



# Resist.

Resist's Annual Report

*The Newsletter*

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# 2014 Resist Grantees

## *146 grassroots groups at the forefront of the movement*

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350Vermont ▪ Burlington, Vermont

9 to 5 Los Angeles ▪ Los Angeles, California

Alianza Indigena Sin Fronteras ▪ Tucson, Arizona

All of Us or None – Riverside ▪ Corona, California

Alliance for a Green Economy ▪ Syracuse, New York

Alliance for Community Services ▪ Chicago, Illinois

Alliance of South Asians Taking Action (ASATA) ▪ San Francisco, California

Alliance to Halt Fermi 3 ▪ Livonia, Michigan

Arise for Social Justice ▪ Springfield, Massachusetts

Austin Tan Cerca de la Frontera ▪ Austin, Texas

BAY-Peace: Better Alternatives for Youth ▪ Oakland, California

Beyond Toxics ▪ Eugene, Oregon

Black and Pink ▪ Dorchester, Massachusetts

Blue Skies Campaign ▪ Missoula, Montana

Bus Riders United/Pasajeros Unidos ▪ New Bedford, Massachusetts

California Coalition for Women Prisoners ▪ San Francisco, California

California Families Against Solitary Confinement (CFASC) ▪ Inglewood, California

Cayce United ▪ Nashville, Tennessee  
Chainbreaker Collective ▪ Santa Fe, New Mexico

Chattanooga Organized for Action ▪ Chattanooga, Tennessee

Chicago Anti-Eviction Campaign ▪ Chicago, Illinois

Citizens for Alternatives to Radioactive Dumping ▪ Albuquerque, New Mexico

Citizens for Safe Water Around Badger ▪ Merrimac, Wisconsin

Civilian Soldier Alliance ▪ Baltimore, Maryland

Coalition for Prisoners' Rights ▪ Santa Fe, New Mexico

Colectivo Ilé ▪ Caguas, Puerto Rico

Committee of 500 Years of Dignity and Resistance ▪ Cleveland, Ohio

Community Alliance of Lane County ▪ Eugene, Oregon

Community Initiatives for Visiting Immigrants in Confinement (CIVIC) ▪ San Francisco, California

Connecticut Students for a DREAM ▪ Bridgeport, Connecticut

Contact Center ▪ Cincinnati, Ohio

Corporation of Newe Sogobia ▪ Austin, Nevada

Crawford Stewardship Project ▪ Gays Mills, Wisconsin

Critical Resistance - Los Angeles ▪ Los Angeles, California

Critical Resistance – Oakland ▪ Oakland, California

land, California  
CURE – Nevada ▪ Las Vegas, Nevada

Domestic Fair Trade Association ▪ Seattle, Washington

Faith Voices for Jefferson City ▪ Jefferson City, Missouri

Families for Justice as Healing ▪ Roxbury, Massachusetts

Family Farm Defenders ▪ Madison, Wisconsin  
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# Resisting Complexes since 1967

## *In our 48th year, we are still growing and evolving*

By The Resist Staff

The countdown has officially begun. We are just two years away from our 50th anniversary. Approaching this milestone has sparked some collective reflection within the dedicated and impassioned Resist community on where we have been and where we are going.

At the heart of Resist is the idea of supporting the breaking down of the most destructive complexes that exploit ordinary people and enrich the already powerful. It is what this community does and has done for almost five decades.

From the military-industrial-complex to the prison-industrial-complex, over 7,000 donors this past year, with an average gift of \$129, believed in Resist and the 146 grassroots groups that are putting wrenches in the gears of those destructive, powerful machines. And because of you, we had one of the strongest years in our history.

We know we are outspent. But we

are far from being out powered. Every year the movement grows and you help fuel that.

There are some simple yet major reasons Resist is able to do this and to do justice to those on the ground putting their bodies on the line. We ourselves must resist a very seductive complex - the *non-profit-industrial-complex*.

If you are unfamiliar with the non-profit-industrial complex, it is also an extremely dangerous machine. It seeks to contain and limit the type of activism that forces systemic change. The worst thing about traditional philanthropy's role in the non-profit industrial complex is the brutal hierarchy – those with money and power “bestow” their knowledge and control to the grassroots.

