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UNION OF SAFETY AND JUSTICE EMPLOYEES



Happy Holidays! Office closure

USJE's office will be closed from December 25 – January 1, inclusive. The office reopens on January 2.



USJE Scholarship applications now open!

If you are a USJE member in post-secondary studies (trade school, college, or university), or hoping to begin post-secondary studies in the coming year, or have a spouse, partner, child or dependent in post-secondary studies, or hoping to begin post-secondary studies in the coming year, USJE offers a total of seven scholarships.

Learn more - usje-sesj.com



USJE President Neufeld appears at House of Commons committee in Ottawa regarding definition of work

On December 9, USJE National President David Neufeld testified before the House of Commons Standing Committee on Human Resources, Skills and Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities (HUMA) in Ottawa regarding the definition of "work" and the use of section 107 in the Canada Labour Code.

Read more - usje-sesj.com



Union Safety Net S2 : EP12 – WFA Part Deux

For this episode, we are delighted to welcome back Erin Sirett and Darren Pacione, Senior Research Officers at the Public Service Alliance of Canada and the leads on Workforce Adjustment.

Listen now - unionsafetynet.ca



2026 CIPSRT Conference

Join the Canadian Institute for Public Safety Research and Treatment (CIPSRT) for two days of keynotes, interactive sessions, and expert-led discussions tailored for current and former first responders and other public safety personnel (PSP), their leaders, and their families.

This year's program will equip attendees with practical tools, strategies, and the latest research to strengthen mental health and ensure long-term wellness in public safety.

Register - <https://event.fourwaves.com/2026cipsrtconference/pages>



National President Town Hall – watch now

President Neufeld provided members with a comprehensive update on the union's ongoing campaigns, with a focus on actions being taken to counter the incoming budget cuts to many of our departments.

Watch now - usje-sesj.com



Op-ed: Most Albertans want to keep the RCMP

No doubt, with all of the political noise around policing in our province, it's hard to tell what Albertans actually believe. According to the National Police Federation, 78 per cent of Albertans see no reason to change policing models. Ultimately, Albertans care about strong public safety outcomes, efficiently delivered, and most municipalities seem very keen to build on what is already working well with the RCMP.

Read more - AlbertansForRCMP.ca



Serving Together campaign update

Our Serving Together campaign features four new stories: from Jenna and Kate in Alberta, to Julie in Ontario, and Amber in Prince Edward Island! Learn about their important roles and the difference they make at the RCMP at servingtogether.ca.

If you work for the RCMP and would like to be part of this nation-wide campaign, please email us to schedule an interview.



PSAC demands real investments for inclusion and accessibility for workers with disabilities

PSAC is calling on the federal government to increase funding for workplace accessibility and accommodation, so workers with disabilities have the tools and supports they need to access barrier-free environments where they can fully participate and lead.

Read more - psacunion.ca

UPCOMING EVENTS	2026 CIPSRT Conference May 5-6, 2026	USJE National Triennial Convention Quebec City - July 13-17, 2026
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