

Folkemøte: The Movement We Need 21.8 2025

↻ ANONYMOUS PARROT 8/21/25 4:53PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

The need for a nes democracy. Change the capitalistic system. Change the idea of national borders.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

More participatory democracy. More collaboration. More locality. More community. Change the idea of work.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Come together and create personal connections between the different movements in order to evolve collaboration. Learn from each other. Be there for each other and support each other.

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Mutual aid

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Realise our potential for action, embrace humane empathy, stop worrying about being individually good enough, stop treating the earth as an eternal source of resources and an infinite capacity wastebin, question our bizarre ideals of "the good life", greater awareness of lessons from the past, build unity by having positive experiences together, explore collectivity,

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Organize, find information and spread it, create the framework for organizing people in very different life circumstances, make it unpleasant to fly a private jet/yacht etc, we will learn how to work together along the way - learning by doing, be humble about our current insights,

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Experience positive empowering moments together, cultivate togetherness and collectivity, make sure people don't get burned out waiting for the big day when we solve everything - instead embrace all the tiny victories along the way,

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We are stronger together

Group number

Rest-group

What do we agree needs to be changed?

We should stop getting new oil up from the soil. And stop the current use of oil. Change the way we value things, the way we value, example: taking care of others (for example health care) should not be a expense but a value in it self. Shift the narrative of the public to see and acknowledge the issues. Feelings at the core to reach our goal, we should be connected to our feelings about these issues, be good to talk about them with each other, and draw motivation from there. Doing good is contagious, so spread it around you in all small things in life. Linked to the "good is contagious": non-violence. We should hold space for our differences and don't narrow down to 1 type of identity within a group.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Different groups (with common agendas) join in the fight. Communication (between these movements) is very important. All roles are needed, "diversity of tactics" and strategies, we should be better at building each other up instead of criticising each other's approaches when they are reaching the same goal. Be more flexible in our minds in what we can embrace in what we fight for. Be more aggressive in our speaking of the issues and especially the consequences. The system we live in has an problematic structure itself, we need to change it in order to fix the issues, eco-villages, sustainable communities, but not isolating, we both need people fighting within the system, but alternative systems (for example eco-villages) can also be role models for the society.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Social gatherings between the movements and networking, learn from each other, places for building network and meeting others is very important, facilitating of this is very needed, working with people who own businesses or places who can contribute with these facilities.

↻ TRUSTWORTHY EAGLE 8/21/25 4:48PM

Fuck Capitalism

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

How we value nature , values not based on capitalism, change our consumerism, stigmatizing greed, not supporting war and genocide, empowering people to talk about things, connecting movements because it is one fight , find alternative systems, overcome colonial system, people need listen more to each other

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

We need to listen to people with other options, more radical actions like le Monde de la Terre for example

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

More Community Spaces, make protest culture cool and fun again, community building activities, sustainable activism, reinventing what democracy means, living together as a community against loneliness

⇒ **ONE TAXI** 8/21/25 4:47PM

Group number

25

What do we agree needs to be changed?

Down with capitalism, down with weapons, military emissions counted in climate declarations, abandon GDP growth as a societal goal, more equity, Indigenous liberation, down with the double morale, phase out fossil fuels, open borders and treat all people as people, solidarity.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Revolution, have a peace department and not just a defence department, create concrete visions including calculations and then drawing pathways towards those visions (backcasting), create new lingual expressions to avoid greenwashing and other kinds of decieving wordplay, look at previous succesful campaign strategies, stop organizing things in a capitalist way.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Have campaigns which everyone can relate to, a common enemy, such as extreme wealth, keeping the Nordics connected, nuclear weapon-free zone in the Nordics, show up - invited or uninvited - to Nordic collaboration meetings and punch through the myth of Nordic sustainability, promote the community within the movement.

⇒ **GROUP 1** 8/21/25 4:47PM

Butterflies

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Lower energy consumption, energy effectiveness. Economic change to a system that encorporate human and nature values.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Focus on what you can do yourself. Spread information and help change opinions and values. Have lobbyists in the decion centers.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Collaborate on issues that is in common. Learn from each others failures and successes. Share knowledge. Personally try to learn about and reach out to other organizations. Meeting other people shares knowledge and gives motivation.

⇒ **FRIENDLY DOLPHIN** 8/21/25 4:46PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Redistribute power and resources, organise our society after planetary boundaries, base society on care and coexistence. Be honest that the “western” society is based on exploitation.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Practicing redistribution of power (ex. Citizens assemblies), local ownership of companies and resources, sharing different kinds of knowledge inside and outside the movement, building a multi-base movement (ex. climate, workers, indigenous working together), emphasise that the crisis we face unites us rather than divides us.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Share knowledge (forms of actions, care and sustainability, theory of change, data on who does what: both friends and foes), meeting between organisations (social gatherings are important!), share experiences, movements need to be friends not competitors

⇒ **SERIOUS STORK** 8/21/25 4:44PM

People

Group number

What do we agree needs to be changed?