We believe the opposite should be the goal. We strive to be less of a traditional “foundation” and more of a community resource. This is a constant struggle and we are always looking to improve.

But that is why five decades ago we were able to support draft resisters who

refused to fight in the Vietnam War (an illegal act) and today are able to support the grassroots activists who are shaking the ground that the powerful stand on. This is how we are able to contribute to groups fighting on issues that other foundations won't touch and with the type of cutting edge actions they won't support. No matter what, we will always support the groups that are chopping down the pillars that prop up everything from militarism to capitalism, from racism to patriarchy, and the intersections that connect them all.

We hope this *Newsletter* gives a little glimpse into the special work of Resist. It is because of you, the donors, and most importantly, the activists across the country that are standing up, resisting these complexes, and making the impossible possible.

Onward,  
Miabi, Ravi, Saif, Seth, and Yafreisy



*Not only was the freeing of the “Cuban 5” one of the biggest victories of 2014, it was one of the biggest victories for any social movement aiming to change US foreign policy in the country's history. Thank you to the Five and to grantee International Committee for the Freedom of the Cuban 5 for all of their work.*



**Resist 2014 Grantees**  
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Wisconsin

Fight for Lifers – West ▪ Meadowlands, Pennsylvania

Fort Hood Support Network / Under the Hood ▪ Killeen, Texas

Foster Parent Advocacy Foundation ▪ New York, New York

Frack Free Colorado ▪ Boulder, Colorado

Fuerza Unida ▪ San Antonio, Texas

Georgians for Alternatives to the Death Penalty ▪ Atlanta, Georgia

GI Voice / Coffee Strong ▪ Lakewood, Washington

Haitian Women for Haitian Refugees ▪ New York, New York

Hawai'i Peace and Justice ▪ Honolulu, Hawai'i

Hispanic Black Gay Coalition ▪ Boston, Massachusetts

Homeless Organizing for Power and Equality (HOPE) ▪ Memphis, Tennessee

Human Rights Coalition ▪ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Human Rights Coalition - Fed Up! ▪ Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

I Did the Time ▪ Spokane, Washington

IRON North ▪ Chicago, Illinois

INCITE! Women and Trans People against Violence ▪ San Francisco, California

Intelligent Mischief ▪ Boston, Massachusetts

International Committee for the Free-

dom of the Cuban 5 ▪ Oakland, California

Jobs with Justice - Central Oregon ▪ Bend, Oregon

Jobs with Justice – Colorado ▪ Denver, Colorado

Jobs with Justice – Kentucky ▪ Louisville, Kentucky

Jobs with Justice - Rhode Island ▪ Providence, Rhode Island

L.A. Rooted ▪ Arleta, California

Low-Income Self-Help Center ▪ San Jose, California

Milwaukee Transit Riders Union ▪ Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Missoula Worker's Council ▪ Missoula, Montana

Missouri Immigrant and Refugee Advocates ▪ St. Louis, Missouri

Movement for Justice in el Barrio ▪ New York, New York

Muslim Consultative Network ▪ New York City, New York

NARAL Pro-Choice Missouri ▪ St. Louis, Missouri

NARAL Pro-Choice Montana ▪ Helena, Montana

NARAL Pro-Choice South Dakota ▪ Sioux Falls, South Dakota

National Alliance of HUD Tenants ▪ Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts

National Lawyers Guild - Military Law Task Force ▪ San Jose, California

Native Village of Nuiqsut ▪ Denali Park, Alaska

NC FIELD ▪ Kinston, North Carolina

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# 2014 In Posters

From protests and marches, to nonviolent direct actions and acts of civil disobedience, to teach-ins and educational events, messages need to spread. The political poster is as old as political organizing itself. Whether print or online, the mix of artistry and message never loses its beauty.

