

PSAC Vancouver Island Young Workers Committee (VIYWC)

Date: Apr 15th 2026

Time: 6:00 PM PST

Location: Virtual Zoom meeting

Attendees:

1. Kaj Stirler, UNDE 21011 VP
2. Susan Young, UNDE 21008
3. David Marrack, UCTE 20220
4. Nikola Wells, UNDE Local 21009
5. Jeffrey Fontaine, UHEW 20169
6. Aaron Chalifoux UNDE 21016
7. Jessica Dagasso, PSAC Staff

Summary of Discussions:

- **Meeting called to order 1810 PDT**

Land acknowledgement from Kaj Stirler, VP

Reminder of the 94 calls to action

**Motion from Susan to approve the agenda as circulated, seconded by Aaron. Carried.**

**Motion to approve the previous minutes as circulated, from Susan, seconded by Aaron. Carried.**

President's report: Very busy, attended the national young workers conference, and the UNDE Young Workers national conference, as well as further work on the concert plan, prior to Susan's departure in the fall. More work continues on the Banks Brothers, just trying to establish which rules need to be followed. Kaj is also coordinating with PSAC national to ensure we have their support as well.

One of the key elements is trying to get engagement from young workers, and the hope is that this concert will help raise awareness for folks, and that they have a say in how their dues are used.

**Motion from Kaj to approve the President's report, seconded by Jeffrey. Carried.**

Treasurer's report, from Kaj- situation is still stable, there's been nothing in the way of news.

Report from Susan (Co Chair), attended the conference with Kaj as well, good event to see what happens behind the scenes, good opportunity to network and meet the other folks in the union. As well, if folks are looking for ways to get involved in addition to the treasurer, we will need another co-chair before Susan leaves for Ottawa. **Motion by Susan, to approve the Report seconded by Nikolas.**

Report from David (Secretary), we are always looking for someone who would be interested in taking on the Communications job.

### **New Business**

Summer BBQ, David will support for the food etc, more to follow on what day we can arrange things.

David was asking about resolutions for the National Young Workers Conference, and Kaj said he/we can have a dedicated session to brainstorming and starting resolutions off. Jessica let us know that support is available, but that the actual course is only offered once every couple of years, so probably next year. A resolution party may be held, more to follow.

### **Other Business**

Routine updates from Jessica

Next meeting will be set for June 24th, 2026, at 6:00.

**Get staff updates from Jessica.**

Meeting ended 1847