



PETITION TO END THE OCCUPATION OF IRAQ

We, the undersigned, are deeply concerned that rather than bringing peace and security to the Iraqi people, the occupation of Iraq has brought violence, torture, destruction and chaos.

We believe the war has from the outset been based on lies and deception. We are appalled by the deaths of thousands of Iraqi civilians and hundreds of our young men and women. **We** are angered that this has been done in our name.

We call upon our President and Congressional representatives, as well as all candidates for these offices, to end the occupation and withdraw our troops from Iraq.

- Announce a rapidly phased withdrawal of all U.S. troops from Iraq
- Ask the U.N. to raise an interim peacekeeping force comprising non-coalition troops
- Withhold all funding for the war and cancel existing allocations, except for reconstruction
- Transfer reconstruction contracts from U.S. corporations to Iraqis, under U.N. supervision
- Allow Iraqis to decide when and how to hold elections
- Accept responsibility for the damage done to Iraq, and for the folly of U.S. Middle East policy

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