

# Judy Darcy



for OFL  
Vice-President

**Judy Darcy** has earned a reputation as one of the union movement's brightest young leaders.

When New Democrats were looking for someone to take on anti-union multimillionaire Frank Stronach in York-Simcoe, they went outside the riding for the most articulate and knowledgeable candidate they could get. They chose Judy Darcy.

Judy is First Vice-President of the Canadian Union of Public Employees' Ontario Division and a national vice-president of CUPE. She is a hardworking unionist — a CUPE member since 1972 — who has always matched words with actions. In 1975, as president of Local 1230 at the University of Toronto, she organized CUPE's first strike against wage controls.

Judy is in her fifth term as President of the Metro Toronto CUPE District Council. She is co-chair of the Committee for Cleaners' Rights, a coalition of unions and ethnic groups that is working with the OFL and the New Democrats to improve successor rights for exploited immigrant workers in Metro's opulent office towers.

As co-ordinator of CUPE's Ontario municipal political action campaign, Judy led a major drive by CUPE district councils across the province to elect pro-labour councillors and school board trustees.

Judy has been involved in issues that concern working women since she was one of the founders of York University's first co-op day care centre almost 20 years ago. Since then, she has been a leading voice in the union movement's campaign for equal pay for work of equal value.

A library worker at the Metro Toronto Reference Library, Judy is an expert on the effects of new technology on women in the workplace and has written, lectured and produced audio-visual material on technological change.

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