

ANGELA RAYNER AND LABOUR STOP ATTACKING WORKERS.

IT'S TIME TO GET IN THE ROOM AND DELIVER.

WHAT IS HAPPENING?

- Hundreds of Birmingham refuse workers are on strike against pay cuts of up to £8,000.
- They are now being threatened with tactics like "fire and rehire".
- Labour's Angela Rayner is the Minister responsible and Unite has been told that her government commissioners are blocking a deal.
- She is missing in action. She has refused to negotiate and is hiding behind the people she employs.



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WHY IS THERE A DISPUTE?

- Government commissioners are blocking any deal and supporting the Council, who are trying to impose massive pay cuts on working class refuse staff.
- They are exaggerating the risk of any equal pay claim to try and stop a deal being reached and to cut pay.
- Loaders are facing a pay cut of up to £8,000 due to their role being deleted.
- And drivers are now also being threatened with a huge pay cut, again of up to £8,000.
- Reality is that this is austerity "Mark 2". And once again it's the workers who are being asked to pay for a mess they did not create.
- Meanwhile Government Commissioners are being paid up to £1,200 per day and Councillors allowances are due to rise again.

WHAT COULD ANGELA RAYNER AND THE GOVERNMENT DO?

- Angela Rayner could tell her commissioners to get out of the way and negotiate a deal.
- The Labour Government are profiting from the Council's debt by hiking interest rates.
- The Government is making £9 million per year from hiking interest rate payments on the Council's debt.
- The Labour Government should stop ripping off the people of Birmingham and immediately renegotiate debt payments.

WHAT DO THE REFUSE WORKERS WANT?

Our members are not asking for a pay rise, they just want the Government to stop attacking workers and for Angela Rayner to negotiate a settlement.

- **NO CUT IN INCOME FOR ALL THOSE AFFECTED.**
- **THREATS OF COMPULSORY REDUNDANCY TO BE DROPPED.**
- **NO VICTIMISATION OF MEMBERS ON STRIKE.**



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