



Ideas for Troy Davis Solidarity Actions

Troy Davis was denied clemency by the Georgia Board of Pardons and Paroles on Friday, September 12. They can reconsider this decision, and we are calling on them to do so. We are encouraging solidarity actions on Thursday September 18. The main purpose of your solidarity action, in addition to demonstrating your support for justice for Troy Davis, is to generate as many emails and faxes to them as possible.

ALL EMAILS AND FAXES MUST BE SENT TO THE BOARD IMMEDIATELY!

Georgia State Board of Pardons & Paroles

Email: Clemency_Information@pap.state.ga.us

Phone: (404) 657-9350

Fax: (404) 651-8502

You can email a letter to the Board from our website at: www.amnestyusa.org/troydavis

You, and everyone at your event, can spread the word by texting “troy” to 90999; you will get a return text telling you how to take action that you can forward to all your friends!

(Please email troyanthonydavis@gmail.com with a description of your action and an estimate of how many emails, letters and faxes your action generated.)

Here are some ideas for solidarity events. Since time is so short, organizing some of these may not be possible. Remember, you don't have to do anything fancy or elaborate. Just do something!

- Organize an information table with literature on the death penalty. Hand out Troy Davis fact sheets and provide a laptop for people to send emails or faxes via the online action. Let everyone know about the text action.
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- Organize a letter-writing event. Letters must be faxed to the Board immediately. Let everyone know about the text action.
- Organize a teach-in or panel discussion on the death penalty. Hand out Troy Davis fact sheets and provide a laptop for people to send emails or faxes via the online action. Let everyone know about the text action. If letter writing is encouraged, letters must be faxed to the Georgia Board of Pardons and Paroles immediately.
- Organize a public demonstration calling for clemency for Troy Davis. Such an event could include speakers), banners, candles, or even music. Hand out Troy Davis fact sheets and provide a laptop for people to send emails or faxes via the online action. Let everyone know about the text action.