Profitt i kjernen. Profitt på bekostning av andre. Systemet. For mye makt og penger for for få mennesker. Lite bevissthet rundt dette. Kapitalismen. Lite rom for sivilsamfunn. Kloden og mennesket bør få mer verdi.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Man må forstå de strukturelle problemene i sammenheng. Dette må mer inn i skolen- betydningen av natur og klima som en del av oss. Det er sentrum- ikke økonomisk vekst på bekostning av verdigrunnlaget vårt. Endre måten vi ser oss selv fra skolegangen. Menneskeverd-revolusjon. Presse politikere sammen. Dette folkemøte initiativet er utrolig bra og engasjerende og sivilsamfunn burde jobbe enda tettere. Sammen er vi sterkere. Civil disobedience. Streik. Vi må snakke mer om kapitalismen- det er ikke radikalt å si at kapitalismen dreper. Kan politikerene slutte å si at Oljefondet er upolitisk. Flere må organisere seg. Normalisere å organisere seg. Samarbeide mer på tvers av organisasjoner. Vi må ut av ekko kammerne våre og prate med folk! Vi begynner å bli for splitta. Vi må orka å ta de slitsomme samtale med familie og venner.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Gjøre ting som dette. Arrangere offentlige demonstrasjoner og delta på hverandres- invitere hverandre. Dele. Ha en stor gruppechat... mer kontinuerlig tilstedeværelse, med demonstrasjoner. Kanskje en markering for menneske verd annen hver uke- det kan favne om mange organisasjoner. Alle har hver sin strategi- vi burde koordinere mer. Kontinuitet!!!! Kan vi gjøre mer som dette folkemøtet. Politikere lytter til tall- kanskje satse koordinerte underskriftskampanjer. Ha tid til å prate med hverandre og tenke og reflektere sammen. Vi trenger en stor forandring. Kontinuitet. Støtte hverandre på tvers av organisasjoner og bevegelser. Utrolig bra og knytte de sammen. Sammen = sterkere. Unngå name and shame. Vi må finne vår comon event- ikke ta hverandre. Tusen takk for at dere har arrangert dette folkemøtet, XR. Veldig fruktbart.

⇒ **FRIENDLY CARIBOU** 8/21/25 4:44PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

People not talking with eachother, echo chambers, polarization. The will to refute other people opinions without trying to understand

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

To step down usage of social media. Scrolling and isolating ourselves is really harmful. You can use it as a tool, but not as a substitute for social interaction.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

First of all vote. second of all show up! Step out of your comfort zone and expose yourself to new environments. You probably have some Facebook events where you are «interested». Find them and show up, alone or with a friend, with an open mind. (The open mind part is important, everyone thinks their open minded) This could help fight polarization and isolation.

⇒ **AGILE TOAD** 8/21/25 4:43PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Focus more on nature and people around us, changing capitalism and patriarchy, the logic of taking decision at a very high level start making decision at a local level, where people know what they need. Create citizens assemblies where you invite a lot of different groups (minorities), and let everyone be heard there and find out what everyone agrees on together and how we can go on together. Acknowledge that we are long way away from the finish line, and that work needs to be done in all countries. We need to force politicians to realise that they have to keep their promises.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Voting!!! The whole system needs to be dismantled and put in a whole new system; rethink politics. Joining movements to show politicians and other civilians that there is a problem. Building organisations that know how to create action and change and alternative ways of living/a new system. Listen to the people, that is what politics is for! Tax the rich. Shake people up and educate them, because a lot of people don't get information about climate, indigenous people are being repressed etc. This could be done using social media, stands in the street.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Media attention, especially for regions where there are not many people, because it is then easily ignored. Besides media attention, most important is more people standing against the problem. This could be done by communicating with large organisations in larger regions, which can then have protest etc. in larger cities to get more attention for it. A lot of contact between multiple organisations; asking one organisations if they are able to inform others. Using social media accounts from different countries (for example extinction rebellion has different instagram accounts for different countries so then something could be posted on all those accounts). Telling each other what we need (for example through social media) maybe you find someone who can help you with what you need. Trying to get big organisations to organise the trip to a place that is in need, so that it is easier accessible for the protesters to go there. Organise events with as many organisations together as possible, so that as many people come together.

⇒ **ANONYMOUS** 8/21/25 4:40PM

Awesome Cool Group

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Its better to communicate, welcome and educate others in order to get better engagement and better participation or interest. We should stop shaming people and actively recruit new activists

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Invite and be more open to people. Actively recruit people you know to get more people to speak up and out. Use door to door outreach and give people concrete asks.

Inspired by Zohran Mamdani

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Giving people concrete tasks if already involved, organising camps with workshops ending in actions to recruit and get activity, uniting with other issues and not overshadowing them so that we can find a common ground.

⇒ **UNUSUAL MEERKAT** 8/21/25 4:36PM

Degrotwth commism

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Highlighting what change can be meaningful. How a positive climate transition can benefit all and leave no-one behind. Include the voices of people not in our movement, get out of our bumble.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Listening better to others. Work with trade unions. Student movements. Fun activism.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

People's assemblies, staying in contact with others. Believe compromise and incremental change can amount to meaningful transition. Be engage in local politics.

