

A CALL FOR AID IN BUILDING AN INFRASTRUCTURE FOR THE  
MOVEMENT FROM THE N.C.T.T. COR-SHU

TO: ALL MOVEMENT ACTIVISTS, ORGANIZATIONS  
AND SUPPORTERS

FROM: N.C.T.T.-COR-SHU

RE: NATIONAL BLOG NETWORK AND FLYER  
CAMPAIGN

GREETINGS BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

A firm, warm, and solid embrace of revolutionary love and solidarity is extended to you from all of us here. As we move forward in the continuing struggle to transform the nature and structure of capitalist Amerika at every level of human activity, from the National Occupy Movement to the Prisoner Hunger Strike Solidarity Coalition; the Movement for Social Equality and Environmental Sustainability; to the Struggle for Immigrant and Native Peoples' Rights, it is incumbent upon us all to realize one salient and inescapable truth: We are one movement. We do not represent a multiplicity of various progressive interests, but a single socio-economic and political imperative that recognizes the nature and structure of capitalist society in the U.S. must be transformed once and for all; and the culture upon which exploitative, discriminatory and inequitable relationships are based must be changed.

As many of you may know the N.A.R.N. Collective Think Tank here at Corcoran SHU, as well as the N.C.T.T. in Pelican Bay-SHU have been working tirelessly to promote broader cooperation and unity across

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the cultural divide in hopes of proving in social practice what we know to be true through socio-political analysis; that our success, be it in realizing the 5-core demands of the Pelican Bay D-Shoryt Corridor Collective or the 10-Core objectives of the Occupy Movement National Coalition, is directly proportional to the support we have for these noble aspirations among the broader masses. The deeper and broader the support we have in society at large, the greater our potential success. Separately, though effective, our efforts are disparate and diffused - the ruling 1%, and its tool the state, can roll with the punches and play on the age old authoritarian mass-psychosis to isolate or ignore us individually. The defeat of organized labor in the Wisconsin gubernatorial re-call election, and CDCR's backdoor attempt to sneak its "S.T.G management" proposal past the public safety committee through the state budget bill without mass protestation are just two examples of the need for broader cooperation and expansion of mass-line support. These actions were accomplished largely because the movement, though aware of our common cultural and political world view, remains diffused and largely disorganized.

To give you an analogy, imagine the resistance to our movement: corporate greed, prison industrialist profiteering, cultural intolerance, racial hatred, sexual and gender discrimination, political repression, environmental and ecological pollution and plundering, ignorance, and intolerance as a board blocking a door to a new society and world.

We have only one weapon to shatter that board: Our hand. Imagine each finger is an aspect of the cause: the National Occupy Movement, Prisoner Human Rights Coalition, Environmental and Ecological Sustainable Movement, Social Equality Movement, Immigrant Rights Movement, etc.

Now then, if I asked you to spread and stiffen your fingers so each is

standing on its own and asked you to slam your hand into the board so as to break it, you would probably shatter your fingers and do little to no damage to the board. Now take those same fingers and bring them together; slowly clench them into a fist, tighten it, focus. Now if I asked you to strike the same board - with sufficient skill - you would shatter the board with little difficulty and no significant damage to your hand.

Why is this so? Was some chemical or molecular transformation process brought to bear on the hand? No, of course not. It was the same hand only its configuration changed. In the first case each finger stood alone, separate and individualistic. Their energy was diffused, their power ineffectual. In this configuration the hand makes a poor weapon. In the second case the fingers were together, unified, and collectively compact. The energy was concentrated, their power irresistible, in this configuration - this fist - the hand makes a perfect weapon.

This is because unity is strength. Unity does not require uniformity; only dialogue and commitment: dialogue around those points we wish to unify around, and commitment to realize those goals regardless of those forces in opposition to them. This is within our power but we must first build the basic infrastructure to forge a popular national mass movement.

This must begin with a cognizant communications apparatus that allows us to share our ideas and coordinate our actions and activities so they have the greatest local, state, regional, and national impact. To that end we are working with activists and organizations across the spectrum of progressive peoples' activity to build a national blog network that can act as a communications-and coordination apparatus for the entire movement. What we need is at least one Brother or Sister (or group) in each state (50 in total, but more are required to act as the 'node nexus' managers for that state). You will

be required to, and responsible for, contacting and connecting every progressive in your state at that single blog site, which will in turn be connected to the national blog network site, which is being structured and coordinated by Sister Annabelle on Prisonwatchnetwork.org.

We want to be clear, this is not simply a prison activist network, it's a movement network - and once the entire network is built - the domain name site will change to reflect this. We are using this site as a staging nexus for the national network, and Sister Annabelle will structure you with such an apparatus, if there is an action that Occupy Philly or the Georgia Prisoner Hunger Strike Support Coalition needs to draw national attention to we can mobilize and coordinate nationally. If we need to stage a regional action to oppose a particularly unjust action by the state or its corporate masters such as the hate-based racial profiling, anti-immigrant statutes in Louisiana and Arizona, or continued usurious student loan and tuition fees which are chaining generations to perpetual debt and pricing higher education completely outside the hope of entire segments of the population, we can move nationally, and as one, to bring attention and opposition to these issues - we can protest from the prisons to the streets - vote in blocks or occupy the polling stations in the millions. All of this is within our power, we need only act to build the infrastructure to make it so.

We are also producing a series of pamphlets to popularize and begin actively pursuing the implementation of the 3 pilot programs and the 10 Core Objectives amongst the underclass communities in Amerika, we will be able to distribute these nationally and simultaneously via the blog network by simply scanning and sending them to all in the network to simply reproduce, distribute, and bring to life. As we were drafting the pamphlets for The Sustainable Agricultural Commune (S.A.C.) they ran a story on the economic crisis in Spain and how the power of cooperation and collectivity exemplified by the <-->

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occupation (see link: <http://www1.otherworldsarepossible.org/defending-global-commons/compesina-press-release-struggle-land-rights-around-world>) is defying the longstanding lie that the only viable productive force on this planet is capital. This is, and has always been a lie, the greatest productive force on earth is the collective work and responsibility of likeminded men and women. We urge all of you reading these words to contact Sister Annabelle, or any of us directly, and support this vital work.

We also want to mention we have developed a benefit concert proposal to support the National Occupy Movement, Prisoner Hunger Strike Solidarity Coalition and N.C.T.T. Legal Defense, and Support fund, with that, we hope we can count on your support in making the event a success as we release details in the very near future. Please share this call of action on your social media, twitter, or blog with as many likeminded persons as you can—Thank You—Our love and solidarity are with you all. Until we win together or don't lose.

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