

Mike Jessop



For KPR ETFO Regional
Rep—North 2021/22

I have been involved with our union local since my first year contract with the board in 2001 when I offered to help out the current steward and was handed the role in its entirety! On our current executive there is a culture of openness and healthy debate and I hope to support the continuation of this. The executive has continued this year to support members with improved options for access to information about our local through it's social media presence. We have also continued to support the broader labour movement in our area as well as a variety of equity seeking organizations. Our local can only be at it's best when multiple view points are brought to the table and true consensus is achieved. I believe that through my teaching experience in the board and through my union experience, that I will be able to continue this. I am hoping for your support in allowing me to continue to represent the north region and members at large here in KPRETFO.

Union Experience

Currently:

- * Regional Rep—North on our local executive
- * Member of Health and Safety Committee and Task Force
- * Chair of Member Engagement/Social Committee

Past:

- * Participant in provincial Collective Bargaining training the last 3 years
- * Member of the Collective Bargaining Committee 2014-2016, 2018-2020
- * Steward for 14 of the last 20 years and member of the local executive for 11 years
- * Delegate at 5 provincial AGMs
- * Health and Safety Officer for the local on the Joint Health and Safety Committee with the board for 4 years
- * Member of Professional Learning committee
- * Graduate of ETFO Union School