*Featuring posters by grantees: 350Vermont, Vermont Workers Center, Bay Area American Indian Two-Spirits, Youth Affordabil(T) Coalition, Puente Human Rights Movement, Blue Skies Campaign, Springfield No One Leaves/Nadie Se Mude, Chicago Anti-Eviction Campaign, Justice League, NARAL Pro-Choice Texas, Texas United For Families, Rockaway Wildfire, Connecticut Students for a DREAM, Black and Pink, Coffee Strong, and We Are Guåhan.*

**#TimesUpRiseUp**  
**Rally and Sit-In for Climate Justice!**  
 Monday October 27th, 3pm  
 Statehouse Lawn, Montpelier  
 Speakers! Music! Food! Entertainment!  
**Bring the Climate March home!**  
 Join us in Montpelier on Monday as we raise our voices to call on the Shumlin Administration to stop the fracked gas pipeline and all new fossil fuel infrastructure. Protect our right to a healthy environment and livable planet.

Direct Action Trainings  
 October 11 and 26 in Burlington  
 October 18 in Plainfield

For more info, or to sign up visit  
[risingtidevermont.org](http://risingtidevermont.org)  
 350vt.org

Sponsored by:  
 RISING TIDE VERMONT  
 Vermont Workers' Center

350 VERMONT

**I AM IN SOLIDARITY WITH HUNGER STRIKERS IN ARIZONA**  
**#Not1MoreDeportation #Ni1MasDeportación**

**#SHUTITDOWN**  
**6:00PM TODAY**  
**FRI, DEC 5, 2014**  
**COLUMBUS CIRCLE**  
**#ECONOMICSHUTDOWN**  
**#NOJUSTICENOPROFITS**  
**#THISSTOPSTODAY**

#BLACKLIVESMATTER #HANDSUPONTCHUNK #ERICGARNER  
 @NYJUSTICELEAGUE

**IMMIGRANTS' RIGHTS RALLY in Connecticut**

Central Connecticut State University  
 (THE STUDENT CIRCLE BY THE STUDENT CENTER)  
**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2014**  
**12:00pm - 3:00pm** (parking in Fowler Lot)

Contact: Allison McIntyre or Michelle Cardozo  
[allisonmcintyre@gmail.com](mailto:allisonmcintyre@gmail.com) [michellecardozo@gmail.com](mailto:michellecardozo@gmail.com)  
 860-435-3946 860-335-3979

HOSTED BY CT STUDENTS FOR A DREAM

Leads: Thana Pich Lahn  
 Immigrant Incorporated

**BAY AREA AMERICAN INDIAN TWO SPIRIT POWWOW 2015**  
 10:30-6pm | SATURDAY February 7 | COW PALACE  
 South Hall | 2600 Geneva Avenue | S-Foldy City Border

Ground Dancing Honoring Ally Earl Neconie at 11am  
**GRAND ENTRY at 12pm**

Head Woman Dancer: Jenny Davis (Chickadee)  
 Head Men Dancer: Jay Amago (Pineapple/Hawkeye)  
 Head Two Spirit Dancer: Shoshone Neconie (Cherokee River Swans)  
 Host Northern Drum: Turtle Nation Singers (Swansea, CA)  
 Host Southern Drum: Southern Pride (Tahlequah, OK)  
 Co-MCs: L. Frank Marmion (Tongva-Ajchachem) & City Melon (Klamath)  
 Arena Director: Eric Kimpke (Blackfoot)  
 Head Judge: Raylene Kangle (Kawachi)

**5500 Drum Contest: Winner Take All** | Sponsored by Southern Pride Drum  
**Special Feature: Elders & Drum Solos** (Vernon and other drumming legends)

This is a FREE and Public Event | All Are Welcome | This is a clean and sober event

Food: Frybread Vendor: TAO'S CAFE  
 Vendor Spaces: Available for purchase  
 Sponsorship: Available for purchase  
 Contact: 530.866.1234

**STOP THE COAL TRAIN STRAIN - RISE UP!**  
**SATURDAY / FEB 22ND / 2:00PM**  
 MISSOURI COURTHOUSE 1200 W. BRADSHAW

30 or more additional coal trains each day?!  
 March and rally to ensure Missouri has a voice in upcoming coal export decisions.  
 Join your neighbors. Hear inspiring speakers.  
 Protect our community.

