# HARD WORK DESERVES FAIR PAY



END CHILD POVERTY IN CANADA

### Join us September 18, 7-9 pm PUBLIC MEETING on "LIVING WAGES"

#### Where: Grenoble Public School, 9 Grenoble Dr.

(Directions: east of Ontario Science Centre; TTC – Take #25 bus on Don Mills, get off at Gateway Blvd. next to Plaza, walk east to Grenoble Dr. – school is on right-hand side -- behind a church; by car – drive to Ont. Science Centre on Don Mills south of Eglinton E.; turn east off Don Mills at Gateway Blvd; then turn into Grenoble Dr., parking lot is next to school bldg.)

Who: Speakers & Public Discussion-

- 4 Jen Kern (ACORN US) on successful US Living Wage campaigns;
- Lana Payne, Newfoundland Make Work Pay Coalition;
- 4 John Cartwright, Toronto & York Region Labour Council;
- **4** Deirdre Pike: Update on Hamilton's Living Wage movement.

**Purpose:** A job should keep families out of poverty. Let's learn about community efforts & build support for a "Living Wage" - a level of pay that allows a full time worker to meet basic needs, have a decent standard of living, and build some savings.

## Childcare available. Please call 416-595-9230x244 by Sept 14 to reserve spaces.

### FREE ADMISSION. No RSVP Required. All Welcome.

Organized by Campaign 2000 & Community Social Planning Council of Toronto, with funding support from Human Resources & Social Development Canada.



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### **REGISTRATION FORM**

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NAME:
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<u>A. Campaign 2000 National Forum on Living Wages</u> Wed., September 19, 9-4 pm. Crowne Plaza Hotel, 1250 Eglinton Ave East (at Don Valley Parkway) – 416-449-4111
**Please note there is a \$25 cost for non Campaign 2000 partners. Payable by cash or cheque on Sept.19 <sup>th</sup> Campaign 2000 gratefully acknowledges funding support for this event from Human Resources & Social Development Canada. Partners: Community Social Planning Council of Toronto, & Canadian Labour Congress.
You will be able to attend 2 workshops. Please indicate your order of preference(e.g. #1 = your first choice). Building successful coalitions to pass a municipal living wage bylaw: Jen Kern, ACORN USA
<b>Provincial minimum wage/living wage campaigns</b> : Lana Payne, Nfld & Labrador Make Work Pay Coalition, & Bill Moore-Kilgannon, Public Interest Alberta.
<b>Community/Labour led campaigns for 'Good jobs at living wages'</b> : Marcy Cohen, HEU BC, & Janet Dassinger, CORD (Toronto).
Community Organizing for Change: Strategies to improve wages & working conditions. Karen Dick, Workers Action Centre.
Community-based approaches in partnership with business - Vibrant Communities. Peter Papp, Opportunities Niagara.
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B. Campaign 2000 Partners Meeting, Thurs September 20, 9am-Noon Location: Crowne Plaza Hotel, 1250 Eglinton Ave East – Wynford Room
** If your organization is a Campaign 2000 partner you're invited to this meeting. <i>Agenda</i> : Follow up to recommendations of 'Strategic Review of Campaign 2000"; key directions for 2007-09 (continental breakfast provided)
Yes, I plan to attend. Please email me the 'Strategic Review' background paper to read.
Questions? Contact Liyu Guo 416-595-9230x244 or Jacquie Maund 416-595-230x241jacquiema@fsatoronto.com
<b>Directions to Crowne Plaza:</b> TTC: Take #34 bus east from Eglinton subway. Get off at Wynford Dr., go downstairs under bridge, short walk north to Hotel. <b>By Car</b> : Exit Don Valley at Wynford Drive, drive north past construction site to the hotel on Westside. Valet all-day parking for forum participants: \$6.00.