

## Ed Lafleur for Trustee

"My name is Ed Lafleur, I live in Courtenay on Vancouver Island. I am running for Re-Election as Local Union Trustee and I would appreciate your vote.

I am approaching the end of this 3 year term as one of your Trustees, which I have enjoyed and I feel that I have represented your interests properly. I have approached each Audit with a responsibility to all the members, and taken care to ensure that all funds spent by the Local Union have been spent well and in the best interests of the members and the Local itself. I have taken part in Executive Board Meetings with Your interests first in my mind.

I have been a member of Local 114 since the former CAW Local 4234 merged into it; and before that a member of CBRT&GW Local 234 since 1988. During that time, I have been a steward in the Comox Depot of Watson & Ash Transportation for over 28 years. I served on the Executive Board of Local 4234 as the Vice-President for a number of years, and was the Local 4234 Vice-President and a member of the Merger Committee when the merger into Local 114 was negotiated and agreed to. I have been re-elected as one of the two Negotiating Committee members at Watson & Ash for at least seven sets of negotiations, including the current 2019 negotiations.

I have also been active in my community, Courtenay, as a volunteer coach and sports official since 1977. I have been the volunteer Weightlifting coach at Lake Trail Middle School since 1991, and had previously coached minor hockey, football and baseball. I became a Level 4 hockey referee, and a National Level baseball umpire, umpiring at the 2004 National PeeWee Championships. I am presently a National Level Weightlifting Technical Official.

I am proud of my community service, proud of my Local Union, and proud and humbled to have been given so many opportunities to serve my brothers and sisters.

"Thank You for considering voting for me for Your Local Union Trustee."

"Ed Lafleur placing Local 114's flowers at Ginger Goodwin's grave on Miners' Memorial Day 2019, Cumberland, BC"

