

WHAT'S NEXT?

- 1) Plan local activities on Friday, February 15 and/or on Saturday, February 16th. These can be forums, teach-ins, film showings, lobbying visits to elected officials, getting anti-war people on local radio and TV shows, ads in local newspapers, prayer vigils, petition drives marches, rallies, non-violent civil disobedience...whatever makes sense for your local situation. PLEASE MAKE SURE TO LET OUR OFFICE KNOW WHAT YOU ARE PLANNING SO WE CAN ISSUE A NATIONAL PRESS RELEASE ON ALL OF THE ACTIONS.
- 2) Support the student call for actions on February 21st - see the enclosed leaflet about that.
- 3) Keep the pressure on the White House. The National Campaign encourages you to send a Mailgram to President Bush. We have an account with Western Union. Call 1-800-257-4900 and ask for operator #9790. They will read you three messages which we have written and you can select one of them or write your own 50 word message. Your home phone is then charged \$6.75 and the message is at the White House the next day. Help us spread the word about this Mailgram effort.
- 4) Keep the pressure on Congress. Flood your representatives with letters, calls and visits. Make appointments to visit their district offices. Do not let Congress off the hook!
- 5) Tell people you know who have family in the military about the Military Family Support Network. Their national office is in Milwaukee and the number there is 414-964-3859. Their Washington, DC office number is 202-543-0974.
- 6) Work to get organizations you are involved with, as well as city councils and state legislatures, to pass resolutions calling for an end to this war. Make sure to send such resolutions to the media.
- 7) Keep the pressure on the media to give us full and accurate reporting on the war, and on the anti-war movement. See the piece included in this mailing from Fairness and Accuracy in Reporting (FAIR).
- 8) Plan educational events and teach-ins. Work with your local schools, religious institutions, trade unions and community organizations to plan public events. If you need help, please contact our office.
- 9) Send a donation to the National Campaign for Peace in the Middle East so we can expand our organizing work!!

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