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Socialist Workers Party Leaflet

SOLIDARITY WITH THE GREEK PEOPLE

NO TO EU ECONOMIC TERRORISM!

Seldom is it so clear that working people of different countries share the same basic interests, while at the same time the bankers and bosses of all countries also stick together.

Shamefully Ireland's Enda Kenny and Michael Noonan have stood shoulder to shoulder with the Troika against the Greek people just as they have stood shoulder to shoulder with the Troika against the Irish people.

Financial Blackmail

The Troika are using economic terrorism and financial blackmail to destroy the Greek economy, to try to destroy Syriza and to try to intimidate the Greek people into a Yes vote.

They want to impose a humiliating settlement on Greece to send the message to everyone across Europe that no alternative to austerity will be tolerated.

All the Irish Government politicians, both Fine Gael and Labour, share this goal. They are desperate that Greece should not succeed in their defiance as this would expose their own disgraceful compliance with everything the

bankers asked of them.

And as usual the tame media are assisting by churning out the message that the Greek people are lazy, *when they work the longest hours in Europe*, and that Syriza are 'childish' and irresponsible.

Solidarity across Europe.

But in Greece there is a mass movement of resistance, with huge demonstrations in Athens and many other places.

And the Greek resistance is being supported by rallies and demonstrations of working people and the left across Europe. Here in Ireland there will a Greek Solidarity Rally this Saturday.[see below]

For us in Ireland there is a close link between the struggle in Greece and our struggle here. Both are directed against the same enemy – neoliberal austerity.

A NO vote in Greece will directly assist our fight against water charges and our struggle to defeat the rotten Fine Gael/Labour government.

For a real alternative.

The campaign for a NO vote also creates a big momentum for real change. It raises issues such as the Nationalisation of the Banks to stop them being used to crash the economy, Cancellation of all the Debt to end permanent crisis and establishing workers' control of industry to stop sabotage by the rich.

The behaviour of the Troika has proved they are not the friends or partners of the Greek people anymore than they are our friends. They serve the interests of the 1%, the capitalist super rich. What Greece needs and what we need is a break with capitalism and a society that puts people before profit.

#irelandstandswithGreece – we say no too!

Solidarity Rally

Sat 4 July 12 noon

Central Bank

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