

## **NEW BUSINESS AGENT APPOINTED ON VANCOUVER ISLAND**

November 3, 2022

Teamsters Local 31 is proud to announce the appointment of Bro. Gord Watson to the position of Business Agent.

Bro. Watson has served as a Shop Steward at Superior Propane located on Vancouver Island for 6-years. During his time as Shop Steward, Gord has resolved numerous grievances and was elected as a bargaining committee member.

He has received training at the Canadian Labour Congress Winter School in courses concerning Federal and Provincial labour laws and WorkSafeBC courtesy of the Industry Advancement Fund at Teamsters Local 31.

"I thank President Stan Hennessy for the opportunity and honour to be a Teamsters Business Agent. I am incredibly proud to work alongside longtime Business Agent Tom Brown, representing our members on Vancouver Island," says Business Agent Gord Watson.

President Stan Hennessy has assigned Business Agent Watson to represent members at PAC-TOW, Superior Propane, Purolator, UPS, Van-Kam Freightways, West Decks Transport, Black Ball Ferry Line, Marpole Transport, Linde-Praxair, Canada Cartage, Access Information Management Inc.

Business Agent Gord Watson will be based in the local union's Nanaimo office at #3 2480 Kenworth Road.

Teamsters Local Union No. 31 proudly represents more than 8,300 hard-working members in British Columbia and the Yukon Territory, including general truck drivers, courier, public sector, warehouse and grocery workers, transit, coach, school bus drivers and monitors, lumber, pulp and paper workers and limousine chauffeurs, since 1936.