For more info visit: [missouriactivism.com/missouri/](http://missouriactivism.com/missouri/)

**San Antonio!**  
**Activate Advocate Educate**

**for your reproductive lives!**

What: An all-day repro rights activism training  
 When: Saturday, May 31 9am-5pm  
 Where: Esperanza Peace & Justice Center,  
 922 San Pedro Ave, San Antonio, Texas 78212  
 Why: Because you can be even MORE awesome!  
 Sign up: <http://bit.ly/activateSA>

**buffalo black and pink**

first planning meeting!  
 5/9/2014 @ 7pm  
 Burning Books  
 420 Connecticut St  
 Buffalo, NY 14203

Black & Pink is an open family of LGBTQ+ protesters and "first world" allies who support each other. Our work toward the abolition of the prison industrial complex is rooted in the experience of vulnerability and fear.

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**#QueeringImmigration CONFERENCE**

**SAVE THE DATES**  
**AUGUST 15 - 17**

QDEP NYC's first #QueeringImmigration conference for organizers, service providers, and directly impacted people committed to uplifting queer and trans immigrant lives, and queering advocacy on immigrant justice broadly.

**QDEP**

Registration will open on July 1st, 2014  
 Location TBA

Registration will be sliding scale, details forthcoming on [qdep.org](http://qdep.org)

**ENCUENTRO COMUNITARIO**  
**SOBRE LA LUCHA CONTRA EL DESALOJO Y FRONTERAS**

**Sin Fronteras**

EL HOGAR DE CIELO CARDOZO  
 52 ELDRIDGE ST. SPRINGFIELD, MA  
**30 DE MAYO HORARIO 5PM A 8PM**

PARA MAS INFORMACION:  
 ROBERTO SPRINGFIELD@GMAIL.COM 408-587-9032

**NO SANCTUARY**  
**BIG BUSINESS AND FAMILY DETENTION**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18 @ 5:30 P.M.  
 AUDITORIUM, DOWNTOWN LIBRARY @ 501 N. OREGON  
[TUFF@grassrootsleadership.org](mailto:TUFF@grassrootsleadership.org) | 915-997-2747

**GI COFFEEHOUSE WEST COAST TOUR FEBRUARY-MARCH 2014**

24th FEBRUARY: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 25th FEBRUARY: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 26th FEBRUARY: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 27th FEBRUARY: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
 28th FEBRUARY: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
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 31st MARCH: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**THURS DEC 11th**  
 Decide the future of the Youth Pass  
**& Community Celebration of the 7-year youth-led fight for trans justice**

**#YOUTH PASS: THE MOMENT IS HERE**  
**DECISION TIME.**

FINAL BOARD VOTE on the YOUTH PASS PILOT  
**1-3p** State Transportation Bldg. 10 Park Plaza, Courtyard South

Location TBD  
**4-7p** PARTY & REUNION!

**CHICAGO ACTION**  
**TO KEEP FAMILIES IN THEIR HOMES**  
 3014 N MONROE AVE CHICAGO, IL / JULY 26TH 1 PM

Join community organizations of the Midwest to tell Mel Watt, FHFA that they need to create housing policies that benefit the working class. We will have a press conference in the first location, then buses will come to take us to the second location for a direct action. JOIN US!

**HOUSING IS A HUMAN RIGHT**  
 FOR MORE INFO CALL (773) 583-7728  
**PRINCIPAL REDUCTION**  
**BUYBACKS TO HOMEOWNERS**  
**DONATIONS TO NON-PROFITS**

**DEMONSTRATION AGAINST THE ROCKAWAY PIPELINE—**

SAT / JULY 19 / 3PM  
 RIIS BEACH & B169

Because it's just beach.  
 Because we've been through hell.  
 Because this is their disaster.

**THE NUMBERS**

"This land, tiny as it is, belongs to us just as surely, just as inseparably, as we belong to it."

3,991 acres of our land and sea are at risk of being taken for use as an enormous firing range complex.

5.7 million bullets will be fired every year. These bullets will disturb pristine coastline, cultural sites, and surrounding wildlife.

