

Re- Elect David Backman Abbotsford Health and safety Committee

Experience

- 19 years as a transit driver
- 4 years on the Health and Safety committee
- 3 years as a Trainer
- 2 years Sick and Visiting committee
- 15 year Safe Driving Award
- Safety Champion Award (2022)



Education

- FOIPPA (Freedom of information and Privacy Fundamentals)
- Occupational Health and Safety level 1
- Bullying and Harassment
- Joint Committee member
- Inspections and Investigations

In the 4 years I have been on the Abbotsford Health and Safety Committee I have been able to get many good things accomplished to benefit the members, this includes:

- Getting the #26 Sandy Hill rerouted to eliminate the dangerous Saddle corner
- Fought to get Red covers installed in all Vicinity buses over the SOS switches to avoid accidental activation
- Participated in the Investigation over the problems with the driver's area in the Vicinity buses. Fought to make sure drivers with issues had a voice in the investigation
- Participated in awareness campaigns to help members avoid preventable collision including a Mirror clinic in Chilliwack and a Bus stop clinic in Abbotsford
- Fighting to get flashing lights pedestrian lights at Babich & Maclure
- well as Gladwin & Gatefield/Chilcotin to be regular lights activated by the bus to improve Left turn safety on the #6 & 24