

Date completed: _____

Occupy Atlanta Jail Support Form

1. Legal name: _____ 2. Date of birth: _____

1a. Preferred name: _____ 3. Gender: _____

4. Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone #: _____

Medical Concerns (Medications, Illnesses, Diet):

Other Concerns (including previous record or outstanding warrants):

Who should we call if you get arrested or there's an emergency?

1) Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone#: _____
Call them immediately (even if it's 3am): Yes No (Wait until a reasonable time.)
What should we tell them?(circle) "I've been arrested." "Come bail me out."
"Pick me up when I'm released." "Don't mention jail. Just say I'll be out of touch."
Other _____

2) Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone#: _____
Call them immediately (even if it's 3am): Yes No (Wait until a reasonable time.)
What should we tell them?(circle) "I've been arrested." "Come bail me out."
"Pick me up when I'm released." "Don't mention jail. Just say I'll be out of touch."
Other _____

People who can verify your community ties. (This can help with getting released faster or with a lower bond.)

	Name	Phone #
Work:		
School:		
Home:		
Other:		

Can we release your name to the media once the arrest is confirmed? Yes No

Could you contribute to your own bail? Yes No If yes, how much? _____

This is not a commitment to contribute to bail. It just helps us figure out how much we need.

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Instructions for Jail Support Form

If you plan to risk arrest at all, complete this form and give it to someone you trust who will NOT be at the protests, like a friend, roommate, or legal committee support person. DO NOT BRING IT TO THE PROTESTS. You can still do direct action even if you don't fill out the form; this form will help the jail support and legal committees to support you better. The form is voluntary and you may leave any of the questions blank. The purpose of the form is to have information available that may help if you're arrested. Don't write anything that could be used as evidence against you. The first four questions on this form are also booking questions. Answering them in jail will probably speed up your release. For any other questions cops ask you, say, "I'm going to remain silent. I want to see a lawyer."

1. Name (Booking) - Lawyers usually need your name or some other identifying information to visit you in jail. If you have a preferred name (nick name), please write that down as well.

2. D.O.B. (Booking) - Your legal support should not reveal your age to the arresting agency. If you're under eighteen you may be moved to a juvenile detention facility, even if you'd rather stay with your friends in the adult jail.

3. Gender (Booking) - Your gender will usually be assigned by what the arresting agency believes your gender to be. Generally you will be kept in custody with people of that gender. It is useful for your legal support to know where you may be housed. Some jails have policies regarding housing for transgender people but most do not. If you believe that you will face discrimination because of your gender please put this on the form.

4. Address (Booking) - A judge may release you with no bail if you give a verifiable local address. See #10.

Email & Phone - This will help you organize legal support with the rest of Occupy Atlanta.

Medical Concerns - Most activists are cited and released within a few hours of arrest - but you may be in jail for days. Please indicate any other medical conditions you want your legal support to be aware of.

Other Concerns - If there are any other reasons your time in custody may be more complicated, or make it likely that you will not be treated like other arrestees, please let your legal support know.

Other people to contact - Let your legal support know if there is anyone who should be contacted if you are in custody for an extended period. For example: employer, childcare, pet sitter, etc. We can't guarantee that we will contact these people, but we'll try.

Community ties - This question may help your legal support help you get released if you are not cited out.

Media: Your name will be available to the public once you have been processed. However, we will always do our best to respect your privacy. If you do not want your name released to the media **by us**, please let us know.

Bond (bail): Occupy Atlanta will do our best to cover bond of people who get arrested in Occupy-related actions. We do have a specific donation account set up for people who would like to contribute to this effort. If you are able to assist Occupy in these efforts by covering your own bond, please indicate this and how much you believe you would be able to contribute. Even \$10 can help.