RESOLUTIONS TO CUPE NATIONAL CONVENTION

What is the process for submitting resolutions?

- Resolutions and proposed constitutional amendments must be received by AUGUST 24th, 2021 at the latest.
- Each resolution must be signed by the president of the local.
- Resolutions submitted by email or online will be accepted as long as the deadline dates for national and local resolutions are met.
- Please submit resolutions only once. It is not necessary to submit a pre-convention letter, as all delegates at the convention will have already been emailed with the required requirements.
- If your local has two or more resolutions, please submit them in one email.
- The Resolutions Committee reserves the right to accept or reject resolutions based on content and format.

What are some other ways to make resolutions clear?

- Cover only one main issue per resolution.
- Be specific in what you want to see happen: who you want to do it, when you want it done, who you want to do it.
- Use words that your readers will easily understand.
- Be typed whenever possible.

Why is CUPE inviting resolutions in clear language format?

- The National Executive Board is encouraging organizations to submit resolutions in clear language format.
- The CUPE National Literacy Taskforce also recommends clear language resolutions.
- Traditional resolution formats are wordy, whereas clear language is relevant, understandable, and uses shorter words.

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