For our sacrifice, we get construction contracts — given mostly to off-island companies staffed by mostly off-island workers.

**Guam is our legacy. Is it for sale?**

WE ARE GUÁHAN  
 FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT [WEAREGUAHAN.COM](http://WEAREGUAHAN.COM)



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## Resist 2014 Grantees

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N-CITE Community Media ■ Worcester, Massachusetts

Neighbor to Neighbor – Lynn ■ Lynn, Massachusetts

New Mexico Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice ■ Albuquerque, New Mexico

New York State Prisoner Justice Network ■ Albany, New York

Nobody Leaves Mid-Hudson ■ Poughkeepsie, New York

North End Woodward Community Coalition ■ Detroit, Michigan

Northwest Ecosystem Survey Team Support Network ■ Portland, Oregon

Occupy Homes – Minnesota ■ Minne-

apolis, Minnesota

Occupy Our Homes – Atlanta ■ Atlanta, Georgia

Olneyville Neighborhood Association ■ Providence, Rhode Island

Operation Welcome Home ■ Madison, Wisconsin

Parents United for Responsible Education ■ Chicago, Illinois

Peace and Justice Action League of Spokane ■ Spokane, Washington

Peace and Justice Center of Eastern Maine ■ Bangor, Maine

Peaceful Uprising ■ Salt Lake City, Utah

Pennsylvania Coalition for the Fair Sentencing of Youth ■ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Peoples' Justice for Community Control and Police Accountability ■ New York, New York

Persist Health Project ■ Brooklyn, New York

Philadelphia Workers Association ■ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Pikes Peak Justice and Peace Commission ■ Colorado Springs, Colorado

Pittsburg Defense Council ■ Pittsburg, California

Portland Central America Solidarity Committee ■ Portland, Oregon

Practicing Freedom Collective ■ Oakland, California

Prison Activist Resource Center ■ Oakland, California

Prison Birth Project ■ Northampton,



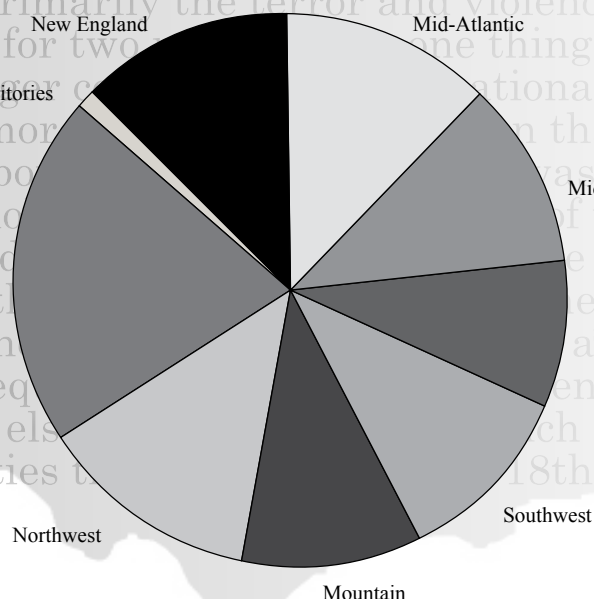
*Young activists from the Boston, Massachusetts area had one of the most inspiring victories of the year. Grantee Youth Affordabilit(T) Coalition has been organizing for years for transportation justice and specifically for a “Youth Pass” on the public transportation. After youth from the group bravely staged a sit-in at the Department of Transportation office in Boston, they won!*

# North, South, East, West

## *Regional breakdown of Resist grantees*

"My own concern is primarily the terror and violence carried out by my own state, for two things, because it happens to be the larger of the two national violence. But also for a much more important reason; namely, I can do something about it. I am responsible for 2 percent of the violence, the majority of it, it would be responsible for. And the ethical value of one and predictable consequences of atrocities of someone else as denouncing atrocities to the 18th century."

