



Emancipation of the Public against the Neo-Nazis: Protect the Disabled

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The paper brings your attention to the proposed establishment in Western Pennsylvania with the purpose to establish a summer camp for children and youth (K-12) with disabilities. The issue at hand is that White Supremacists and Neo-Nazis have been marching down the streets of Pennsylvania protesting against people with disability (Smith, 2017, para.1). Fortunately, these protests have been met with counter- reactions in equal measure especially the Black disabled community. The intolerant White Supremacists and the Neo-Nazis have grave concerns about disabled people with color. These groups since time in memorial have had sentiments of a 'strong white race' (para. 3). White supremacy experienced mainstream attention when it was adopted by Adolf Hitler (German- dictator) who forcibly sterilized thousands of Jews in order to manipulate their offspring genetically (para. 5). Persons with disability are humans too and deserve social protection. Saving you the details, the main concern is that the summer camp you proposed is at the heart of these protests. I have put across extensive measures that can be taken by the organization to rally the locals against the White Supremacists and Neo-Nazis.

Firstly, I propose complete involvement of the public in social schemes involving people with disabilities. Therefore, the organization should organize events that support the participation of the disabled without discrimination. These activities will include marathons, football, and swimming tournaments. The first of these activities should be a marathon dubbed 'Running for the Disabled' which as forecasted will bring many locals together. The marathon will be all- inclusive and there will no categories that segregate the disabled. Also, the locals will turn up in large numbers to run for a course that protects the disabled. The winners from the marathon will be given cash awards and proceeds from the marathon can go to the support camp. Consequently, the marathon will enable interaction between the locals and the disabled. Also, it will create a sense of belonging to the disabled and make the locals view them as human too, therefore, a step forward towards tilting the balance against the White Supremacists and Neo-Nazis.

Secondly, the organization should involve the participation of the Government and other relevant international forces. The Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) of 1948, UN Convention on Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD), and International Covenant on Social, Economic, and Cultural Rights (ICESR) clearly stipulate that the less privileged are entitled to social protection and equal standards of living without discrimination (Social Protection, 2018). The organization will contact elected leaders for Pennsylvania especially Governor Tom Wolf who will present the plight of the disabled to the National Assembly. The Senate and the National Assembly can also enact laws that protect the targeted groups. Intolerance towards the disabled and violation of the acts and laws that protect the disabled should be met with full force of the law. Prior to our 'Public Hearing' forum, we will advise the governor to convene a rally with the protection of the disabled being his main agenda.

Thirdly, since the protests are directed towards majorly the disabled people of color, the organization should hold peaceful demonstrations where both the white and black disabled people will march through the streets side by side. The coverage of these protests is very important to impart the message of equality to the locals. The protests should be systematic and periodically carried out on different streets of Pennsylvania within a span of two weeks before the planned meeting. The protesting groups should use loudspeakers and charts with messages against the Neo-Nazis and the White Supremacists. The aim for such protests will be to reach as many locals as possible. In addition, the organization should deploy people to the ground (especially volunteers) that will walk door- to- door propagating the message against the Nazis.

Furthermore, the organization should employ electronic and print media in its campaign activities. These will include newspapers, flyers, radio, and television stations. First and foremost the organization should seek airtime in one of the local TV stations where you will be required to speak to the press about the issue at hand. Your final remarks should include a statement that urges and enlightens the locals about Neo-Nazism activities that are likely to disrupt the establishment of the support camp. Also, the company can publish an article in the

local dailies on the same pejoratively describing white- supremacy activities and how the welfare of the disabled youth and children in the area is at stake. In addition, the organization should print flyers and distribute them to the locals bringing to their attention the plight of the disabled and also inviting them to the scheduled meeting. The company's website can use Search Engine Optimization (SEO) to drive traffic of particularly the locals of Pennsylvania. The website should be developed to provide information about the same by just clicking on the landing page.

More contemporarily, the organization should use social media platforms such as Facebook, Twitter, and Whats-app to relay the message. There has been a heated discussion on the social media platforms about prejudices against the less privileged. For instance, the organization can form Whats-app groups and Facebook pages where the locals can discuss and come up with holistic solutions to protecting these groups. Also, the organization can use its Twitter handle to come up with hashtags on the issue; these hashtags can trend therefore garnering sympathizers for the less privileged not only in Pennsylvania but also internationally. Lastly, the organization can use billboards with posters on the radicalization measures that should be taken against Neo-Nazis. In conclusion, the 200-acre land was bought recently and the proposed program is at jeopardy, the organization should act with utmost efficiency to solve the problem.

Invitation Flyer

**ATTENTION! ATTENTION! ATTENTION**

**PEOPLE FOR THE DISABLED**

**YOU ARE BEING INVITED TO A PUBLIC HEARING AT NEINZ FIELD**

**AT 3: PM ON 28<sup>TH</sup> SEPT. 2018**



**COME SUPPORT CHILDREN WITH DISABILITY AGAISNT THE NEO- NAZIS**

**STOP THE NEO- NAZIS AND WHITE SUPREMACISTS!!!!!!!!!!**

Fig. 1 shows the flyer for the invitation of the locals to the 'Public Hearing'.

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