

Other findings include:

- **73%** reported being harassed by Police without them using ANY law.
- **83%** reported being harassed by private security.
- **62%** reported that their harassment, citation or arrest was because they “appeared homeless.”
- **27%** reported having bench warrants issued for their arrest.
- **6%** felt that police always respect their rights

We then asked:

Do you know of places where it is safe and legal for you to sleep outside?

- **65%** No
- **35%** Yes

We also spoke to people about what the harassment and profiling looked like:

Do you think that you have been ticketed because of your...

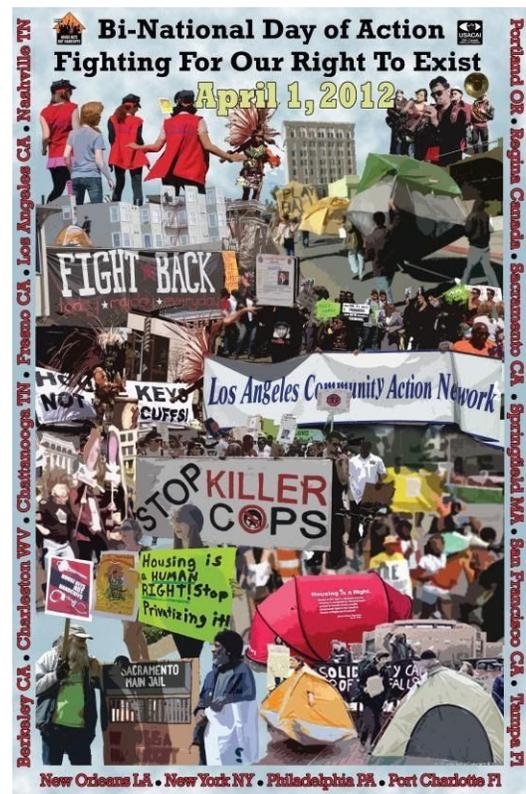
- **76%** economic status
- **31%** race
- **30%** gender
- **28%** disability

Do police sometimes harass you without using the law?

- **73%** Yes
- **22%** No
- **5%** Don't Know

Have you ever seen or encountered private security guards hassling people, ordering people away, or otherwise policing public sidewalks parks?

- **83%** Yes
- **15%** No
- **3%** Don't Know



or



WESTERN REGIONAL ADVOCACY PROJECT

2940 16TH STREET, SUITE 200-2, SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103

TEL: 415-621-2533 / EMAIL: WRAP@WRAPHOME.ORG / WEB: WWW.WRAPHOME.ORG