

CALLING ALL NYC ACTIVIST TO A PEOPLES' CONVENTION2005 PLANNING MEETING

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2005 will be another crucial year in the struggle against all forms of rightwing dominance in the world and US society in general... and New York City in particular. Left and progressive forces are at our weakest moment- yet- at the same time- have the potential to be a powerful force in not only stopping the fascist slide, but reversing it. All of us reading this know of all the ills, repressions and oppressions our people face everyday here in the "Capital of Capital."

We need a massive and truly grassroots fightback movement to help rejuvenate the struggle for social change and social justice. A few of us activists feel that we can help jumpstart this essential Movement by organizing a Peoples' Mayoral and City Councilmember Convention in the late spring/early summer of 2005. It would be a convention that would bring all the diverse communities of NYC together to create a progressive Peoples' Platform. This will be a Peoples' Convention that will come up with a diverse, comprehensive and progressive platform to submit to each mayoral and City Council candidate for his/her complete endorsement. Organizing for and being involved in the Peoples' Convention can help educate, mobilize and unite workers, parents, youth, Blacks, Latinos, Asians, Whites, gays & lesbians, all genders, all faiths in the battle for a Free and Just New York City.

The Rightwing forces have already begun their consolidation-of-power campaign with the sham presidential election having you choose between a corrupt imbecilic rich white man and the gang of fascists controlling him and a rich prowar pro-imperialist double dealing white man. In other words, whomever gets to be president, we will still suffer....

It's just a matter of how fast and how intense our suffering will be.

Hence, we have a lot of work to do if we are going to build a progressive counterforce to this already present reactionary force of neoconservate Bushwhackers.