

Your Credit Union
Board of Directors
Candidate Profiles

Directors from Cardinal/Williamsburg Region

Larry Empey, Retired - Larry has been a member of a Credit Union for over 40 years. In addition to serving on various Boards in his community, he has also served on the Council for Cardinal/Williamsburg for the past two years, and desires to continue serving his fellow members.

Larry believes that the greatest personal attribute the Board requires is a person with the ability to work well with others to achieve a common goal. His experience in delivering this attribute is seen by others as positive. Specifically, Larry believes that he will be able to contribute his past experience in a constructive and enthusiastic way.

Christopher W. Kempffer, Nav Canada – Chris has been a member of a Credit Union for 39 years. He has served in several executive capacities throughout his career; he served as a Councilor at Cardinal/Williamsburg, and has been a Director of Your Credit Union since 2005.

Chris believes that the greatest personal attribute that the Board requires is a broad range of experience related to members of Your Credit Union. His experience in delivering this attribute is seen as providing a varied perspective to issues affecting Your Credit Union. Specifically, Chris believes that he will be able to contribute his varied career experience having worked with Government, private industry and non-profit agencies, as well as Your Credit Union.

Directors at Large

Bruce Corbett , Retired - Bruce Corbett has been a member of a Credit Union for over 26 years. Bruce has served in several executive capacities throughout his career, has been a Director of Your Credit Union since 1983 and served three times as chair, as well as the following;

- Executive Director or Chair of Credit Union Directors of Ontario (1989-2007)
- Director of Credit Union Central (1992-2003, 2004-2008)
- Director, Co-operative Trust/Concentra Financial (1999-2008)
- Director, Ontario Credit Union Charitable Foundation (2007-Present)

Bruce believes that the greatest personal attribute the Board requires is a person of varying experiences and perspectives. His experience in delivering this attribute is seen as providing unique perspectives that have lead to a course of action or helped stimulate other views. Specifically, Bruce believes that he will be able to contribute his experiences and perspectives by supporting future visions that bring about greater services and products to his fellow, and future, members.

Ric Dagenais, Analyst with CUPE - Ric has been a member of a Credit Union for over 10 years and served on committee's within his community. He has served as an Ottawa Municipal Credit Union board member, Union Leader for CUPE for 15 years, Corporate Secretary and Treasurer of the Ottawa Carleton Credit Union for 10 years, as well as the following:

- Chair of Ontario Municipal Employees Co-ordinating Committee – 5 years
- Board member on CUPE – 3 years
- Served on Audit Committee, Ottawa Carleton Credit Union

He has taken several courses while Treasurer and Business Secretary with Ottawa Carleton Credit Union. Ric presents his attributes as being committed and compassionate and is busy with environmental, health and other community groups.

Rob Vye, OC Transpo Employee - Rob has been a member of a Credit Union for over 34 years. Rob has served on various committees, been heavily involved in all the mergers at Your Credit Union to date, and presently serves on the Governance Committee for Your Credit Union. He has been a director of Municipal and Your Credit Union for 15 years, served as the Chair of the Municipal Credit Union for 6 years, as well as the following:

- Vice-Chair of Your Credit Union for 3 years
- Chair of Your Credit Union for 4 years
- Completed the CUDA program

Rob believes the greatest attribute that the board requires is a positive attitude, good listening skills and team players empowering all concerned. Rob's experience in delivering these attributes is seen by other board members as positive. Specifically, he believes that the attributes, as well as his experience with the changes that have taken place over the past few years, will be of benefit to future decisions.