



# NOTICE of POLLS

Attention: All Unifor Local 111 Members

The elections are up and coming; please pay close attention to the dates below. Nomination Acceptance forms are available at your Local Union offices in the depots and on the Unifor Local 111 website. Please keep a lookout for upcoming notices on your Union Boards as well as the website. The elected positions will have a 3 year term.

If there are any questions, please send an email to the Local 111 Elections Committee at [elections@unifor111.com](mailto:elections@unifor111.com).

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**NOMINATIONS OPEN:** Tuesday April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019 at 0800  
**NOMINATIONS CLOSE:** Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 0900

**CAMPAIGN PERIOD:** Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 0901 until  
Tuesday May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 2359

**ADVANCE POLL:** Friday May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019, Monday May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019 & Tuesday May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019, 0830-1600 at the New Westminster Unifor Hall, 326 – 12<sup>th</sup> Street.

**REGULAR POLL – ALL DEPOTS**

Wednesday May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 1200 to Thursday May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 1700

**COUNTING OF BALLOTS** will take place at the New Westminster Union Hall after close of poll.

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**Run-Off Elections**, if required will take place at the New Westminster Union Hall, with the Advance Poll on Tuesday June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 0830-1600 and the Regular Poll on Wednesday June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 1200 until Thursday June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 1700.

If required, a **2<sup>nd</sup> Run-Off** will take place at the New Westminster Union Hall, with the Advance Poll on Tuesday June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 0830-1600 and the Regular Poll on Wednesday June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 1200 until Thursday June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 1700.

In Solidarity,

Paul Takhar  
Unifor Local 111 Elections Committee  
[Elections@Unifor111.com](mailto:Elections@Unifor111.com)





# Attention Local 111 Members

NOMINATIONS are open for the following positions from Tuesday April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019 at 0800 and will close Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 0900.

**GLOBAL:** (everybody votes)

**AMENDED**

- **President** (1)
- **1<sup>st</sup> Vice President** (1)
- **2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President** (1)
- **Financial Secretary** (1)
- **Recording Secretary** (1)
- **Community Shuttle Representative** (1)
- **Sergeant-At-Arms** (1)
- **Trustees** (3)
- **Bargaining Committee** (4 plus 2 Alts)
- **Unifor Canada Council Equity Delegate** (2 plus 1 Alt)
- **Unifor BC Regional Council Equity Delegate** (2 plus 1 Alt)
- **BC Federation of Labour Equity Delegate** (2 plus 1 Alt)

*1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President positions will be on separate ballots.*

**PROPERTY:** (you must belong to that specific Depot to vote)

- **Property Representative** (1 per Property)
- **Chief Job Steward** (1 per Property)
- **Spareboard Representative - Conventional**  
(VTC – 2 plus 1 Alt ~ All other Properties – 1 plus 1 Alt)
- **Conventional Sign-up Representatives**  
(BTC, HTC, RTC, STC – 2 plus 4 Alts) (PCTC – 1 plus 3 Alts) (VTC – 2 plus 6 Alts)
- **CTS Sign-up Representatives**  
(HTC, PCTC, STC – 1 plus 1 Alt)
- **Conventional Sheet/Service Representatives**  
(BTC – 3 plus 4 Alts) (HTC, PCTC, RTC, STC – 2 plus 4 Alts) (VTC – 4 plus 6 Alts)
- **CTS Sheet/Service Representatives**  
(HTC, PCTC, STC – 1 plus 1 Alt)
- **Conventional Safety Representatives**  
(BTC – 4 plus 4 Alts) (HTC, PCTC, RTC, STC – 3 plus 4 Alts) (VTC – 5 plus 6 Alts)
- **CTS Safety Representatives**  
HTC, PCTC, STC – 1 plus 1 Alt
- **Unifor Canada Council Delegate** (1 plus 1 Alt per Property)
- **Unifor BC Regional Council Delegate** (1 plus 1 Alt per Property)
- **BC Federation of Labour Delegate** (1 plus 1 Alt per Property)
- **Job Stewards** all Acclaimed, all Properties

**\*\* PLEASE SEND IN NOMINATION ACCEPTANCE FORM \*\***

According to the Unifor Elections Guide, all members are automatically nominated. However, to stand for election, you must fill out and sign an Acceptance of Nomination form. These will be available at your Depot Union office and on the Unifor Local 111 website, [www.Unifor111.ca](http://www.Unifor111.ca)

Any nomination form submitted without a candidate's legal signature WILL NOT be considered and will be discarded. All Nomination forms must be received by closing time and date to Unifor Local 111, 326 12<sup>th</sup> Street, New Westminster.

**There are 3 ways to send your Acceptance of Nomination form:**

- 1. Fax to the Union office at 604.519.1113**
- 2. Hand-deliver to Unifor Local 111  
2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 326 – 12<sup>th</sup> Street, New Westminster**
- 3. Scan and email to [officeadmin@unifor111.com](mailto:officeadmin@unifor111.com)**

Please call to confirm the Office Staff have received your nomination form.

**\*All nominations sent in MUST be confirmed by phoning  
604.519.1110**

In Solidarity,

Unifor Local 111  
Elections Committee

# Attention Local 111 Members

## Elected Position Combinations

With the General and Property Elections being combined there have been some questions regarding which positions can be run for at the same time. Please refer to the following list when making your selection(s).

