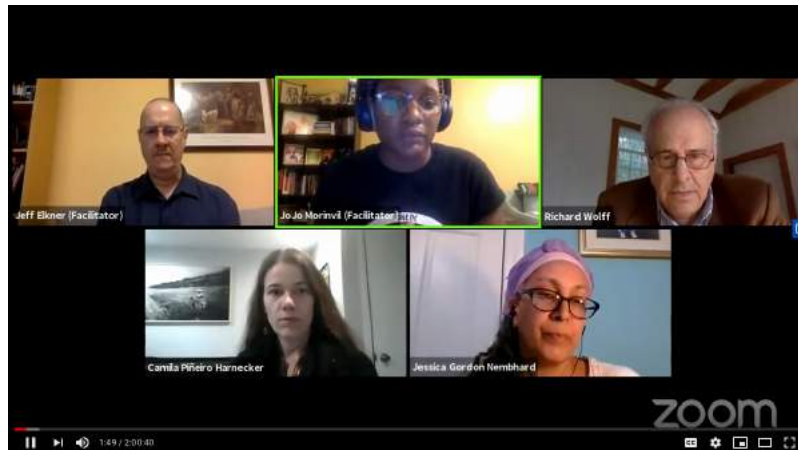




"Never to forget where we came from and always praise the bridges that carried us over."

-Fannie Lou Hamer

We Who Believe in (Worker) Justice Cannot Rest



On Monday, ONE DC's Right to Income Committee co-sponsored a webinar, "[Worker Cooperatives and the Movement for Socialism](#)," with the Claudia Jones School for Political Education. If you missed it, you can [watch the webinar here](#). The program featured panelists Jessica Gordon Nembhard, Richard Wolff, and Camila Piñero Harnecker, as well as a performance by the Black Workers Chorus.



Worker Cooperatives and the Movement for Socialism

The Right to Income Committee is also working on:

- **Learning circles** to discuss Black labor issues & for co-op education are ongoing at every Right to Income Committee meeting
- **Do you have a Black worker story to share?** Reach out to JoJo at jmorinvil@onedconline.org to get your story published on the Black Workers Listening sessions website
- **D.C. Shared Work Program** campaign is planning for upcoming trainings and info sessions. The program allows for employers to keep, or re-hire in the case of COVID, their full-time staff at reduced hours instead of laying workers off. Employees are able to receive unemployment benefits from their state and at the federal level as well as their hourly take-home pay.

The Right to Income Committee meets every other Thursday at 6:30 PM EST. If you are interested in joining, please contact Jokebed at jmorinvil@onedconline.org or Kelly at kiradukunda@onedconline.org.

Upcoming meeting dates:

October 8, 2020

October 22, 2020

November 5, 2020

November 19, 2020

December 3, 2020

December 17, 2020

Building the Movement to Cancel Rent



The Right to Housing Committee is currently working on building up popular awareness and popular will to Cancel the Rent. We are working on a story share project to capture the stories of DC residents -- who they are, why we need to cancel the rent, and how we can organize to make it happen.

Are you a DC resident who has struggled to pay rent during the pandemic? We need you to join the campaign!

To join the Right to Housing Committee and Cancel Rent Campaign, contact Patrick at pgregoire@onedc.org.

NOW HIRING: Homes for All DC Organizer



Homes For All DC (HFA DC) is an emerging regional formation of the national Right to the City (RTTC) Homes For All (HFA) campaign, made up of grassroots, member-led housing justice organizations in the DMV. The mission is to build the capacity of existing DC-based housing justice organizations, and to support the development of new housing justice leaders and organizations. We accomplish this through collective strategy, peer-led support, regional and local tenant assemblies, media & messaging, and collaborative fundraising.

ONE DC is serving as the anchor for this new formation. The HFA DC Organizer is responsible for working with ONE DC member-leaders, leaders in other

grassroots organizations, and the Right to the City Alliance to help form HFA DC. [Click here for more info and how to apply.](#)

ONE Bit of Good News - Welcome New Resource Organizer, Shakeara Mingo!



Shakeara Mingo is a Resource Organizer and excited to be the newest member of the ONE DC team. Since graduating from the University of Maryland-College Park in 2011 with her degree in Criminal Justice, she has been serving low-income and minority communities. She helped over 400 low-income residents in the Washington Metropolitan-Area overcome barriers to unemployment and housing. Shakeara also has more than 8 years of experience in research, data analysis, program management, geographic information systems (GIS), grant/proposal writing, and social services. Through her interactive programming, she has helped residents living in poverty generate income and create self sufficiency. Shakeara joined ONE DC as a member leader to the Right to Housing Committee in May 2020. Since joining she has organized multiple events including our Juneteenth rally. Welcome Shakeara!

To get involved with the Resource Development Committee, join our next meeting and resource training on Tuesday, October 13 at 6:00 PM. [Click here to RSVP](#)

You can contact Shakeara at smingo@onedconline.org.

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