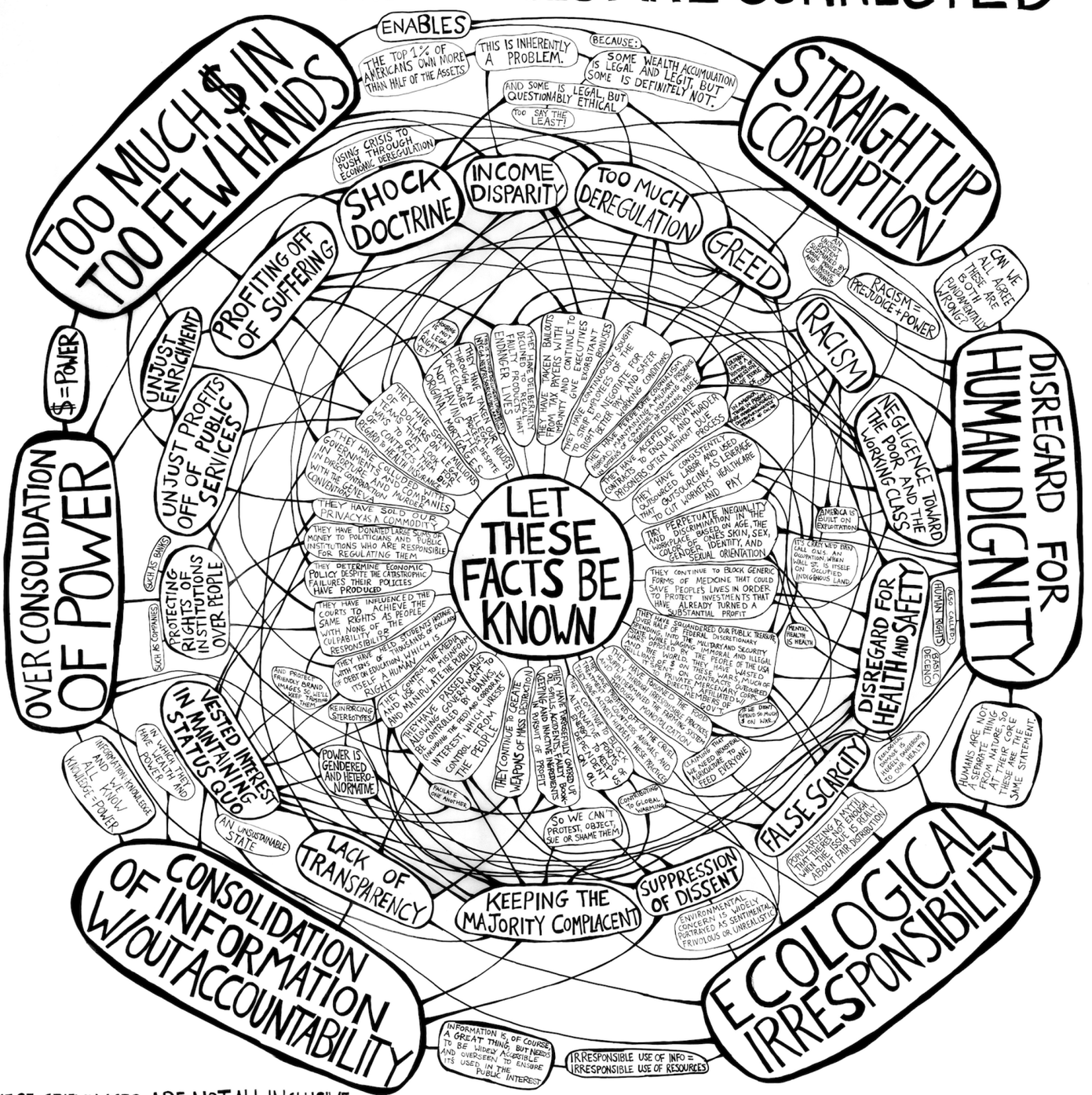
THE DECLARATION OF THE OCCUPATION OF NYC

AS AGREED UPON BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NYC ON SEPTEMBER 21st 2011 DRAFTED BY THE CALL TO ACTION WORKING GROUP

