The Pruitt-Igoe Myth
Documentary Film

Screening
November 30, 4pm
Labor Center 110

Light refreshments served

This film busts the myth of public housing’s failure - a myth which has been used to stigmatize poor people of color and to attack public assistance programs. The film sets the record straight by analyzing the interests involved in the creation and destruction of the most iconic modern housing project, Pruitt-Igoe in St. Louis.

After the film we will hear from Hashim Benford, Lead Organizer at the Miami Workers Center (and FIU alumni) about some of the social justice struggles of public housing residents in Miami.

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