

Converge at West Front Lawn, meetings with representatives

10AM Trainings, teach-ins

12PM Multi-Occupy Public GA 2PM

Teach-ins, music, open mic, idea sharing 6PM Rally and protest, DC voting rights vigil

8PM

Occuparty

McPherson Square and Freedom Plaza have their own specific guidelines, but here are some guiding principals common to both Occupations:

No drugs or alcohol at any time Do not antagonize law enforcement Keep quiet at night

Do not litter, pick up trash even if it's not yours Respect your neighbors' personal space and property Do not leave valuables in your tent

### WE NEED YOUR HELP

There will be volunteer trainings for those interested in helping make this event possible. If you are interesting in volunteering, the following trainings will start at 10AM

Food Medical **Direct Action De-escalation Legal Observing** 

All events will take

place on the West

Front of the Capitol



#### WE CANNOT FEED EVERYONE ON OUR OWN

We will do our best to provide food, but we have very limited resources. There are lots of places to eat near the Occupations and the Capitol. Several places are marked on the map, and there are many more around.

## DICAL AND SANITATION

Symptoms of HYPOTHERMIA include shivering, slurred speech, disorientation, and drowsiness. Be aware of those around you, people who are suffering from hypothermia often do not know it. Get inside and warm up. You can take the opportunity to enjoy on the Smithsonian museums around the Mall: they are free! There will be medic tents at both Occupations and the Capitol (at the corner of Penn and 1st St NW, marked on the map).

Sanitation is one of the reasons many cities Occupations. evicted Please do your part by picking up after yourself, and picking up any other trash you see. Please do not eat in your tent.

### **NEAREST EMERGENCY ROOM:** GW Hospital at 23rd and I (Eye) St NW

Remember to DRINK WATER. Despite the cold, it is easy to get dehydrated. Medics will have water on hand, and there will be more at the medic tent. You can also refill a water bottle with tap water for free. Be aware that outdoor water fountains are shut off during the winter.

# LAW ENFORCEME

There are many different law enforcement agencies in DC. The streets are under the jurisdiction of the DC Police. The Mall, Freedom Plaza, and McPherson Square are under the jurisdiction of the National Park Service. In the past, NPS has given three warnings before making arrests. Occupy Congress has a permit for the West Front Lawn of the Capitol, which is under the jurisdiction of the Capitol Police, and we have no experience with them. Remember, we are a peaceful movement, please do not antagonize law enforcement officers.

> Tents are not legal on the Capitol grounds. Do not attempt to pitch tents on the Capitol grounds at any point during the day. You could be arrested and Occupy Congress could be compromised.

If you are arrested, the legal committee number is (202) 5-RESIST. However... WE CANNOT AFFORD TO PAY FINES OR BAIL FOR ANYBODY

# TRANSPORTATION

Metro stations near McPherson Square and Freedom Plaza Farragut W (Blue, Orange) Farragut N (Red) McPherson Sq (B, O) Metro Center (R, B, O) Federal Triangle (B, O)

Metro stations near the Capitol: Judiciary Sq (Red) Federal Center (Blue, Orange) Capitol South (B, O)

Stations are marked on the map, and have multiple entrances/exits; map locations are approximate. Fares start at \$1.85 and vary by time of day and travel distance. Stations close at midnight on weekdays. The WMATA info number is (202) 637-7000

The fastest buses in the city are the Circulators, the two most useful will be the Georgetown-Untion Station bus (east-west along K and Massachusetts), and the Woodley Park-McPherson bus (north-south on 14th). The Circulators cost \$1.00, regular Metro Buses cost \$1.70. Most bus stops have city maps.

> The city is split into quadrants: NW, NE, SE, SW. Many cross streets appear more than once throughout the city.

Before you go somewhere make sure you know which quad it's in! You'll likely spend almost all your time in NW. but if someone says "Meet me at 7 and D." make sure it's 7 and D NW. because there are four 7 and D's.

North, South, and East Capitol Strets are boundaries between guads. Numeric streets run north-south, alphabetic streets run east-west, both ascend away from the Capitol. States are diagonal.