



HomeNet International Stands in Solidarity with Workers in Ukraine

HomeNet International, representing over 600,000 home-based workers in the informal economy from 36 organisations across 20 countries, stands in solidarity with workers in Ukraine, especially women informal economy workers, who will be the worst affected by war. The war has already taken the lives of many people, both civilians and soldiers, and disrupted the lives and livelihoods of thousands of people in Ukraine.

We especially stand together in solidarity with our comrade and sister Oksana Abboud, the International Coordinator of StreetNet International, who is in Ukraine and despite the danger to her and her family, continues to lead the international street vendors movement.

We are still recovering from the onslaught of the pandemic and war brings more hardship for the workers of Ukraine and for Russian workers too, taking up resources that could have been put towards recovery and support for the people, rather than war.

We believe in democracy, we believe in peace and we urge leaders of the countries to come together and dialogue to achieve lasting peace and democracy in the region.

