ERC Members' Job Description

Source: OPSEU course, Advancing Union Issues through Labour Management Committees

- 1. Maintain as effective relations between employer and union members as possible.
- 2. Identify workplace issues requiring union/management cooperation.
- 3. Explore options and agree on the best ways to settle workplace problems.
- 4. Communicate to and represent the membership on issues affecting them at the ERC.
- 5. Communicate with the Local Executive Committee of the Union.

Being effective as union-side ERC members Individually:

- 1. Know your collective agreement, employer policy and union policy.
- 2. Talk to your members and other stewards to stay current on important workplace issues.
- 3. Participate in union caucus meetings by bringing your members' concerns forward and participating in developing strategy.

Union Co-Chair:

- 1. Convene and facilitate regular union-side caucus meetings to identify issues and develop strategy.
- Co-produce the ERC agenda and minutes and distribute them to all members.
- 3. Ensure ongoing communication with the Local Executive Committee.