⇒ **BUSY BEETLE** 8/21/25 4:26PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Systemic change, the way we organise and our democracy. More people power. No power elite. Money shouldnt be the insentive to everything, end capitalism and colonialism. All issues can be traced to the system. Saying we need systemic change can be very vague though; what do we want to build? Reignite the feeling that everyone has power, making people able to think for themselves, imagination. Power to people instead of money. Hard to imagine a world without money. We need to see and imagine the alternatives.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Lot of different things-focus or awareness on the stories we tell to ourselves and public narratives. Change and use narratives. Change isn't going to happen without people wanting it. Starting small and building community, creates a solid foundation. Question what makes a good life. Set example by self sustaining communities, not isolated but inspirational. Find way to collaborate between reformist and revolutionaries, so both within and outside the system. Lot of people want change but have gotten discouraged. Diversity of tactics. Create alternative systems now, create alternatives to Meta for example. Engage more in the worker struggles, make change seem plausible and attractive and present, paint utopias and lay the pragmatic steps to get there

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Imagine a world without capitalism, imagine alternatives economies, experimentation. Proposing alternatives and spread them wide, not just reacting to events. Sustainable movement, not burn out and take care of ourselves. Making activism fun and create a good community, something people want to be a part of and can stay in for long, centering joy and love. Creating connections between group. Stuff like this event helps create a wider movement. More education about global issues and movements. Working with unions to promote another ideal of life, shorter work weeks for an example.

⇒ **CONFIDENT DRAGONFLY** 8/21/25 4:24PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

- Stop genocide in Gaza
- Stop Climate Crisis
- No Colonies
- Meet offline, far away from controlled social media platforms
- Community spaces
- Stop Capitalism, start experimenting with alternative economies
- Peace work
- Question Gender-related topics and end patriarchal structures
- reconnect to the land (grow food)

- Stop telling old narratives
- More perspectives and knowledge from indigenous peoples
- From individual to communal

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

- The people and the potential is there - use spaces and resources (e.g. unemployment websites/volunteer websites) to onboard more people -> get more people into activist fields
- Building relationships- learn from Grassroot Organisations: Triangel of people-power-change, mapping who is active in what (accessibility), get together in nice/lovely environments and with coffee
- Communities where people feel welcome and like they can change something with their strengths/talents
- Build spaces/rooms for people to express their feelings without talking about solutions
- Build physical spaces for get-togethers
- Groups should have growth at core-campaign
- Skillsharing and knowledge sharing -> make skills and knowledge easily available and accessible

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

- high tolerance for different opinions -> focus on goals that connect us, don't talk too much about theories
- Recognise that no one organisation is going to make it alone -> no organisational patriotism and acknowledge that other work (community/family/educational/artistic) is important as well (social movement ecology)
- Committing to building relationships
- Communication

⇒ **HELPFUL CATERPILLAR** 8/21/25 4:15PM

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Less violence, more talking; system change; educational equity

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Get out of our bubble, more CO2 sanctions, try to create a movement, make figures of oil industry public

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

Link different topics and problem areas with each other (e.g. climate & anti capitalism), mobilize youth (schools)

⇒ **SHY PORCUPINE** 8/21/25 4:14PM

good vibes group

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

phase out oil. we need to have a plan. its connected to power. decision making, it is urgent. we need to address reasons for why they are so fearful to stop the process and learn how to sit with that. exorcism is suggested.

its a bit difficult and complex in norway because we associate socialism with oil here and it is supposed to benefit everyone. famous philosopher. cultural gratitude to oil. denial of nature. maybe connected to norwegian identity. we have grown up with it. we may have to change how we identify ourselves other than oil

there is a value mismatch. we need to educate on how we live off oil and its profits.

norwegians have a fear of comfort loss. quality of life reduction fear.

we have so many workplaces in oil is a common argument. we need to change the workplaces, move them.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

technical solutions like co2 are portrayed as alternative solutions. they are focused on rather than the phasing out of oil. we should search for other solutions as well. but this is difficult. we need to explore and then find a good solution. investment of the best solution the solutions we currently have are within the current system. they may not work in the long term

work. we may have to change the system instead.

maybe small amount of people are holding on to the oil power but it affects for people all over the world, also indigenous people. Norwegians should take responsibility.

people should know this is interfering with democracy because people are holding on to oil.

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

gatherings with people. across organizations. more panels. and do collaborations. we should talk to each other. and know of each other. increase the existence.

show up for each other activities and events.

↩ **ADVENTUROUS JAGUAR** 8/21/25 3:48PM

students of university of oslo

Group number

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What do we agree needs to be changed?

Peoples attitudes to change - less of a 'doomsday' attitude, instead a more positive and progressive attitude to bring out change.

How can we work together to bring about this necessary change from now and over the next five years?

Education, more accessible and safe places within education and work to freely expression opinions

What is most important for us to do now in order to bring together the strength of our various organizations and movements?

By joining a movement and recognizing the common values and struggles and how interlinked they are.

↩ **OTTERPOND** 8/21/25 3:42PM

Peace and green

