

# JANUARY 2022 ACTION Department of Peacebuilding

## 11 MINUTES/ 11 CALLS For HR 1111

To pass legislation to create a cabinet-level Department of Peacebuilding (HR 1111/ DoP), <u>together</u> we are working for more cosponsors of this legislation. *Throughout 2022, we are taking monthly actions to call specific lists of Congressional offices to request them to cosponsor HR 1111.* 

### **JANUARY 2022 ACTION**

Begin 2022 with peacebuilding. During January, please take 11 minutes to call these 11 members of Congress (or as many as you can). Ask them to cosponsor HR 1111 by contacting Congresswoman Lee's office (Gregory.adams@mail.house.gov or 202-225-2661). Each call takes only a moment and makes a huge difference. You don't have to be an expert. Just ask the member of Congress to cosponsor HR 1111 and tell them your thoughts about the importance of this legislation.

#### **JANUARY 2022 CALL LIST**

During January 2022, we are focusing on these *former DoP cosponsors*. Thank them for cosponsoring DoP in the past and ask them to cosponsor the current bill (HR 1111):

- **Yvette Clarke** (NY-9) 202-225-6231
- **Peter DeFazio** (OR-4) 202-225-6416
- **Dwight Evans** (PA-3) 202-225-4001
- Al Green (TX-9) 202-225-7508
- Andy Kim (NJ-3) 202-225-4765
- Carolyn Maloney (NY-12) 202-225-7944

- Gregory Meeks (NY-5) 202-225-3461
- **Donald Norcross** (NJ-1) 202-225-6501
- **Donald Payne, Jr.** (NJ-10) 202-225-3436
- Jamie Raskin (MD-8) 202-225-5341
- Susan Wild (PA-7) 202-225-6411

#### RESOURCES

See www.peacealliance.org/issues-advocacy/department-of-peace for more information, including:

- Department of Peacebuilding An Overview
- What to Say to Congress About Cosponsoring Dept. of Peacebuilding

#### **FOLLOW-UP**

After making your call(s), if you are inspired to do more: 1) follow-up up with an email to whoever you spoke with or someone on the Congressperson's legislative staff; and/or 2) call again to make sure your message has been passed on to the Congressmember <u>and</u> to ask if she/he will cosponsor HR 1111. Additionally, please email <u>nancy@peacealliance.org</u> to let us know who you called and/or wrote.

#### YOUR CALLS MAKE A DIFFERENCE

After our December 2021 "Holidays 4 Peace" calls, Rep. Sara Jacobs (CA-53) and Rep. Ayanna Pressley (MA-7) signed on as DoP cosponsors. THANK YOU.



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