DISRUPTION IN THE PUBLIC SQUARE
FERGUSON UPRISING  2014
BLACK LIVES MATTER
THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION
WOMEN’S MARCH
RALLY FOR REFUGEES
PUERTO RICO HURRICANE RELIEF
DEFENDING
MARCH
FOR OUR
LIVES
WHY **DISRUPTION** AS A STRATEGY?

- Raising public consciousness
- Pushing for legislative action
- Supporting those most impacted to be the leaders of the change we need
WHOSE VOICE MATTERS?

WHO GETS SUPPORT?
WHY?
I'M WALKING OUT BECAUSE...
MY SAFETY IN SCHOOL IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN ANYONE'S RIGHT TO WIN A GUN

I'M WALKING OUT BECAUSE...
SCHOOL SHOULD BE A SAFE HAVEN BUT IT ISN'T...
DEMANDS

● Teachers and staff that look like us: meaning Black and Latinx teachers that reflect the student demographic.

● Curriculum that honors our histories and teaches our stories.

● Mental health supports and services. More guidance counselors, school counselors, and people in our schools invested in our well-being and our futures.

● Restorative justice: this type of justice will be totally opposite from the current discipline systems in our schools that send us down the school-to-prison pipeline, which ultimately leads to the mass incarceration of majority Black and brown people.

● Police out of our schools.

● In our larger world, we need a systematic and global end to white supremacy.
IF YOU ARE NOT FUNDING DISRUPTION THEN YOU ARE FUNDING THE STATUS QUO.