I am interested in serving on the Bargaining Team because I want to help ensure CPPW gets the best contract possible. I have been with the City for over 19 years and my first job was a union job and I loved being involved with that union, AFSCME. The role I currently have works closely with HR, and for more than a decade I have worked in roles that required me to know several union contracts very well, so I believe I have an above average grasp of the City's CBAs. I am currently quite familiar with DCTU, PROTEC and PFFA contracts. I believe I have the personality type that would bring good negotiating skills to the table because I am friendly and enjoy engaging in healthy debate. I have worked and plan to work my entire career at the City of Portland and I am invested in ensuring that CPPW members get the best contract at the City.

Thank you for your consideration.