

sanctuary solidarity a future for us all

7,000 asylum seekers do not make a crisis. Over-turning existing asylum laws, deploying 7,000 armed troops, and assembling detention camps does. A militarized border forces migrants to seek extra-legal routes for crossing the border, leaving them more vulnerable to exposure, dehydration, human traffickers, and exploitative employers. Border militarization translates into tens of millions of dollars pouring into the pockets of private contractors: war profiteers, surveillance companies, private prison corporations, and others who profit off of crisis and suffering.

We are determined to forge different modes of life: life premised on solidarity, compassion, humanity, and collective liberation. We see this vision in the self-organization of the asylum-seekers, in the support and hospitality the asylum-seekers have received in Mexico City, in the autonomous support networks that spring into being after disasters. We see it in the forms of sharing elaborated at every occupation, camp, and blockade that emerges in struggle against the capitalist borders, pipelines, and detention centers that cut across our communities and divide our lives.

This is a moment to act in material solidarity with the asylum seekers. This is a moment to spread thin the power of the border patrol and the fascists. We must give the migrant caravan a fighting chance. Caravan south or organize in your hometown. The border must be abolished.



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