



Federation of  
**Post-Secondary Educators**  
of BC

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September 24, 2019

Mayor and Council  
c/o The Clerk's Department  
Burnaby City Hall  
4949 Canada Way  
Burnaby, BC V5G 1M2

via email

RE: Request to Appear as a Delegation regarding Fair Employment Week

Dear Mayor and Council of Burnaby,

The Federation of Post-Secondary Educators of BC (FPSE) has 10,000 members working in every corner of the province to provide the education people, and our communities, need, including Burnaby BC. With 80% of future jobs expected to require some level of post-secondary education, our network of colleges, institutes, and universities will only become more important. However, thousands of the educators providing this education are precarious and underpaid.

Fair Employment Week is an international campaign to bring attention to the issue of underpaid contract work on campuses and call for change.

On behalf of our 10,000 members, I ask that the City of Burnaby Council grant our request to appear as a delegation before Council.

Together, we can improve working conditions for educators and make our communities a better place to live and work.

Sincerely,

Terri Van Steinburg

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