



METRO VANCOUVER LUNCHTIME MEETING

Thursday, February 23, 2017

Minutes

Statements of Income and Expenses

- Information provided for December 2016 and January 2017.
- The increase in salaries for December 2016 was due to an extra pay period.

JEA Committee Update

- The Committee was scheduled to meet on January 24, 2017 to review the Union's response to the draft document. Unfortunately two members of the Union side of the Committee were absent. The meeting was rescheduled to February 28, 2017.

Bargaining Update:

- The Union and Employer met on January 27, February 9 and February 21, 2017.
- At the last meeting the Union provided the Employer with a 'package' that addressed all of the proposals.
- The Employer advised that they would need to adjourn for the balance of the day to review what the Union had presented.
- The Employer later advised that they would need more time to review and prepare a response, so the March 1 meeting date was cancelled and the parties will meet on the next scheduled date of March 27, 2017.
- The Union has requested to meet sooner than that date if possible.

Q & A / Draw

- The group discussed the matter of Teamsters acting in exempt positions. History was provided with respect to discussions in Labour Management Meetings and the draft

policy that the Employer had given the Union as well as the Union's concerns with the document and how it would impact the members.

- GPS / Fleet tracking was also discussed.
- There was discussion with respect to the changes that will occur with MSP premiums.
- Updates and speculation on the layout and completion date of the new building were discussed.
- Looks like the high back red chair was the winner of the chair vote!
- As there is no bargaining session scheduled before the next scheduled noon hour meeting, it was proposed and agreed that the March 16 noon hour meeting be adjourned.

Future meeting dates (subject to change):

- Thursday, April 20, 2017 (room TBA)
- Thursday, May 18, 2017 (room TBA)

*dates and locations are subject to change