



# STATEN ISLAND COUNCIL FOR PEACE & JUSTICE

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RE: East Coast Regional Meeting

Dear Friends,

At the October 11-12 meeting of the US Peace Council national executive board, it was decided to hold a series of regional peace council meetings to improve communication and coordination between chapters and key contacts in each area of the country, to help develop new chapters in the region, and as a first step in building a regional structure for the USPC.

We are inviting and urging you to attend the first East Coast Regional Meeting. It will be held on Saturday, November 15, 10:00am-5:00pm in Philadelphia at the national office of the Womens International League for Peace & Freedom, 1213 Race St., Philadelphia, phone number: 215/563-7110.

The agenda will include the following items:

- 1) Report from National Executive Board
  - \*Conference on the Role of Multi-National Corporations in Latin America
  - \*USPC campaigns - Oppose Nuclear First-Strike, Rapid Deployment Force; Free Nelson Mandela
  - \*Legislative Hearings and Resolutions to Cut the Military Budget
  - \*Local and Regional Meetings of Elected Officials against the Arms Race
- 2) Reports from Local Chapters -- discussion of problems and possibilities for building East Coast chapters
- 3) USPC Organizational Points
  - \*Membership Drive
  - \*Advisory Council
  - \*Fundraising - Cuba tour; Cuban poster sales, etc.

Further questions, including those concerning housing in Philadelphia if needed, should be directed to *Angelo D'Angelo 761-2446*.

We look forward to seeing you on the 15th. Peace,

*Angelo D'Angelo*  
Coordinator

