

HOUSING CRISIS IS OUT OF CONTROL

December 1st is the one year anniversary of the tragic death of Jonathan Corrie and despite government promises to solve the housing crisis things are much much worse.

There are now at least 1,500 children living in emergency accommodation, rents are escalating beyond affordable levels, there are 'economic' evictions, mortgage arrears, repossessions, 100,000 households on the housing waiting lists, substandard accommodation and the growing numbers of those unable to buy a home.

We are calling on all people affected to come together in a united show of solidarity to demand action to address the housing and homeless crisis as a matter of urgency.

"While families are flooding into homelessness, government ministers are bickering, arguing with each other and disagreeing with one another. It's an absolute disgrace. We have a crisis. It's beyond crisis. We have an emergency," Peter McVerry, Housing Campaigner.

Housing is a Human Right

Organisations supporting include:

Help 4 The Homeless Ballyfermot, Peter McVerry Trust, Focus Ireland, Dublin Simon Community, Br Kevin Crowley - Capuchin Day Centre, Housing Action Now, Merchants Quay, SIPTU, Right2Change Trade Unions, Sinn Féin, Anti-Austerity Alliance, People Before Profit, Social Democrats, Young Workers Network, IMPACT, Mandate, Unite, CWU, Opatsi, DCTU, MRCI, Uplift, Pavée Point, Irish Traveller Movement, United Against Racism, Irish Refugee Council, North Dublin Bay Housing Crisis Community and more.



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