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Legislative Action Alert



**Please call your U.S. Senators and Congressmen to urge action on these bills.
Toll-free number for Congressional switchboard: 800-517-5696 or 866-220-0044**

AFGHANISTAN: Please contact Rep. Pascrell and Rep. Rothman and ask them to support Rep. Barbara Lee's "Responsible End to the War in Afghanistan Act" (H.R. 780). H.R. 780 states that all funds made available for operations in Afghanistan be used only for the safe and orderly withdrawal of U.S. military personnel and DOD contractor personnel in Afghanistan.

MOVE THE MONEY: CUT THE MILITARY BUDGET: NJPA has Move the Money postcards to send to Senator Lautenberg and Senator Menendez, & Reps. Frelinghuysen, Garrett, Lance, Pascrell, Payne, Rothman, and Sires. Download from our website (www.njpeaceaction.org) or call 973-259-1126 to order yours today!

Quote for the Season . . .

"The US is peculiar among industrialized democracies in the massive war budget it passes every year, and in its constant war-making. There is every reason to think that the bloated Pentagon budget actually drags the U.S. into wars. Much of the money is given out to private contractors, who use it to lobby Congress for wars whereby the contractors can make more money. And, having a lot of shiny new military toys creates an impetus to use them before they become outmoded and the comparative advantage that they bestow is lost."—Juan Cole, "Informed Consent," 6/12/11

~LEAVE A LEGACY~

Help perpetuate your commitment to peace and justice by remembering New Jersey Peace Action in your will. Bequests and life insurance to the NJPA Education Fund are tax-deductible. For more information on planned giving options, please contact us at 973-259-1126.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Check the calendar on our website, www.njpeaceaction.org for frequent updates on upcoming events.

- Sat. July 4** **March in the Montclair July 4th Parade.** Please contact the office, if you are interested in marching in the NJ Peace Action contingent.
- Sat. July 30** **NJ Peace Action Annual Membership Meeting.** For NJ Peace Action members only. St. Peter Claver Church, Montclair. Potluck lunch 12:30 to 1:30; Membership Meeting 1:30 to 3:30. Contact the NJ Peace Action office at: 973-279-1126 or nj_peaceaction@yahoo.com for more information.
- Aug. 6–9** Remembrances of the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki. Stay tuned for details.
- Sun. Aug. 7** **Cranford Peace Fair.** Details on the fair are still to be confirmed. Check our website for updated information.
- Sat. Aug. 20** **Tabling at 36th Annual Cleawater Festival.** 11:30 to 7 pm at Sunset Park on Main Street, between Fifth and Sunset Streets in Asbury Park. If you are interested in volunteering at the NJPA table, contact the NJPA office.
- Labor Day Weekend**
- Sept. 3-5** Haledon Labor Day Parade on Sunday, Sept. 4th and Rutherford Street Fair on Monday, Sept. 5th. Details will be forthcoming. Contact the NJPA office for more information.
- Sat. Sept. 24** House Party for NJ Peace Action featuring historian and NJ Peace Action Member **Nell Irvin Painter** presenting on her 2010 book, *The History of White People*. Save the date. Location and time to be announced.
- Sept. 24-25** Tabling at Bloomfield Harvest Fest. Call NJPA if you'd like to volunteer.
- Fri. Oct. 21** School of the Holy Angels in Demarest will hold a Peace Site Dedication.
- Sat. Nov. 12 or 19** **NJPA Annual Soup Luncheon**, featuring Kevin Martin, Executive Director of Peace Action. Exact date and location to be determined.