

CANDIDATE PROFILE

NAME: Paul Soley

POSITION BEING SOUGHT: Delegate for Atlantic Regional Council, Canadian Council and National Constitutional Convention

LENGTH OF TIME WITHIN THE UNION: 33 years

UNION EXPERIENCE:

- “Active Picketeer” during the ACTWU craft strike of 1996
- March 2004: picket captain Halifax 2004 strike
- September 2014 – present: Shop steward.
- September 2014 – Dec 2017 Member of the High risk OH&S committee in HRM.
- Member Delegate at the Local 2289 Annual meeting 2015, 2017 & 2018
- January 2018 – July 2020 : Regional Director District #3
- August 2019 – Delegate representing Local 2289 at Unifor National Constitutional Convention in Quebec City
- July 2020 – present : Vice President unifor Local 2289

WORK HISTORY:

During my 33-year career, I have worked as a:

- Mail Services Clerk (now done by a contractor)
- Mail Services Chauffer (now done by a contractor)
- Utility Man / Building Maintenance Technician (now done by a contractor)
- Loop & Station Installer (CST)
- CO Technician (Network Technician)
- Business Services Technician (BST)
- Network Equipment Technician (COEI)

COMMENTS:

It would be my privilege to be a delegate representing the membership of Local 2289 at the Atlantic Regional Council, Canadian Council and National Constitutional Convention.

These conventions are a great opportunity to share information and ideas as well as platform for our local to bring issues forward and be heard by the National leadership. I feel we need strong voices at these events who will stand and voice OUR labour issues from Nova Scotia.

In Solidarity,

Paul Soley