

CUPE NB Pension and Insured Benefits Committee's Workplan September 29th, 2025

Bonnie Fournier – Chair for the CUPE NB Pension Committee – Local 1429
Crissy Pascon - Absent - Recording Secretary for CUPE NB Pension Committee – Local 2464
Marilyn MacCormack – National Advisory Pension Committee Member
Will Thibodeau – Provincial President CUPE 1253
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Chair: Bonnie

- Read the resolution in English
- Question on Health - Benefits – is the drug plan included? - YES!

Work Plan

Short-term goals (2)

- Part-time workers mandatory participation in plans
- Lobby government to put special payments back in the pension plans due to Employer not fulfilling their obligations under the plan (Bus drivers and school support staff). Government must implement pension reforms for nursing home workers.

Medium-term goals (2)

- Assess and review short-term goals

Long-term goals (2)

- Lobby to abolish the NB Shared Risk Pension Plans
- Move to a Defined Benefit Pension Plan or Target Benefit Pension Plan

Collaborate with Political Action Committee on lobbying efforts.

PAC and Pensions breakout session

Political Action Committee meeting

Short-term goals

- Meet with Lori MacKay for lobbying plan - Political Action

Mid-term goals

- Approach CUPE NB Research for help on lobbying topic
- Topics: Pensions, Education, Nursing Home Workers – Hours of Care

Long-term goals

- to have a lobbying day with MLAs at the Legislature
- Rally at Legislature
- Fact Sheets: Information for members to lobby MLAs
- Information Tabling - Lobbying Kits to present to the MLAs