



SBCBA Provincial Bargaining Priorities Survey (Districts 1-33)

To: Presidents and All Members

From: Harvey Bischof, President

For Action

In preparation for the upcoming round of bargaining, the Provincial Bargaining Priorities Survey will be conducted in the near future. This is your opportunity to provide input into the bargaining process and have your say about what issues are important to you. We strongly encourage you to participate. There will be a survey for Teacher members, a survey for Occasional Teacher members, and a survey for Support Staff members.

This year the survey will be conducted electronically. We have engaged Strategic Communications Inc. (Stratcom) to assist in the distribution of the survey and collection of data. Each member will be sent an email from Stratcom containing a unique link to the appropriate survey and allowing access to complete it one time. Note that members who hold multiple positions will have access to all of the applicable surveys. For example, a member who works as a casual Educational Assistant and also as an Occasional Teacher will receive links to both the Occasional Teacher and the Support Staff survey.

In order to receive the link for the survey, all members must provide a personal (non-school board) email address to us.

Note that each member will need to provide a unique personal email address. For example, email addresses, which are shared by family members cannot be used by multiple members for this purpose.

In addition to a unique personal email address, members will also be asked to provide a contact phone number. Phone numbers may be used to assist in gathering additional information to supplement the survey. While members will be required to provide an email address in order to participate, providing a phone number is optional.

Instructions on Registering to Receive the Bargaining Survey

Members can go directly to the [Voting Centre](#) after logging into the Provincial Website to register to participate in the bargaining survey.



In order to complete the registration process, members need to do the following:

- Go to <http://www.osstf.on.ca>
- Select the [Member Login](#) button on the right side of the Provincial Website homepage
- Login using your 5 or 6 digit OSSTF/FEESO membership number (or create your account, then login)
- Select the [“Voting Centre”](#) button on the right side of the Registered User homepage.
- Note that if you do not see the Voting Centre button, try using a different web browser as your browser settings or add-ons may prevent access to it

If you have not previously done so, then you will first need to create an account, and then log in to provide the required information. In order to create an account and log in, you will need your 5 or 6 digit OSSTF/FEESO membership number.

If you do not know your membership number, then please call the Database department at OSSTF/FEESO provincial office (1-800-267-7867).

While you may have provided this information previously for other purposes, it is being collected now specifically for the purpose of completing this survey, and so you will need to complete this registration process in order to participate in the survey.

The registration process is now active and will be available for two weeks, until Friday, February 1, 2019.

Please contact Tony Stokes at tony.stokes@osstf.ca if you require further information in regard to this DBU.

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