

Take Action with Chicago Earth Day to May Day

The Earth Day to May Day Chicago Coalition unites labor, community and environmental justice organizations during this public health, economic, and environmental justice crisis.

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May Day

ICIRR MAY DAY ACTION

May 1st Noon

Join ICIRR, SEIU Local 1, Chicago Federation of Labor and others to discuss the impact of COVID19 on Immigrants and Workers | #WeAreEssential #EverybodyIN

- Learn from our partners in labor about how the pandemic has affected them and their members
- Explore how the fights for immigrant rights, worker rights and health care rights are all linked together
- Learn about critical resources available to our communities
- Take action to ensure we include #EverybodyIN our relief efforts
- Streaming on ICIRR's Facebook Page - [event link here](#)

May Day: Fire Drill Fridays

May 1st Noon

Panel Discussion hosted by AFGE 704 (EPA Workers) to discuss how we can get out of this pandemic (the transition back into the work place) and address the climate crisis by using the transition to clean energy. The talk will be at NOON central for one hour with 3-4 panelists. Live Streamed at <https://www.facebook.com/AFGELocal704/live/> at noon

May Day: Virtual Labor History Tour

May 1st 3pm

May Day will be a call to action for many to fight for the labor rights we all deserve, more now than ever as COVID-19 impacts our workplaces

The Chicago Federation of Labor and the Illinois Labor History Society are hosting a virtual tour of important historical sites around Chicago and Illinois on Facebook Live. Check out the [facebook event](#) for more information.

May Day Funeral Procession for Decarceration

May 1st 3pm-4pm

Please honor the lives we lost by wearing black and dressing your car in black for this caravan-style funeral procession and live broadcast of speakers. The caravan will circle Statesville Prison. Line up on Division at the intersection with Route 7, pointing east towards Route 53. Instructions to dial-in to the program broadcast will be posted at <https://tinyurl.com/MayDayCaravan> the day before the event.

Songs of Solidarity

May 1st 7pm

If you missed it the first time we will be rebroadcasting our Songs of Solidarity virtual concert on May Day! You can watch the show via [facebook live](#) at the Warehouse Workers For Justice, Mystery Street Recording Company and Sunrise Movement Chicago facebook pages! If you like our work donate here: <http://www.ww4j.org/donate.html>

With:

Sam & Spencer Tweedy, Mykele Deville, Sima Cunningham (OHMME), Sunny War, Sterling Hayes, Kahiem Rivera, Lyn Rye See Less

May Day - Rent Strike

May 1st - all day

Corporate landlords and banks still think their profits are worth more than our lives, even in the midst of a pandemic. Without OUR money, they are without power over OUR homes. That's why, on May 1, we will use our power to withhold our rent and mortgage payments unless the five largest corporate landlords — FirstKey Homes, Cerberus Capital Management, Equity Residential, Lincoln Property Company, and Greystar — meet our following, basic demands:

1. Forgive unpaid rents and waive mortgage interest and defer mortgage payments for the months of April, May and June.
2. Cease evictions of any renters and foreclosures on any homeowners during the full duration of the crisis — for at least six months.
3. Use your political power to call on public officials to support housing relief for the tens of millions of American workers who have lost their jobs.

Join us, take the #RentStrike Pledge: <https://bit.ly/3clSo4E> [Facebook event link here.](#)