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- U.S. troops and countless civilians continue to suffer and die.
- Precious resources are drained from meeting human needs at home and abroad.
- Corporate fat cats continue to prosper on military contracts.
- The war on workers and unions continues in both the U.S. and Iraq.
- The nation is driven ever deeper into debt.
- Our constitutional rights and liberties continue to be eroded.
- And all this has made us less secure as our actions abroad stoke anger that feeds terrorism.



## U.S. Labor Against the War

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# U.S. LABOR AGAINST THE WAR

Nearly 200 national, regional, state and local unions and other labor organizations representing millions of working people committed to –



- ◆ Redirect the nation's resources to meet human needs at home and abroad
- ◆ Advocate, educate and mobilize the U.S. labor movement for a just foreign policy
- ◆ Support our troops and their families by bringing all U.S. troops safely home now and caring for them when they return!
- ◆ End to U.S. occupation of Afghanistan & Iraq
- ◆ Protect workers' rights, civil rights, civil liberties, the rights of immigrants
- ◆ Act in solidarity with workers and their organizations around the world

**U.S. Labor Against the War** has become the most respected national and international antiwar voice of organized labor.

USLAW was founded at a Chicago conference in January of 2003 by more than 200 delegates from unions, labor councils, regional and state labor bodies, allied constituency groups, labor antiwar committees, worker centers and other labor organizations. Ten months later USLAW held a National Labor Assembly for Peace to create a permanent leadership structure and ongoing program to end the war and occupation of Iraq, demilitarize U.S. foreign policy, redirect the resources of the nation to meet human needs, and to reverse the erosion of our liberties and rights.

## SOME OF USLAW'S MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS

- ✓ Adds the participation of USLAW affiliate unions and the context of our militarized economy to the Occupy Wall Street movement.
- ✓ Laid the groundwork for the August 2011 AFL-CIO Executive Council's public statement calling for an end to the wars and denouncing our country's "militarized foreign policy."
- ✓ Helped to found the New Priorities Network (NPN) in October 2010, which, in less than a year, has more than 80 affiliated national and local labor, economic and racial justice, faith, community, environmental and antiwar organizations working to end the wars, cut military spending, and invest resources in our communities.
- ✓ Proposed and developed the 2011 Federal Budget Preference Poll sponsored by NPS and highlighting the option of the Progressive Congressional Caucus' "People's Budget."
- ✓ Produced "Why Are We in Afghanistan?" – an award-winning video used to mobilize labor opposition to the Afghan War.
- ✓ FIRST U.S. LABOR DELEGATION SENT TO IRAQ JUST MONTHS AFTER USLAW WAS FOUNDED IN 2003.
- ✓ First global labor conference call to mobilize solidarity with Iraq's embattled

labor movement and to build labor opposition to the war in Iraq.

- ✓ Organized to put the AFL-CIO on record against the war in 2005, calling for rapid withdrawal of all U.S. troops—the first time the federation ever opposed the deployment of U.S. troops.
- ✓ Mobilized labor contingents to participate in every major national antiwar demonstration.
- ✓ Provided major financial and in-kind support for the *First International Labor Conference* held in Iraq in March 2009
- ✓ Sponsored U.S. speaking tours of Iraqi labor leaders in 2005, 2007 and 2009 that reached tens of thousands of working people in 26 cities.
- ✓ Brought Iraq War and other veterans, members of military families and Gold Star parents to speak at union meetings and events, and mobilized union members to support proper care and full benefits for all veterans.



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