

CUPE Climate Change Conversations Hosting Guide

Why have climate change conversations?

- To talk openly about the issue from a union perspective.
- To connect with and encourage members to become involved in climate change issues.
- To provide information and resources for action.

Who can host?

- Any CUPE member, activist, leader, staff or committee member can host this easy-to-deliver workshop.

How?

- Just walk through the slides in the PowerPoint presentation. Read the notes that go with each slide.

Who should participate?

- CUPE members, other non-CUPE staff where you work, community members and allies who want to learn more about climate change. It can be presented to any sized group: 3 people to 300 or more.

Where and when?

- The workshop can be presented as a lunch and learn at a workplace, before or after regular CUPE Local membership meetings, during a conference or convention as a side event, at a community event, and any other place you think it might fit.
- You will need about 45-60 minutes to run the workshop.
- If you've got more time than this, use it to openly talk about climate change.

What will I need?

- Just what's here on this webpage: The PowerPoint presentation.
- A laptop if it's a small group that can watch a laptop. Or a laptop, project and screen if it's a larger group.
- A comfortable space to talk about climate change from a union point of view.