

Toronto and York Region Labour Council – CUPE 3903 Delegate Report

October 1, 2015

Delegate present: Brian Mossop

Report: BM

- Around 150 delegates attended the October 1 meeting of the Labour Council.
- There was a report from locked-out Unifor members at the Woodbine Racetrack Slots on their plans to stop people entering in order to draw attention to their opposition to the Wynne government's privatization attempts. Info: <http://www.unifor.org/en/whats-new/press-room/hundreds-locked-out-olg-workers-across-province-shut-down-woodbine-racetrack>
- There was a panel of three young workers speaking about their efforts within their unions to engage young workers in the federal election.
- The delegate from CUPE 3902 spoke about the threats against women and feminists at UofT. Info: <http://cupe3902.org> and <http://cupe3902.org/2015/09/cupe-3902-statement-on-on-campus-threats-and-unsafe-work-2/>
- Council approved a variety of resolutions to take to the OFL Convention (Nov. 23-7), including resolutions on equity and living wage.
- Council approved an Executive Board statement "Conservatives Betray Canadian Jobs", opposing the TPP and CETA trade deals.