Noam Chomsky



Massachusetts

Prisoner Hunger Strike Solidarity Coalition ■ Oakland, California

Project Hope to Abolish the Death Penalty ■ Lanett, Alabama

Project on Youth and Non-Military Opportunities (Project YANO) ■ Encinitas, California

Providence Student Union ■ Providence, Rhode Island

Providence Youth-Student Movement ■ Providence, Rhode Island

Public Health Organization ■ Chicago, Illinois

Public Higher Education Network of Massachusetts (PHENOM) ■ Amherst, Massachusetts

Put People First! Pennsylvania ■ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Queer Detainee Empowerment Project ■ Brooklyn, New York

Radical Action for Mountains' and People's Survival (RAMPS) ■ Rock Creek, West Virginia

Resilient Sisterhood Project ■ Boston, Massachusetts

Rockaway Wildfire ■ Far Rockaway, New York

San Francisco Bay View ■ San Francisco, California

South Carolina Progressive Network ■ Columbia, South Carolina

South Florida Voices for Working Families ■ Miami, Florida

South Texas Human Rights Center ■ Falfurrias, Texas

Spect-Actors Collective ■ Gresham, Oregon

Springfield No One Leaves / Nadie Se Mude ■ Springfield, Massachusetts

Student / Farmworker Alliance ■ Immokalee, Florida

Texans United for Families ■ Austin, Texas

The Delegitimization Project: Zionist Backlash Defense Committee ■ Oakland, California

The Marian Cheek Jackson Center for Saving and Making History ■ Chapel Hill, North Carolina

The People's Press Project ■ S. Moorhead, Minnesota

The Policy Institute ■ Helena, Montana

The Prison Justice League ■ Austin, Texas

The STAY Project (Stay Together Appalachian Youth!) ■ New Market, Tennessee

Toxic Taters Coalition ■ Callaway, Minnesota

Trans Youth Support Network ■ Minneapolis, Minnesota

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## Resist 2014 Grantees

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Ugnayan Youth for Justice and Social Change ■ Jackson Heights, New York

UNIDOS ■ Tucson, Arizona

United Campus Ministry ■ Athens, Ohio

US Food Sovereignty Alliance ■ New York, New York

Valley Improvement Projects ■ Modesto, California

VAMOS Unidos ■ Bronx, New York

Washington Peace Center ■ Washington, DC

We Are Guahan ■ Barrigada, Guam

Welfare Warriors ■ Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Whatcom Peace & Justice Center ■ Bellingham, Washington

Women in Transition ■ Louisville, Kentucky

Women's Housing Equality and Enhancement League (WHEEL) ■ Seattle,

Washington

Workers' Dignity Project ■ Nashville, Tennessee

Youth Affordabil(T) Coalition ■ Roxbury, Massachusetts

Youth Art & Self-Empowerment Project ■ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

