

## Application Form for Organizing for Better Schools, Stronger Communities Work Group

The Annual Meeting of the Provincial Assembly in March of 2023 approved Phase 2 of the Strategic Action Plan entitled 'Organizing for Better Schools, Stronger Communities' which included creating an Ad-Hoc Advisory Work Group.

The Organizing for Better Schools, Stronger Communities Work Group shall advise the OSSTF/FEESO Provincial Executive on any matters related to OSSTF/FEESO's role in community organizing and assisting the Community Organizer in developing materials, resources and trainings for the Organizing Institute. The work group will also provide trainings to

**Bargaining Unit:** 

District:

A. Please define community organizing and how this can assist OSSTF/FEESO's fight for public education?

| B. | Please list examples below of experience and demonstrated knowledge that would benefit the Ad-Hoc Work Group                                  |
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| C. | Experience Describe your experience of working with a team and other collaborative spaces.  |
| D. | Please list any coalitions/committees/community organizations/labour councils you've had involvement in (previous and/or current experience). |
| E. | Do you currently or have previously held a role within your District/Bargaining Unit? If so, please list them and for what length of time.    |
| F. | Have you ever provided or developed a training for union and/or community members? If so, please list them and for what purpose.              |

The Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation (OSSTF/FEESO) is dedicated to equity, anti-racism and anti-oppression while protecting and enhancing public education. We are committed to cultivating an inclusive workforce that reflects the diversity of our members and our communities. We actively seek and welcome applications from members of First Nations, Metis, Inuit or equity-seeking groups. In accordance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA), OSSTF/FEESO strives to ensure that all recruiting processes are non-discriminatory and barrier-free.

OSSTF/FEESO values the participation of members with various lived experiences. Self-identification of membership in FNMI or equity-seeking is voluntary. If you choose to self-identify, please complete the voluntary self-identification questions with the attachment.

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| Please provide a reference from a community representative or local president.                   |
| Name:  |
| Organization/Local:  |
| Role/Title:  |
| Please complete this form and send it to Munib Sajjad prior to 4:00 pm on Friday, December 2023. |