- **President** – None
- **1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President** – Delegates and Bargaining Committee
- **Financial Secretary** – Delegates and Bargaining Committee
- **Recording Secretary** – Delegates, Bargaining and Property Committees
- **Community Shuttle Rep** – Delegates, Bargaining and Property Committees
- **Trustees** – Delegates, Bargaining Committee, Property Committees, and Chief Job Steward with the exception of VTC as this position is on the E-Board
- **Sergeant at Arms** – Delegates, Bargaining Committee, Property Rep, Chief Job Steward, and Property Committees.
- **Bargaining Committee** – All but President
- **Equity Unifor and BC Fed Delegates** – All, with the exception of President
- **Regular Unifor and BC Fed Delegates** – All, with the exception of President.
- **Property Representatives** – Sergeant at Arms, Bargaining Committee, Delegates, and Property Committees
- **Chief Job Stewards** - Sergeant at Arms, Bargaining Committee, Delegates, and Property Committees
- **Property Committee Reps** (*Spareboard, Sign Up, Sheet/Service Review and Safety*) - Trustee, Sergeant at Arms, Bargaining Committee, Delegates, Property Reps, and Chief Job Steward.

Any questions please forward an email to [Elections@Unifor111.com](mailto:Elections@Unifor111.com).

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Unifor Local 111 Elections Committee



# Attention Local 111 CTS Casual Members

## **DECLARING A PROPERTY (UNION ELECTION PURPOSES ONLY)**

In the past, for the elections, we have asked CTS Casual Members to vote at the last property you worked from. After many discussions and suggestions, we have come up with what we hope is a process that will make it easier for you.

As most of you work out a specific depot we are going to give you the opportunity to:

### **DECLARE A PROPERTY**

For example; if you work mostly out of STC then chances are you know more people out of that particular Property. And since the CTS Sheet/Service Review Rep, or Safety Rep you would most likely deal with is in that Depot, you should be given a chance to vote for them. As well as the Property Representative you may go see the most would be from that Property.

For the upcoming General Election, we are asking that you send in your Declaration to the Election Committee @ [Elections@Unifor111.com](mailto:Elections@Unifor111.com) no later than **0900 May 7, 2019.** (Please no phone calls to the Union Office)

### **We need from all CTS Casual Members:**

Name  
Employee number  
Property you are declaring  
Contact number if we need to get in touch

If you choose not to declare you will automatically default to the HTC Property. This is because that is the depot you technically work out of and that is where the Supervisor you generally deal with is located. The other option of course, like every other Member, is at the Union Office in New Westminster at the Advance Polls.

Again, we remind you that this is for **UNION ELECTION PURPOSES ONLY.**

Any questions please forward an email to [Elections@Unifor111.com](mailto:Elections@Unifor111.com).

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# Attention Local 111 Members

## Polling Clerks Required for May 2019 Elections

We need your help! If you are interested in being a Polling Clerk or have been one in the past, please forward the following information to the e-mail address below.

- Name
- Seniority number
- Contact information (ie: phone number, e-mail address etc.)
- Have you ever been a Polling Clerk in the past?
- Preferences to certain shifts (ie: morning, evening, owl, counting...)

The Election will be running for approximately 29 hours straight and through one night in every Depot so some of the shifts will be very late or very early. There will be 2 people scheduled on all shifts for safety and accountability concerns. We will try to accommodate as many Members as possible with a shift preference but please understand we cannot guarantee this. You will not be scheduled for any shift without your consent.

There will be many polling shifts as well as counting shifts available and the ability to work on different Properties. All counting will be done at the Unifor Union Hall in New Westminster.

Please forward any questions or concerns to the following e-mail address:

**[Elections@Unifor111.com](mailto:Elections@Unifor111.com)**

We thank you in advance for your help and look forward to your e-mails.

In Solidarity,

Unifor Local 111  
Elections Committee



# UNIFOR LOCAL 111 ELECTIONS

## **\*\*Unifor Elections Rule\*\***

*All members are automatically nominated for any vacant position(s). However, to stand for election, you must fill out an Acceptance of Nomination Form.*

Any nomination form submitted without a candidate's signature  
**WILL NOT** be considered  
and will be discarded!

## ACCEPTANCE OF NOMINATION FORM

- There shall be no distribution of election material on the days of the elections.
- All existing election materials must be removed by 1800 the day before the elections.
- No candidate for office or any other person soliciting support for any candidate may remain in or near the area of the polling booth on an election day.
- Candidates may appoint a person to be present at the vote count, at no expense to the Union
- All candidates are expected to run a positive campaign.
- **ONE FORM FOR EACH POSITION**

I, <small>print name clearly</small>	
accept the nomination for the position of: <small>print position</small>	
Phone #:	Seniority #:
Depot:	Signature below:
Email:	
Date:	

CTS \_\_\_\_\_ CONVENTIONAL \_\_\_\_\_

Fax form to the Elections Committee: 604.519.1113

*(Faxes may be sent by your property union office fax machine.)*

E-mail: officeadmin@unifor111.com

*(E-mails must have this form scanned with your signature present.)*

Or Deliver to: Unifor Union Hall, 326 – 12<sup>th</sup> Street, New Westminster  
Tel: 604.519.1110

**\*\* Acceptance of Nominations sent must be confirmed by phoning 604.519.1110. Only confirmed Acceptance of Nominations forms will be included on the ballot \*\***