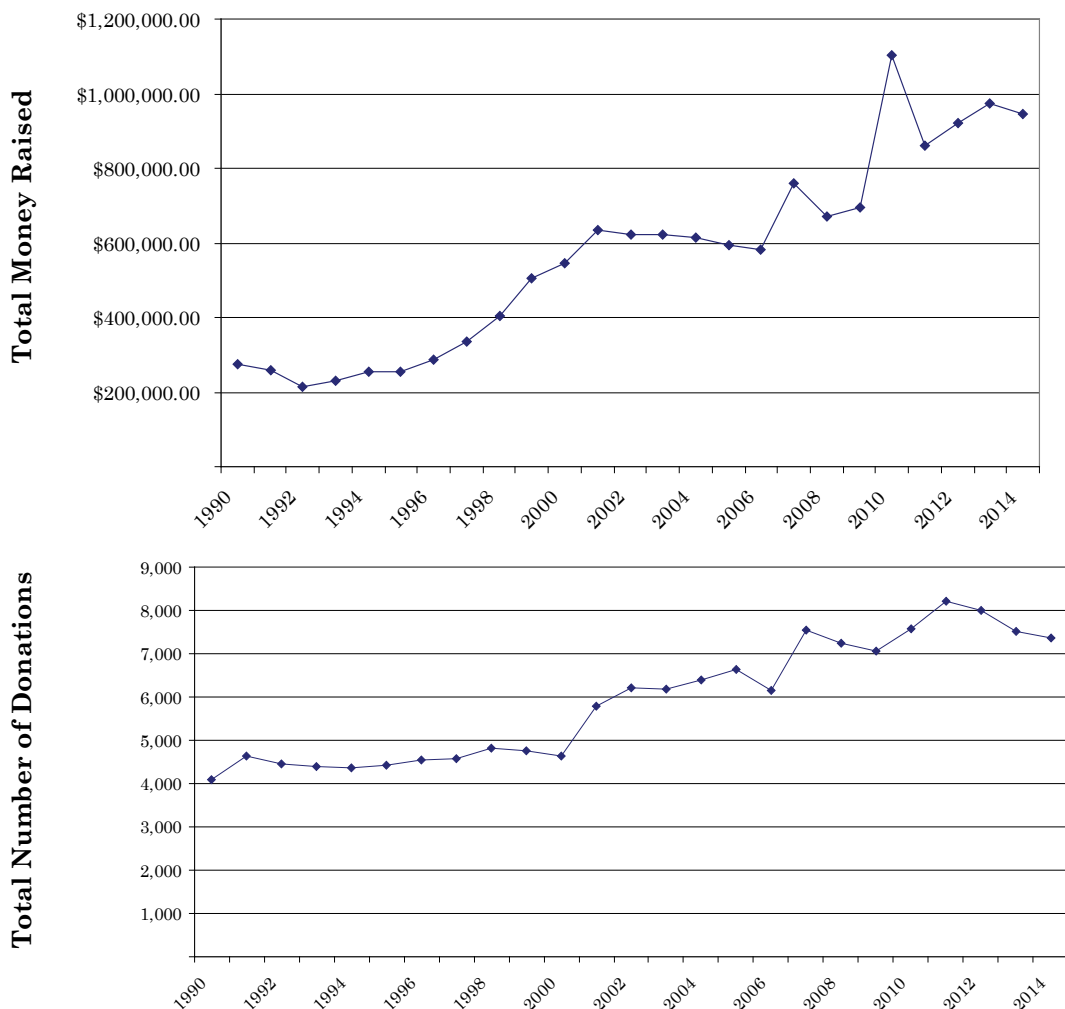
Youth Justice and Power Union ■ Dorchester, Massachusetts

Youth Organizing Institute ■ Durham, North Carolina.

## The Gifts of Resist

*The power of giving to Resist is that you are one of thousands of donors who contribute what you can so we can remain radical and independent. Please keep on spreading the word!*

### Past 25 Years of Grassroots Fundraising





# 2014 Memorial Grants

## **The Arthur Raymond Cohen Memorial Fund Award: We are Guahan**

The Arthur Raymond Cohen Memorial Fund Award is designed to support the causes to which Arthur Cohen (1918-1986) was committed: opposition to the arms race, the cold war, and American intervention abroad as well as the support for civil liberties, the fight against racism, and the struggle of workers and unions at home.

## **The Ed Baker Memorial Fund Award: N-CITE Community Media**

The Ed Baker Memorial Fund Award commemorates the life of C. Edwin Baker, a law professor and life long activist for civil rights and social justice, who dedicated his life to making the world a more just and humane place for those around him. Ed was committed to grassroots, participatory democracy, and the belief that the values of individual liberty, equality, and non-coercive freedom of expression (speech in an expanded sense) are essential to real democracy. He was an opponent of the concentration of media control and the loss of investigative reporting which prevents the communication of information required for democracy.

## **Freda Friedman Salzman Memorial Endowment Fund Award: I Did the Time**

The Freda Friedman Salzman Memorial Endowment Fund is dedicated to the purpose of supporting organized resistance to the institutions and practices that rob people of their dignity as full human beings.

## **The Leslie D'Cora Holmes Memorial Fund Award: Haitian Women for Haitian Refugees**

The Leslie D'Cora Holmes Memorial Fund is committed to continuing the inspiring work and legacy of Leslie D'Cora Holmes. This fund supports activities and organizations that embody the characteristics, values, and principles that reflect the spirit-filled mission of Leslie D'Cora Holmes, including: empowerment for communities and individuals, self-determination through education and community organizing, harmonization of diverse communities of interest, actualization and recognition of individual potential, courage of conviction, and pride in culture, community and self.

