

ON MAY 12

**MAKE
BIG
BANKS
AND
MILLIONAIRES
PAY**

We hear it every day: **There's no more money.**

No money to keep our senior centers open, pay our teachers, serve the homeless or help college students graduate. There's no revenue to pay for vital services or invest in creating jobs.

Well, people across this country have had enough.

There is no revenue crisis; there is an inequality crisis.

The Big Banks that crashed our economy, destroyed jobs, caused millions to lose their homes, and bankrupted city and state budgets, are reaping record profits—and yet they are refusing to pay their fair share of what it will take to rebuild our economy.

From Wisconsin to Wall Street people are fighting back!

Here in New York City, a vibrant coalition of groups has a plan that will allow Mayor Bloomberg to save our jobs, human services, schools, pensions and communities.

We know that the city could be saving billions of dollars if it stopped the corporate sweetheart deals and bogus tax breaks. We know the city could force banks to change their ways by refusing to do business with companies that are foreclosing on homes, charging exorbitant fees and interests, and investing in dirty energy and war.

That's why on **Thursday May 12, 2011 at 4PM** thousands of working people, students, seniors, people on public assistance, and community activists, will take Wall Street to school and create a giant classroom without walls in order to teach New Yorkers about who really destroyed our economy and what we can do to save it.

**TELL BLOOMBERG
NO CUTS
MAKE THEM PAY THEIR FAIR SHARE**

**4PM ASSEMBLY
TO MARCH!
TO WALL STREET!**



Initiating groups: Alliance for Quality Education, ACT UP/NY, Alliance for Quality Education, Center for Children Initiatives, Center for Working Families, Children's Defense Fund New York, Citizen Action NY, Coalition for Educational Justice, Coalition for the Homeless, Code Pink NYC, Common Cause/NY, Communications Workers of America District 1, Communications Workers of America Local 1104, Communications Workers of America Local 1180, Community Voices Heard, Council of School Supervisors and Administrators, CUNY Mobilization Network, Emergency Coalition to Save Child Care, Episcopal Social Services, FUREE (Families United for Racial & Economic Equality), Good Old Lower East Side, Granny Peace Brigade, Grassroots Education Movement, Greater NYC for Change, Housing Works, Human Services Council, Hunger Action Network of NYS, Judson Memorial Church, Make the Road NY, MinKwon Center for Community Action, National People's Action, Neighborhood Economic Development Advocacy Project, Neighborhood Family Services Coalition, Neighbors Helping Neighbors, Neighbors Together, New Deal for NY, New York Charter Parents Association, New York City Parents Union, New York Communities for Change, New York State Tenants & Neighbors Coalition, NW Bronx Community Clergy Coalition, NY Jobs with Justice, NYers Against Budget Cuts, Organization for a Free Society, Peace Action NYS, Picture the Homeless, Professional Staff Congress, Queerocracy, Right to the City Alliance, SEIU Local 32BJ, SEIU 1199 United Healthcare Workers East, Strong Economy for All Coalition, Teachers Unite, The New York City Coalition Against Hunger, Transport Workers Union Local 100, United Federation of Teachers, United For Peace and Justice, United New York, United Students Against Sweatshops, Urban Youth Collaborative, VOCAL-NY, War Resisters League, Who Cares? I Do. Campaign, Working Families Party, YaYa Network

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WE DEMAND ACTION FROM BLOOMBERG

- STOP THE GIVEAWAYS, SPECIAL DEALS & LOOPHOLES FOR BANKS & CORPORATIONS
- MAKE WALL STREET BANKS & MILLIONAIRES PAY THEIR FAIR SHARE IN TAXES
- END CITY BUSINESS WITH BANKS THAT WON'T STOP FORECLOSURES, CUT THE FEES, INVEST IN GREEN TECHNOLOGY INSTEAD OF CLIMATE DISASTER & WAR

By forcing banks to give back their subsidies, New York City could save billions and instead use those funds to restore cuts to schools, human services, firehouses, childcare, and seniors.

Starting at 4:00 PM orientation will begin in public assembly sites throughout the Wall Street area, each one with a different theme:

housing, jobs, education, students/youth, peace, human services, and more. This will be followed by a march into the Financial District where we will stage the city's largest teach-in and educate Wall Street and all New Yorkers on what it will take to rebuild our economy. We will close by discussing our next steps to insure that Mayor Bloomberg makes a commitment to a strong and fair economy for all.

On May 12: Meet Up, Teach in, & Take Back Our City! **It's time to make big banks & millionaires pay!**

BASIC SCHEDULE:

4:00 Orientation at Assembly Sites

- March to Wall Street
- Teach-Ins Begin
- Closing Assembly

ASSEMBLY SITES:

1. EDUCATION

City Hall
260 Broadway

2. STUDENTS

Charging Bull
26 Broadway

3. TRANSPORTATION/ENERGY

Bowling Green
1 Bowling Green

4. IMMIGRATION

Battery Park

5. HOUSING

Staten Island Ferry
1 State Street

6. PEACE

Vietnam Veterans Memorial
55 Water Street

7. JOBS

Wall Street Fountain
110 Wall St

8. HUMAN SERVICES/SAFETY NET

South St. Seaport
20 Fulton St

