

Motion to Support The People's Assembly National Demo

Notes:

1. 5 years of austerity by this coalition government has led to the biggest fall in living standards for the majority since records began in 1856
2. Osborne declared in his Autumn Statement there are still 60% of cuts to come
3. The deficit is growing and now stands at close to £100 billion
4. The richest 1000 people in the UK have doubled their wealth since the recession hit in 2008
5. All major Westminster parties remain committed to a programme of austerity
6. On the 20th June 2015, six weeks after the election, The People's Assembly will be holding a major national demonstration and festival in London to tell the new government to "End Austerity Now!"
7. The End Austerity Now demonstration will begin at The Bank of England and end at a live music festival in Tower Hamlets

Believes:

1. Austerity has failed, except for the rich and powerful, and, unless living standards for the majority improve drastically, the economy will be forced back into recession
2. No solution to the crisis will come from any form of racism, islamophobia or on scapegoating immigrants
3. Whatever the result of the election austerity looks likely to continue, therefore a broad, united & national movement that can challenge this will still be necessary
4. That trade unions must remain central to the organisation of the campaign and event
5. The march will prove to the new government that the movement against austerity will continue as long as austerity does

Resolves:

1. To support The People's Assembly's National Demonstration with a donation of / by sponsoring
2. To provide transport for members / support a local People's Assembly group to bring organise a coach
3. To encourage members to come to the demonstration, and help publicise the event on social media and through all other appropriate communications channels