

Congratulations to our Members

I wish to thank members for their participation in rallies that the UFU have organised in recent months. Aside from the rallies held in Brisbane we have had extensive media in most, if not all, of our regional cities and towns.

I have received calls from other Union Secretaries thanking us for our numbers, authorised speakers and importantly, the very excited Vuvuzela blowers. Our members are certainly gaining the most attention under the media spotlight.

Again, I congratulate each and every one of you for making the effort to attend these rallies, do letterbox drops and in general, gaining media attention about how these cuts to your conditions will potentially affect your life, your career and ultimately the safety of the community.

We are still in negotiations and I will send out an update shortly.

Further rallies are currently being organised so we can continue to let the government and QFRS know that we are loud, proud and very unhappy!

UNITED WE STAND!

Resignation of Junior Vice President (JVP) / WHS Coordinator Chris Robinson

I wish to advise that Chris (Robbo) Robinson has resigned from the position of JVP and the WHS portfolio. Robbo has made a significant contribution to the UFUQ and has also made a significant contribution to the UFU National Office. Robbo will be sorely missed and I will be sorry to lose his counsel on WHS issues that confront us on a daily basis.

Once again I thank Robbo for his professional contribution and dedication to our members.

John Oliver
State Secretary