



Lion Robert Hunter

**Vimy & District Lions Club
Council Chair, 2018-2019**

Lion Bob was born in Hanna, Alberta then moved to Edmonton at an early age and did all his schooling in there.

Upon completion of school Lion Bob went to work in the Oil Patch. After 6 years of this he decided that this was not his future and started an apprenticeship as an Electrician in 1964. Lion Bob moved to Inuvik Northwest Territories in 1966 and worked for the Department of Indian Affairs until 1976. He left the North and returned to Edmonton where he continued work as a Construction Electrician. The call of the north beckoned again and he returned in 1986 to work for Northwestel. Lion Bob retired in 2001 and returned to Alberta.

Lion Bob joined the Vimy and District Lions Club in 2005. He has served on the Board of Directors, served as Vice President, President, 6 terms as Secretary and 5 terms as Treasurer. Lion Bob has also served 3 terms as Zone 3a Chair. He was awarded Lion of the year, is a Melvin Jones Fellow and has received a Club Excellence Award. In the 2011-2012 Lionistic year he received the Zone Chair Membership Growth Award for all of MD 37. Lion Bob successfully completed the Senior Lions Leadership Training in Chicago in 2013 and 2 DGE training schools. Lion Bob has attended many District and Multiple District Conventions. He was a member of the MD37 finance committee. Lion Bob was a moderator at the USA/ Canada Forum in Overland Park, Kansas.

Lion Bob has been a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for 43 years and serves as Past Chairman of their Retirees Club.

Lion Bob likes camping, farming, driving and being a Lion.

Lion Bob is married to Patti. He brought 2 sons and 2 daughters to the marriage.

He is now the proud grandparent of 5 granddaughters and 1 grandson, 3 great granddaughters and 2 great grandsons.