

RIGHT² WATER 1.11.14

LOCAL DEMONSTRATION
SATURDAY

TIME:

ASSEMBLE:

WATER IS A HUMAN RIGHT

The national Right2Water demonstration on October 11th brought Dublin to a standstill.

With more than 100,000 people taking part, it was a huge success. As the government have ignored the people's wishes, this historic protest is now being followed up in every community around the country on Saturday, 1/11/14. We will be charged for the water we already fund through our general taxation system. The first bills will hit our letter boxes in January and we need to act now.



Right2Water: Who are we?

Right2Water is a citizen's campaign. We believe water is a human right and we want water charges abolished. The people have decided to call a mass protest in all communities across Ireland.

Irish Water or private water?

Water should be a public good rather than a private commodity. Privatisation is not in the people's best interests, it leads to increases in charges – as has been the case with bin services.

Low and middle income households will be hit hardest.

The Irish people cannot afford water charges. The Irish people are struggling with debt and bills. Making Irish water a commodity will be detrimental to Ireland's recovery. Paying twice for water is a step too far. Cities such as Paris have resisted and reversed this move. We can do the same.

What you can do.

If you believe that water is a human right and should never be privatised, join your local campaign and continue to protest until water charges are abolished. To get involved visit www.right2water.ie.