Our Country Has The Money To Create Good Jobs, Repair Our Cities, Pay For Health Care And Education, Clean The Environment

ORGANIZING FOR PEACE
RESISTING THE POLITICS OF FEAR:
A CALL TO ACTION!

• Let’s act to rebuild our communities:
  Since 2001 Connecticut taxpayers have paid $101 BILLION for unnecessary wars. Instead every year our annual federal taxes could create 135,000 new jobs in high poverty communities, in building infrastructure, in constructing clean energy solutions, in teaching elementary school.

• The White House is threatening nuclear war with North Korea and military invasion of Iran and Venezuela and is already waging war on over 7 countries. The 2018 Federal Budget allocates even more to war. Let’s act to stop these wars: Instead SPEND BILLIONS ON PEACE!

• The Trump administration is reversing decades of environmental clean up, denying climate warming, moving to burn far more fossil fuels. Let’s act to save civilization!

“I will write Peace on your wings and you will fly all over the world.”
- Sadako Sasaki, 1943-1955

CONFERENCE FOR JOBS, PEACE, HEALTHCARE AND EDUCATION, SOCIAL JUSTICE, ECONOMIC EQUITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY.

SPEAKERS
Bruce Gagnon, Secretary/Coordinator Global Network Against Weapons & Nuclear Power in Space; 2006 recipient of the Dr. Benjamin Spock Peacemaker Award; Vietnam-era veteran.

Bill Curry, former head of nuclear Freeze Voter; candidate for Governor of CT; Presidential advisor

Rev. Henry Brown & Henrietta Beckman, Mothers United Against Violence, Hartford

Saturday November 18th; 11 am to 4 pm; Middlesex Community College, Chapman Hall, Room 808; 100 Training Hill Road, Middletown, CT; lunch; information, transportation – skrevisky@mxcc.commnet.edu; http://hopeoutloud.org

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Trump FY 2018 Discretionary Budget Request, $1.15 Trillion

- Pentagon $679, 59%
- International Affairs $29 billion, 2%
- Transportation $29 billion, 3%
- Science $30 billion, 3%
- Health $53 billion, 5%
- Housing & Community $55 billion, 5%
- Education $61 billion, 5%
- Government $68 billion, 6%
- Veterans’ Benefits $79 billion, 7%
- Energy & Environment $28 billion, 2%
- Unemployment & Labor $24 billion, 2%
- Food & Agriculture $11 billion, 1%

Source: OMB, National Priorities Project

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