LET'S ACKNOWLEDGE THE REALITY: THE FUTURE OF THE HUMAN RACE REQUIRES THE COOPERATION OF ITS MEMBERS OUR INCREASINGLY INTERCONNECTED WORLD OBSCURES THE UNDERLYING TRUTH THAT

ALL OF OUR GRIEVANCES ARE CONNECTED



THESE GRIEVANCES ARE NOT ALL INCLUSIVE. HOWEVER YOU HAVE BEEN WRONGED BY THE CORPORATE FORCES OF THE WORLD, OCCUPY WALL STREET STRIVES TO BE YOUR ALLY. THEY, THE CORPORATIONS, PLACE PROFIT OVER PEOPLE, SELF INTEREST OVER JUSTICE, AND OPPRESSION OVER EQUALITY. THEY RUN OUR GOVERNMENTS.

LET US NOT BE WEIGHED DOWN BY THE COMPLEXITY OF OUR SITUATION, BUT UNITED BY ITS SINGULARITY AS WE RE-ESTABLISH A SYSTEM THAT PROTECTS OUR RIGHTS

DO YOU SEE YOUR GRIEVANCES HERE OR DO YOU SEE THEM MISSING? IF SO, OCCUPY WALL ST. WANTS, NEEDS, AND WELCOMES YOU! HERE ARE SOME WAYS TO GET INVOLVED FIND ONE THAT WORKS FOR YOU

GO TO ZUCCOTTI PARK OR YOUR LOCAL OCCUPATION SITE-WITNESS A GENERAL ASSEMBLY (AT ZUCCOTTI PARK THEY'RE EVERY DAY AT 7PM) VISIT THE INFO DESK-GO TO A WORKING GROUP MEETING VISIT NYC GA.NET TO FIND OUT WHERE & WHEN- ASK ANYONE WHAT THEY'RE DOING THERE - MAKE A SIGN AND HOLD IT UP BRING FOOD TO SHARE PICK UP TRASH AROUND THE SITE AND IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD IDENTIFY WHICH PART OF THIS CHART TROUBLES YOU THE MOST FIND AN ORGANIZATION THAT WORKS ON THIS PROBLEM CONTACT THEM AND SEE HOW YOU CAN HELP FIND GOOD WORDS TO SAY HOW OCCUPY WALL STREET IS RELATED TO THE BIG IDEAS THAT ARE IMPORTANT TO YOU AND YOUR COMMUNITY TALK ABOUT THIS WITH YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS AND COWORKERS - IMPART THE SIGNIFICANCE TO CHILDREN REFER TO OCCUPY WALL STREET AS "WE" RATHER THAN "THEY CONSIDER YOURSELF A CRITICAL PARTICIPANT RATHER THAN A SKEPTIC READ NEWS ABOUT OCCUPY WALL STREET, SHARE WHAT YOU AGREE WITH ON FACEBOOK- GO TO A MARCH ABOUT AN ISSUE THAT DIRECTLY AFFECTS YOU OR ONE THAT DOESN'T INSOLIDARITY-SEEK OUT WORKER COOPERATIVES OR SMALL BUSINESSES WHERE YOU CAN SHOP TO KEEP YOUR MONEY LOCAL- MOVE YOUR SAVINGS (OR SOME OF THEM) FROM A BANK TO A CREDIT UNION- FIND A TIMEBANK IN YOUR AREA TO SWAP YOUR SERVICES FOR THE SERVICES YOU NEED-INVITE A FRIEND ALONG LEARN MORE AT OCCUPYWALLST.ORG OR OCCUPYTOGETHER.ORG-FOR INFO ABOUT THIS DRAWING E-MAIL FLOWCHARTART@GMAIL.COM-ENGAGE YOUR COMMUNITY IN ANY WAY YOU BELIEVE FORGES A MORE JUST WORLD!