

STRATEGY SESSION WORK PLAN MAY 9, 2009

	Anchors	DLOC	Working Groups/NPC (remember there are a LOT of working groups not represented here)
Short Term/ Immediate	Hire Maureen and Will as local coordinators	recruit more people to DLOC	decide how the plenary decision making happens
	hire communications, technology, logistics (recommend Ngia), bookkeeper	plan for community land ownership and maintenance for ussf and after (program, logistics)	communications: flyers, press, etc.; materials - visual and literature
	open office: setting up phone and technology infrastructure	bus ads, bench ads, jingle, save the date cards	press release by june 22 (1 year out)
	finances: transfer 501c3 accounts, financial management	training for speakers bureau	draft letter as official USSF invitation
		clarify working groups, roles and responsibilities	email list for each cmte and working groups
		localising PMA	develop list of intl speakers and guests
		core group conversations and reading	id options for differently abled (hearing aids, ramps, sign language, etc)
		create transparent decisionmaking process and readily available and understandable notes (wiki)	recruitment short-term
		create a plan to reach folks who don't id as activists, organizers	contacting us embassys and intl consulates
		lay-out of HART plaza, tents	develop request process for proposals
		column in the citizen monthly (students could do this)	develop themes for workshops so ppl can plug in (prog)
		surveys	work out deals with airlines for airfare (logistics, intl wg)
		ID local movements to participate in actions aligned with their work	plan for undocumented participants, including a plan for bailing out folks who are picked up while attending ussf {check out plan from last forum}
		map neighborhoods, issues, existing organizing	start solidarity fund for intl attendees

STRATEGY SESSION WORK PLAN MAY 9, 2009

	Anchors	DLOC	Working Groups/NPC (remember there are a LOT of working groups not represented here)
Short Term/ Immediate (cont.)		create and train on presenting the relevance of the USSF in Detroit	making a plan for June 22nd 2009, kicking things off, a plan for that day!
		connect local groups to nat'l int'l work	setting of deadlines for workshops and proposals
		solidarity housing	children's social forum
		opening march	identifying who/how tents go, electricity and infrastructure
		integrate local relevance in each tent, prioritize tents	program committee determines the folks who get to have/share the tents and support program development
		call out for tech usage	
		temp chair for logistics - start meeting	
		organize local actions monthly, weekly	
		create local calendar	
		find interns to support paid organizers	
		setting up an evaluation and archiving process	
		identifying permanent chairs for each of the local committees	
		invite vendors and small local businesses we want to provide services, let's invite them into the process fully - this supports local economy	
		identifying vendors and meeting with them, and including as part of the process hiring and engaging disenfranchised; getting them licenses	
		contacting legal observers (vs police brutality and ICE)	
		research setting up a local currency for the USSF (use this to kick off)	
		adopting a principle of not just having folks work for the forum, but engaging them in the process as a part of the building community	

STRATEGY SESSION WORK PLAN MAY 9, 2009

	Anchors	DLOC	Working Groups/NPC (remember there are a LOT of working groups not represented here)
Short Term/ Immediate (cont.)		sustainability plan with local vendors	
		id housing options for participants	
		children's social forum/hands on	
		cultural history tours of detroit by local historians	

STRATEGY SESSION WORK PLAN MAY 9, 2009

	Anchors	DLOC	Working Groups/NPC (remember there are a LOT of working groups not represented here)
Mid Term		routes for opening march	space and time schedule for workshops
		organizing work brigades to support each other's work when needed, ongoing	different types of workshops - action, info
		volunteers - hospitality, solidarity housing, airport transportation	invite people to submit and run workshops
		create a plan for managing and training volunteers	contact lawyers and develop a safety plan
		logistics - scout tent locations and research permit issues	green cards, cash, etc
		health services, street medics	printing workshop schedule/lists/program book
		transportation (shuttles, bikes)	create a list of USSF-approved vendors (would require a lot of organizing)
		public space for music	
		community, pop ed	
		speaker's bureau for schools and comm centers	
		art contest to gain interest and participation, and leave art behind in the city	
		create a plan and vision for training local organizing cmte type network for after	
		buy and rent tents	
		set up tents	
		housing owned by community stayed in, worked on and maintained during ussf	
		create plan for tents post ussf	
		guides and info booths	
		safety and security - (threat management, another in sw detroit) movement based	
		site reconaissance of schools	
		plan for after the march	
		organizing 20-50K attend, and 20-30% local	

STRATEGY SESSION WORK PLAN MAY 9, 2009

	Anchors	DLOC	Working Groups/NPC (remember there are a LOT of working groups not represented here)
Long Term		local organizing network to mutually support each other after	impact on the social forum - evaluation, looking at the role of host community, post-event discussions
		make tents accessible to local groups for usage	
		land and house building ownership by community maintained and supported	