

END MILITARISM TO STOP CLIMATE CHANGE: WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10TH



Please share the Feminist Peace Initiative's online event,
["End Militarism to Stop Climate Change."](https://www.feministpeaceinitiative.org/online-event/end-militarism-to-stop-climate-change)

PURPOSE:

- Raise awareness about the need to end the U.S. military-industrial-complex in order to curb climate change.
- Uplift the voices and experiences of communities impacted by U.S. militarism.
- Call on U.S. lawmakers to invest in a regenerative, reparative and life-affirming feminist agenda for peace and climate action.

EVENT DATE / TIME

[Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 4:00 PM EST / 1:00 PM PST](#)

FEATURING

Members of demilita-rise work group at GGJ attending on a delegation to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) in Glasgow:

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- Alejandria Lyons - Southwest Organizing Project
- Ramon Mejia - GGJ Alliance
- Sheila Babaut - Micronesia Climate Change Alliance
- Sharif Zakout - Arab Resource & Organizing Center

Testimonies from international allies from the Global South:

- Sha Merirei Ongelungel - Indigenous environmental Network
- Kyle Kajihiro - Oahu Water Protectors
- Tessa Petit - Florida Immigration Coalition
- Youkyoung Ko - WILPF, Korea Peace Now!

Please share one of the sample tweets below:

TWEETS:

[Image] Addressing climate change means ending U.S. militarism. We must mobilize together along with allies across the Global South. Join our International Town Hall with @MADREspeaks @WomenCrossDMZ @GGJalliance Sign up here: <https://bit.ly/FPItownhall> #feministpeaceinitiative #COP26

[Image] Did you know that the U.S. military is the single largest consumer of fossil fuels in the world? Demilitarization is necessary in order to save our planet. Join our Town Hall with testimonies from across the world. Sign up: <https://bit.ly/FPItownhall> #feministpeaceinitiative #COP26

[Image] A Just Transition to a Regenerative Economy starts with ending militarized forces across the world. Join our international Town Hall to hear powerful testimonies from activists on the ground at #COP26. Register now: <https://bit.ly/FPItownhall> #feministpeaceinitiative

[Image] It's time to recognize the US military's role in perpetuating the climate crisis. Join our international town hall to hear testimonies from around the world on how US militarism harms local communities and what we can do to stop it. Register: <https://bit.ly/FPItownhall> #COP26

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ABOUT

THE FEMINIST PEACE INITIATIVE:

The Feminist Peace Initiative aims to build a movement-driven U.S. foreign policy built on intersectional feminist principles. The initiative is led by Grassroots Global Justice Alliance, MADRE, and Women Cross DMZ. Together, along with a group of 23 women and gender nonconforming people, a majority BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, and people of color), from across the United States, they released a groundbreaking framework: [A Vision for a Feminist Peace: Building a Movement-Driven Foreign Policy](#).

WHY:

Now more than ever we need a radical transformation of militarized security to a system that creates genuine security. As transnational feminists united against militarism and war, we call for a new US foreign policy that recognizes interdependence and prioritizes connection and cooperation, reparations for historic and systemic harms, valuing people and the planet over profit, and protecting everyone, especially those made most vulnerable. By organizing ourselves and our communities, we can democratize US foreign policy, not only for our collective security here at home, but for the future of all peoples and our planet.

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