

Convention Program

All events are held at the Delta Hotel Regina on the convention level (second floor) unless otherwise indicated. The Convention is held on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Cree, Saulteaux and Assiniboine, and the homelands of the Métis. Delegates will deal with resolutions throughout the day's proceedings. Convention Office: Campania A Room.

Tuesday, March 5, 2019

- 7 – 9 p.m. Advance Registration
- 8 p.m. New Delegate Orientation Session (Campania B Room)
- 8 p.m. Delegate Social hosted by the Municipal Employees' Steering Committee
Eagles Club (1600 Halifax St)

Wednesday, March 6, 2019 – DAY ONE

8 a.m. Registration

9 a.m. Call to Order and Convention Opening

Equality Statement
Solidarity Forever

Convention Welcome: His Worship Michael Fougere, Mayor of Regina

Traditional Greetings: Elder Betty McKenna

Moment of silence for workers killed or injured

Adoption of Rules of Order
Adoption of Agenda
Adoption of Minutes from Annual Convention 2018
Adoption of Convention Committees

Greetings:

- Shobna Radons, President, Regina and District Labour Council
- Gord Delbridge, CUPE Regional Vice-President, Manitoba
- Lori Johb, President, Saskatchewan Federation of Labour

President's Report

- Tom Graham, President, CUPE Saskatchewan

Introduction of the CUPE Saskatchewan Executive Board

Credentials Committee Report (First Report)

Panel Discussion: Bringing Our Public Services Back – In House!

The Historical and Political Record of Privatization

- Simon Enoch, Director, CCPA Saskatchewan

Using your Union Contract to Resist Privatization

- Tony Head, CUPE National Representative
- Michael Huxley, Vice-President, CUPE Local 160

Privatization, the P3 Bonanza and Political Action

- Cathy Sproule, MLA, Saskatoon Nutana

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Noon Lunch (meal provided)

Election Caucuses During Lunch

Election of Executive Board Members and Alternates in their respective caucuses

- Diversity (Campania B Room)
- University Sector (Convention floor, front left)
- CBO Sector - Alternate only (Convention floor, back centre)
- Library Sector (Convention floor, front right)

1 p.m. Convention business resumes

Deadline: Registration for Candidates' Forum

Registration for the forum available at the Convention Office (Campania A Room)

Year in Review Video Presentations

- Committee Against Racism and Discrimination
- Tria Donaldson, CUPE National Communications Representative

National President's Report

- Mark Hancock, CUPE National President

Panel Discussion: Debunking the Myths of a Representative Workforce

- Don Moran, CUPE National Representative
- Cheryl Stadnichuk, CUPE National Research Representative

Global Justice with Workers in the Philippines

- Shannon O'Toole, Global Justice Committee

Report from the ad hoc Committee on Saskatchewan NDP Affiliation Consultation

Candidates' Forum

5 p.m. Adjournment

Election Caucuses Upon Adjournment

Election of Executive Board Members and Alternates in their respective caucuses

- Boards & Agencies Sector - Alternate only (Convention floor, back right corner)
- Municipal Sector (Campania B Room)
- Health Care Sector (Convention floor)
- Local 600 (Convention floor, back left corner)

Thursday, March 7, 2019 – DAY TWO

8 a.m. Breakfast with the National Officers (Convention Hall) (meal provided)
National Task Force on Governance

8:30 a.m. Registration

9 a.m. Reconvene

Regional Director's Report

- Debra Grimaldi, Regional Director

Secretary-Treasurer's Report

- Judy Henley, Secretary-Treasurer, CUPE Saskatchewan

CUPE Celebrates Black History Month

- Yolanda McClean, CUPE National Diversity Vice-President

Precarious Work and the Fight for Good Jobs

- Angella MacEwen, CUPE National Senior Economist

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Noon	Lunch (meal provided)
	Women's Forum (Tuscany Room) Workplace Protections and Intimate Partner Violence <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Crystal Giesbrecht, Provincial Association of Transition Houses and Services of Saskatchewan (PATHS)
1 p.m.	Convention business resumes
	Guest speaker: Ryan Meili, Leader of the Official Opposition, Saskatchewan NDP 100 th Year Anniversary of the Winnipeg General Strike <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Paul Moist, CUPE National President Emeritus National Secretary-Treasurer's Report <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Charles Fleury, CUPE National Secretary-Treasurer Credentials Committee Report (Second Report)
3:15 p.m.	Elections <i>The following are at-large elections:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vice-President• Recording Secretary• Trustee• Nominee(s) for the office of Regional Vice-President & General Vice-President on the CUPE National Executive Board Paws off our Pensions. Solidarity with CUPE Local 1975.
4:30 p.m.	Adjournment
	Election Caucuses Upon Adjournment <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Young Workers - Alternate only (Campania B Room)
Evening	Convention Banquet & Dance (Trentino Room)
6:30 p.m.	Cocktails
7 p.m.	Dinner Award presentations and dance to follow. <i>Entertainment by Cornerstone Dance Band.</i>

Friday, March 8, 2019 – DAY THREE

8 a.m.	Breakfast (meal provided)
9 a.m.	Reconvene
	CUPE Celebrates International Women's Day CUPE Organizing in Saskatchewan <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Guy Marsden, CUPE National Representative Credentials Committee Report (Third Report) Elections Announcement of Executive Board positions elected by caucus Standing Committee By-Elections Installation of elected members Closing Remarks
Noon	Adjournment (time of adjournment subject to change)