

BULLETIN

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DATE: Friday, July 22, 2016

Region 9 annual meeting set for September 22 in Kelowna

REGIONAL MEETING – Thursday, September 22

Regional meetings are an excellent forum for HSA members to review the issues and activities of the past year, and discuss the opportunities and challenges that lie ahead. This meeting will be co-chaired by Region 8 Director Kevin Towhey and Region 9 Director Janice Morrison. The agenda will include reports on the union's activities, and delegates to the meeting will have an opportunity to report on and discuss issues affecting HSA members in their region.

All HSA members are encouraged to attend this regional meeting. However, only those members who have delegate status will be eligible for reimbursement of expenses. If you are interested in attending, please contact your Chief Steward. All registration applications must be approved by the Chief Steward.

This year, members in Region 9 will elect Members-at-Large who will begin their two-year term at the conclusion of the union's 2017 Annual Convention. Members-at-Large meet two or three times a year to serve on the union's committees and help set the direction and priorities for HSA. They are also delegates to HSA's annual convention.

Regional Meeting Workshop – Friday, September 23

In conjunction with the meeting, HSA will hold a one-day workshop for members working in all sectors:

Truth and Reconciliation: Exploring Historical Relationships between Indigenous and Non-Indigenous Peoples and Deconstructing Myths

Registration for the regional meeting and educational workshop is available online at <u>http://events.hsabc.org/</u>. The meeting and the education workshop will be held at the Coast Capri in Kelowna.

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