

# The People's Platform©

A Movement for Extensive Political & Social Reform in Ireland:

Your country, your future, your choice!



## The People's Platform combines an Unwhipped Political Party and a Support System for Independent Candidates

who support the Guiding Principles and Principle Objectives of the People's Platform Constitution<sup>1</sup>. The party and supported Independents are to adhere to the guiding principles and principle objectives, uphold the Constitution of Ireland, and ideally come together as a grouping and voting block within the Dáil.

**Our country has and is being sold out** before our eyes by various combinations of compromised whipped political parties. Waste of our taxes and corruption are now the norm, and deception of the public a given. We now have a massive housing & accommodation crisis; the economy in massive debt, a health care crisis, job losses, small businesses shut down and sold out to multinationals, inflation, unsound banks in which deposits are not safe. Control must be returned to the people and representatives who will solve these issues which impact every facet of life. True and lasting reform only happens when the whipped and compromised of Dáil Éireann, Seanad Éireann and Local Government are removed and *real representatives of the people* are elected.

**The Mission:** To begin the process of returning control of the country & decision-making process to the people of Ireland, via a publicly accountable, unwhipped political party, the People's Platform, and independent candidates supported by the Movement. Returning control to the people is the only way to bring about the extensive political and social reform required i.e. end the waste and corruption, end the quangos, support job creation and the indigenous economy, reform the construction industry to provide houses and accommodation, establish ethical safe public banks etc. etc.<sup>1</sup> The process, by which community candidates can be chosen, supported and held accountable in this new system of self-governance/consultative-participatory democracy, will be published on our website.

**Principal Objectives:** (1 to 6 here, see website<sup>1</sup> for 7 to 23)

1. To end the control of the Country, the Dáil and Local Government by compromised whipped political parties and their corporate and other masters.
2. To establish the first truly unwhipped Irish political party, the People's Platform.
3. To create a Support Structure for Independent Candidates who support the Guiding Principles & Principal Objectives of the People's Platform.
4. To replace compromised whipped party politicians with community selected ones who represent, and are *accountable* to their constituents, via a system of self-governance/consultative democracy.
5. To continue to develop and establish the 'Committees for Reform' and bring on board Irish and International expertise to develop solutions and policy for use by the party and the independent candidates.
6. To ensure the Constitution of Ireland is upheld in its entirety in all business of the Dáil, by all institutions in, and of the State, and by public servants of the State.

## Membership Application:

I, the undersigned, accept and understand, that by becoming a member of the unwhipped People's Platform Party, I commit to support, promote and campaign for the party's aims and objectives, and that by signing this membership form, I declare that *I do not hold*, and *will not* while a member hold, secret oaths to any organisation, grouping or entity.

**Name:**

**Address:**

**Mobile Phone No.**

**Email (please print)**

## Skills

By becoming a member of the People's Platform I agree that my details will be used for party political purposes, as outlined in the People's Platform privacy notice.

## Signature

Are you interested in developing the Movement & Party at a local level in your Town, City, County or Province?

Have you expertise and the willingness to input or participate on one of the Committees for Reform? (See website for details)

Would you consider becoming an election candidate?

If nominated would you run in a local or national election?

**Membership fee:** Waged: €20/£20/\$20; Unwaged: €5/£5/\$5.

Payment by Cash (receipt issued), Cheque, Postal Order or online through website at PeoplesPlatform.ie

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