



## Safe Passage: What Can You Do?

### ❖ RAISE AWARENESS ABOUT THE CAMPAIGN

- Distribute Safe Passage **badges and leaflets** in your community! Contact Nasc to collect some or get some posted to you.
- **Sign a postcard!** Sign one yourself and then get all your friends, family, and colleagues to sign one too. Bring them back in bulk to Nasc and we will post them to the Minister. Get creative about how signatures are collected – use a decorated shoe box, take some photos, etc. Contact Nasc to get postcards.
- **Use Social Media:** Take a photo of yourself or make a short video with a message stating you support the #SafePassage campaign and put it up on your social media accounts. Share Daner's Story – available here: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c\\_9J3oYhOSs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c_9J3oYhOSs). If you are a migrant or refugee and directly affected by this issue, share your story!



#### **A FEW SOCIAL MEDIA TIPS:**

- *Keep messages positive and focused on families. Take a photo of your family at a gathering like a holiday or family dinner.*
- *Please be sensitive about taking photos of other – especially children! Always ask permission before posting.*
- *Be sure to tag Nasc! And use the hashtag #safepassage*

- Host a **Safe Passage Workshop** in your local community – Nasc will help you to organise it and come to the event to give some info and answer questions.

### ❖ CONTACT YOUR LOCAL POLITICIANS

- **Write a letter!** Nasc have an easy template to use (available on our Safe Passage Campaign page) or write a personal letter from the heart calling on your TDs, Senators and local Councillors to support the campaign.
- **Visit your local politicians** and bring them a campaign leaflet

❖ **SIGN THE PETITION** – Available here: <https://www.change.org/p/tanaiste-frances-fitzgerald-introduce-safe-passage-to-provide-humanitarian-admission-for-families-fleeing-conflict>

❖ **IDENTIFY POSSIBLE SPONSORS IN YOUR COMMUNITY** – In the next few months, we will be establishing a Sponsorship Pledge List. Help identify people now who may be interested in committing money, a job, a house or other supports for a family reunification application in the future.