North Coast Labour Council

(Formerly known as Prince Rupert Labour Council)

**Candidate Profile for Mayor or Councillor**

*Please complete this entire questionnaire and email to* info@princerupertlabourcouncil.ca by June 10, 2022

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| **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Street Number) (City/Town) (Postal Code)**Email:**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Union Affiliation (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

**Please complete the following questions using a separate sheet if necessary.**

1. *Have you ever been a candidate in a previous civic, provincial or federal election? If so, please give details.*

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1. *Have you ever volunteered in an election campaign? If so, please give details.*

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1. **For Union Members Only:** *Does your union (provide union/local name) offer endorsement to members running for public office? If so, have you applied for/received endorsement from your union?*

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1. *Are you or have you ever been active in any community organization(s)? Do you currently hold a position in any organization(s)? Describe your volunteer work and/or position(s).*

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1. *Describe a local action/campaign you’ve been involved in that has resulted in some tangible change in your community.*

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1. *What are the critical issues facing your community?*

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1. *How would you make local government more inclusive, open and responsive?*

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1. *Describe your position on contracting out public services.*

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1. *Describe your position on Public Private Partnerships.*

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1. *Do you support the Living Wage for Families Campaign? Please explain why or why not.*

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1. *What steps would you take to ensure a Pay Equity policy is in place and that the policy is applied to all staff employed by the local government?*

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1. *How will you address housing needs and affordability in your community?*

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1. *What can local governments do to attract and create green jobs and businesses in their community?*

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1. *What steps would you take to ensure your local government hiring practices reflect the community’s population diversity? Are you aware of any existing Employment Equity policies in your community or other communities?*

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1. *How will you promote ethical purchases, including local unionized goods and services, where available?*

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1. *What steps will you take to work towards action on Truth and Reconciliation?*

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1. *Millions of jobs were lost during the pandemic. Describe how you will advocate for replacing those lost jobs with good union jobs.*

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1. *Other comments.*

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