

# HALIFAX WORKERS' ACTION CENTRE

Educate. Agitate. Organize.



## CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE: **HALIFAXWAC.CA**

More and more workers are reaching out to the Halifax Workers' Action Centre for support. While our new website took time to develop - and is still a work in progress - it is already helping us keep up with the growing demand. Now, anyone wishing to speak to an organizer can complete our **online intake form** and we will be in touch. Of course, phone and email are still available options.

The new website is also a platform where workers can find basic information about their workplace rights. Resources and print-outs will be added and updated regularly. Stay tuned!

## FILM SCREENING: **SEPTEMBER 8th**

The Halifax WAC - alongside the CCPA-N.S., the N.S. Federation of Labour, the Halifax-Dartmouth & District Labour Council, Justice for Workers N.S., No One Is Illegal-Halifax/Kjipuktuk, and the Halifax Public Libraries - will be participating in a screening of the Canadian documentary **'THE GIG IS UP'**. The film explores the true costs of the platform economy through the eyes of people working for companies like Uber, Amazon and Deliveroo.

We will be joined for a panel discussion by Shannon Walsh (film director), Jason Edwards (Halifax WAC volunteer Labour Lawyer), Suzanne MacNeil (organizer with Justice for Workers N.S. & Jabesa Hika (Rideshare Driver).

Join us **Thursday, September 8th at 6:30 pm**. The event is free to attend, both online or in person. To attend online, register **here**. No registration is required to attend in-person at **the Halifax Central Library**.





## THANK YOU TO THE HALIFAX WAC

*"Lawyers in Nova Scotia are expensive. Even with one, Small Claims processes, labour standards matters, and human rights complaints can be obscure and almost always stressful.*

*Without the Halifax WAC, I wouldn't have been able to stand up for my rights.*

*The staff and volunteers at Halifax WAC helped me with every single step by providing information and support and were impressively conscientious with keeping in touch. My situation, which I'd expected to drag out for nearly a year, came to a satisfactory conclusion within four months.*

*I'm so grateful for them. If there's ever a way I can pay it forward, you can bet I will."*

- Elizabeth

## JOIN US ON LABOUR DAY!

Labour Day is a day to celebrate the improvements workers have won *and* join together for fair working future.

Join us at the Halifax Dartmouth and District Labour Council Labour Day Celebration! We will meet at **11am at the Nova Scotia Labour Board** (1601 Lower Water Street) and march together to Peace and Friendship Park, Hollis Street for entertainment, snacks, face painting, and a bouncy castle!



The Halifax WAC needs more funds to keep going and growing.

*All donations help us help workers fight back!*

## DONATE TODAY

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