



HIGHLIGHTS OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Coalition for Peace Action (CFPA)/Peace Action Education Fund (PAEF)

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- About 75 attend Earth Week Webinar co-sponsored by CFPA and the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Princeton on **The Ecology of War** on 4/24/22.
- **June 2 Multifaith Prayer Gathering** at State House in Trenton; and **Rally against Gun Violence attended by 350** on 6/11/22 in Princeton precede NJ Gov. Phil Murphy signing **seven new gun safety bills** on 7/5/22; and **one more to mitigate expansion of concealed carry of guns** on 12/22/22. CFPA's **Ceasefire NJ Project** was statewide coordinator of grassroots support from across NJ for these steps!
- **Rep. Tom Malinowski** keynotes CFPA's **40th Annual Membership Gathering** on **Sunday, June 12**, the 40th Anniversary of the historic Nuclear Freeze March in NYC attended by 1 million.
- **Annual Commemoration of the Atomic Bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki** features nuclear weapon experts Professors Frank von Hippel and Rob Goldston on 8/9/23. About 40 attend in person or virtually.
- **CFPA's Peace Voter 2022** Campaign includes doing Candidate Briefings with Fetterman for Senate Campaign in PA, as well as with Tim Alexander in NJ District 2. Peace Voter Guides created for NJ District 2 as well as for NJ District 7, the closest race in NJ. Peace Voter Guides have **over 300,000 exposures as half page display ads** in newspapers in those two districts before Election Day!
- **CFPA's 43rd Annual Conference and Multifaith Service for Peace** attended by over 250 on 11/13/22. Speakers included Bill McKibben, Medea Benjamin, and Rabbi David Saperstein.
- In response to surge of hate crimes, CFPA spearheads **Solidarity Vigil Against Hate and Bigotry** on 12/17/22 attended by 50 at Palmer Square in Princeton. Local newspapers had front page coverage.
- With Princeton Clergy Association, CFPA co-sponsors hybrid **Annual MLK Multifaith Service** honoring Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King on 1/16/23 at Nassau Presbyterian Church in Princeton. About 500 attended.
- CFPA hosts Webinar on **Addressing the Epidemic of Police Brutality** featuring Larry Hamm of People's Organization for Progress on 2/7/23. Some 125 attended live or by viewing recording afterwards.
- CFPA organizes **Vigil for a Diplomatic Surge to Prevent Endless and Nuclear War in Ukraine** with 40 attendees on 2/24/23, the first anniversary of the Ukraine War. Front page coverage in local newspapers.
- **Prof. Robert Socolow**, who as a member of the *Bulletin of Atomic Scientists* committee helps set the iconic **Doomsday Clock**, speaks for hybrid program with 80 attendees for CFPA's Annual Membership Renewal Gathering on 3/26/23.
- The last US Ambassador to the USSR, **Jack Matlock**, speaks for CFPA Webinar on **Distorted Visions: How We Ended the Cold War but Lost the Peace** on 4/11/23. Some 70 attended live or by viewing recording afterwards.