FAILURE TO DISARM: HOLDING OUR GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE

Gather at Livermore Lab
Wednesday, August 6
Hiroshima Day 2014

7:30 AM, music, speakers, art, and a solemn moment of silence to honor radiation victims

8:30 AM, short procession to the gate where those who choose will peacefully risk arrest

Come to the Livermore nuclear weapons laboratory’s northwest corner, at Vasco & Patterson Pass Roads, in Livermore. There will be parking set up at the rally site and vanpools from the Dublin-Pleasanton BART station (call 925-443-7148 to reserve a seat).

On the 69th anniversary of the U.S. atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, we invite all who seek peace and justice to gather at the location where scientists are developing nuclear weapons. Each new weapon involves “upgraded” features able to rain unimaginable devastation anywhere on Earth. Livermore Lab’s budget request shows that 89% of its funding is for nuclear weapons activities. Stand with the Hibakusha (A-bomb survivors) to proclaim “Never Again.” No Nukes! Join us!

The Livermore Conversion Project
Nonviolence Guidelines*

We agree to abide by the following guidelines in all of today's actions:

• We will be open and respectful to everyone we meet;
• We will not use verbal or physical violence;
• We will not destroy property;
• We will not bring drugs or alcohol, except for medicinal purposes;
• We will not bring weapons;
• We will not run, which can cause panic;
• If arrested, we will not resist;
• If legal consequences follow our actions, we will treat all those we encounter in the process with openness and respect.

*Adopted by consensus of the planning group for the Aug. 6, 2014 actions at Livermore Lab

AUGUST 6 PROGRAM SUMMARY

7:15 AM - Gather, light breakfast foods served.

7:30 AM - Program begins with Daniel Zwickel, singer-guitarist • Rick Wayman, Nuclear Age Peace Foundation, on the lawsuits by the Marshall Islands against the U.S. and 8 other nuclear weapons states • Chizu Hamada, No Nukes Action, on nuclear weapons, nuclear power and Fukushima • Scott Yundt, Tri-Valley CAREs, on nuclear activities at Livermore Lab • Duamuxa, world music ensemble • Jackie Cabasso, Western States Legal Foundation, on resurgent U.S. militarism in Asia-Pacific.

8:30 AM - Call to action and march to the Livermore Lab West Gate, where those who choose will peaceably risk arrest. Traditional Japanese dance will be performed.

In conjunction with the August 6 action…

Del Valle Regional Park in Livermore August 5, 2014

WHAT: A group camp out in beautiful Del Valle Regional Park the night before the annual Hiroshima Commemoration at the Livermore nuclear weapons lab.

WHEN: Tuesday, August 5, 2014 - Check in 2 PM- 9 PM. At 6:30 AM the next morning we will caravan to the Lab for the event. (Note: the park gate opens at 5 AM.)

WHERE: Ardilla group camp ground at Del Valle Regional Park, located on Del Valle Road off Mines Road, about 9 miles outside of Livermore.

PARKING: Limited parking at the campground, carpooling is suggested.

COST: $10 per person. (No additional charge for parking or food.)

DETAILS: Scott Yundt at Tri-Valley CAREs: (925) 443-7148 or scott@trivalleycares.org

RSVP REQUIRED • Musical instruments welcome • No pets • No alcohol • Dinner & simple breakfast provided • Bring your own water to drink