

OHS AUPE Standing Committee

The OHS committee met on January 8 and February 12, 2018 at AUPE headquarters. The committee has five new members joining as well as a new vice-president, James Hart.

The committee worked very diligently both days. With planning of the Day of Mourning ceremony as well as the Relyn Sumlak award. This will be held at AUPE HQ's on April 27, 2018.

The OHS liaison's role has also been more defined and they will be more involved with the committee. They will be receiving more correspondence and valuable information will be filtered down to them.

An opioid/fentanyl bullet is being worked on as this has been requested by the membership. The lack of information not being provided by the employers has prompted us to get this done sooner than we had anticipated.

Bill 30 has created a big stir. AUPE has done an OHS system review that was submitted in October 2017. This submission will aid in the changes of legislation.