elections Committee (Judge) November 2014 to March 2017
- Member of Credential Committee at Annual Local Meeting April 2016
- Participated in Women's Health & Safety course Port Elgin November 1-6 2015
- Attended 3 day Human Rights Course October 21-23 2015
- Delegate at 8th Annual Local Meeting April 2015
- Delegate at 7th Annual Local Meeting April 2014

WORK HISTORY:

I currently work in the Kentville Assignment Centre, and have been an assignor since 2012. My prior work experience was in Scotia Square, where I held a variety of CSR roles, including sales, the TV group, and offline mentor.

COMMENTS:

I joined my first union at the age of 19, (CBRT&GW). It was an eyeopening experience where I learned a lot about the labour movement in Canada, and I really began to understand my worth as a worker. My priorities are the same as yours. I want a fair contract, safe working conditions, and to be able to retire with dignity.

What I know to be true:

Good jobs in Canada are under attack by a corporate mentality that is only interested in increasing quarterly profits. Our challenge is to fight against this corporate greed in a smart way.

We are not alone. When union members work together we are a force to be reckoned with. We have worth.

What I can do to help:

I am proud of the way I have successfully managed my own household finances, and feel I can also inject integrity and efficiency into the management of the union's books. I recognize the importance of a strong and healthy union financial position as we work towards our goal for a fair contract. In addition, my time in Assignment has taught me the importance of being highly organized and keeping good records. A combination of my education (BA, BEd), and volunteer work, (member of Central King's Community Health Board), has also given me experience I can bring to this position.

If you vote for me as your Secretary/Treasurer, I will never forget that I am employed by the members of the union to represent them, and will invest my passion for the labour movement into this job, working hard for us all.

Thank you for your time.