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Kicking Off 2019 with Local Actions

Socialist Party locals have been hitting the streets as we start 2019, organizing and showing solidarity with community members fighting daily struggles for social justice and economic democracy.

Some Highlights

NYC Socialists Join MLK Day March Against Displacement



The Socialist Party of NYC marched with the Citywide Alliance Against Displacement in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King Junior to fight against Mayor de Blasio's landlord and developer friendly administration. There are currently over 60,000 homeless people in New York City.

Black Hills (SD) and Inland Empire (CA) Locals Take Part in Women's March

The Black Hills and Inland Empire Locals took part in Women's March action in at this year's Women's March Gainesville on March 14 actions this year. Both Locals reported that they members took part in the actions, handed out literature and business cards, and dozens of inquiries and volunteer sign ups.

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Coalition of Immokalee Workers and Student Farm Worker Alliance "Mobilizing 4 for Fair Food" Tour



From *ciw-online.org* "Plans are well underway – both in Immokalee and across the nation – for the 4 for Fair Food Tour, when farm workers will be traversing the country to visit to visit the University of North Carolina

in Chapel Hill, the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Ohio State University in Columbus, and the University of Florida in Gainesville! Already, the call for Wendy's to put human rights on the menu instead of cheap "4 for \$4" deals is building along the tour route – and allies from across the Fair Food Nation are getting ready to converge on Ohio and Florida for the two main actions."

The Socialist Party is an endorser of the CIW's Wendy's boycott, and the Fair Food campaign and SP members will be attending some of these actions.

Chapel Hill, NC- March 5
Columbus, OH - March 8
Ann Arbor, MI – March 11
Gainesville, FL - March 14

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Northern NJ Socialist Join Montclair Sustainability Conference

Members of the Northern New Jersey Socialist Party joined over 100 attendees at the 4th Acting Locally for a More Sustainable World Conference on January 19th in Montclair NJ. Local member Greg Pason served on the conference planning committee and Stephanie Gussin served as a conference volunteer. Local members also promoted the CIW's Fair Food campaign through the Montclair Fair Food Alliance.

UTLA Strike Support

Members of the Socialist Party Los Angeles Local joined UTLA strike actions throughout the city of Los Angeles, including the massive mobilization at downtown's Grand Park. Press reports have indicated that the downtown rally saw more than 60,000 join the action in support of UTLA's fight against privatization, for better staffing, for nurses, and for respect.

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