## **The Mike Riegle Tribute Grant Award: Queer Detainee Empowerment Project**

The Mike Riegle Tribute Grant is given in memory of the life and work of local Boston activist Mike Riegle. Mike was a supporter of prisoners' rights, gay and lesbian liberation, and the radical movement for justice. We believe that Mike would have been heartened and inspired by the incredible work of the Gender Justice League in its pursuit of queer liberation, and dedicate this award in his memory.

## **The Ken Hale Tribute Grant Award: Corporation of Newe Sogobia**

The Ken Hale Tribute Grant is given in memory of the life and work of Ken Hale, one of the world's foremost linguists and a passionate activist for justice. This grant is given to support organizations which ensure that the voices of those most impacted are given primacy in the struggle to protect and expand civil, cultural and political rights, with a high priority given to the efforts of indigenous peoples. We believe that Ken would have been heartened and inspired by the Western Shoshone people in your struggle for environmental and economic justice on native lands, and dedicate this award in his memory.

## **The Sharon Kurtz Memorial Grant Award: VAMOS Unidos**

The Sharon Kurtz Memorial Grant is committed to supporting workplace justice campaigns that address the issues of race, class, and gender in building a movement for workers' rights. We believe that Sharon would have been heartened and inspired by the incredible work of Community to Community Development in your intersectional justice work, and dedicate this award in her memory.

# 2014 Resist Multi-year, Emergency, and Technical Assistance Grants

## *Multi-year Grantees*

Multi-year grants are meant to provide consistent support to grassroots organizations for three years enabling groups to spend more time organizing and less time writing grant applications.

BAY-Peace: Better Alternatives for Youth  
Citizens for Safe Water Around Badger  
Civilian Soldier Alliance  
Crawford Stewardship Project  
Fort Hood Support Network / Under the Hood  
Fuerza Unida  
Jobs with Justice - Kentucky  
Missouri Immigrant and Refugee Advocates  
New York State Prisoner Justice Network  
Olneyville Neighborhood Association  
Operation Welcome Home  
Prison Birth Project  
Project on Youth and Non-Military Opportunities (Project YANO)  
South Carolina Progressive Network  
Student / Farmworker Alliance  
Women in Transition  
Youth Art & Self-Empowerment Project

## *Emergency Grants*

Emergency Grants provide critical and timely support in response unforeseen and timely political opportunities. We offer this support so that groups can respond quickly to unexpected organizing needs.

Hispanic Black Gay Coalition  
Missouri Immigrant and Refugee Advocates  
Texans United for Families

## *Technical Assistance Grants*

Technical Assistance Grants aim to support groups seeking help with training, consultation, or restructuring. Assistance may include, but is not limited to: developing organizing skills, training in new strategies, board and staff development, fundraising, computer and software training, and strategic planning.

Austin Tan Cerca de la Frontera  
Cayce United  
Chainbreaker Collective  
Coalition for Prisoners' Rights  
Fight for Lifers – West  
Fuerza Unida  
Human Rights Coalition  
Occupy Homes – Minnesota  
The People's Press Project

## Walking In The Woods Special Gifts

### In Honor of:

That's when a couple of its thick arms cracked one arm reaching into earth blossoming the delicious hospitality of the littlest creature the tree not less widely green above the other trees a terrible just to stay liked life you Grace Paley

Natasha Beck  
Mike Boehm  
David Bonner  
Caitlin Duffy  
Rosemary Ehat  
Stell & Russell Greco  
Antonio Guerrero  
Max & Marie Mastellone  
Parents of Tom Dickinson  
Sarah Parrish  
Fred Pincus & Natalie Sokolov  
Robert C. Rosen  
Helen Seegal  
Edward Snowden  
Beth Stephens  
David Webb

### In Memory of:

David Webb  
Genevieve Bartley  
Gar Bethel  
Eleanor Bollag  
Roderick D. Bush  
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