## Petition in Support of Street Church Ministries

We the undersigned come together in support of Street Church in light of the unfair treatment in matters relating to serving the needs of the poor. We speak against what we have witnessed as being blatant displays of inappropriate uses of power, suppression of "guaranteed fundamental freedoms", the ongoing systematic persecution of Street Church volunteers, their supporters and "clients", in the form of unnecessary ticketing, unprecedented presence of officers, and many acts of open intimidation. We ask that the City of Calgary and its various departments will allow Street Church ministries to operate without harassment, unhindered in their efforts to serve the needs of the poor. By signing this petition we state that the ministry has demonstrated its value in saving physical lives, by providing necessities such as food clothes and shelter, and providing for the spiritual needs of their clients, which every human being is entitled to. We plead with the City officials to engage their compassion and to stop these unnecessary tactics which have hindered Street Church Ministries. We fully support the efforts of this ministry as they work at confronting major issues facing our city. We not only fully support Street Church in their efforts to provide the necessities of life to the needy, but see the use of amplification as an essential tool to communicate the message of Jesus Christ, a message of hope for the hopeless.

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