

**(Alliance for Nuclear Accountability DC Days)**

**4/15-22/16 Carol and Ellen stayed with Jenefer Ellington, DC Statehood/Greens**

**4/17/16 – ANA DC Days Training session**



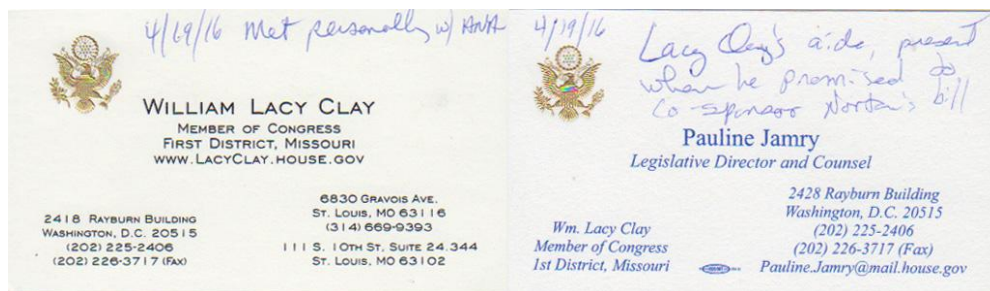
**4/18-20/16 – Carol Urner, Odile Hugonot-Haber, Kay Cumbow and Ellen Thomas delivered “Trillion Dollar Trainwreck” and WILPF letters, and networked with ANA attendees**



**Rep. Lacy Clay signed on to HR-1976!**

We delivered the following letters from WILPF members to their Representatives:

Rep. Lacy Clay, Missouri District 1, who agreed to co-sponsor HR-1976 on 4/19/16



March 29, 2016

Representative Clay

As your constituents, we urge you to co-sponsor HR-1976, "The Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act" of 2015.

The bill is based in part on the promises much of the world thought President Obama was making in his Prague speech in April 2009, to help lead the world step-by-step towards complete elimination of nuclear weapons. (Regrettably, in the years since Prague, the US has moved to spend one trillion dollars over the next 30 years for new nuclear bomb factories, delivery systems and warheads.) In addition the bill provides funding for environmental restoration and to transform our war industries to producing carbon-free, nuclear-free energy.

The complete text of HR-1976 is at <http://1.usa.gov/1NHqS1u>

The Dear Colleague letter with Congresswoman Norton's request for co-sponsorship, and information about contacting her office, is here <http://bit.ly/1lwf2gt>

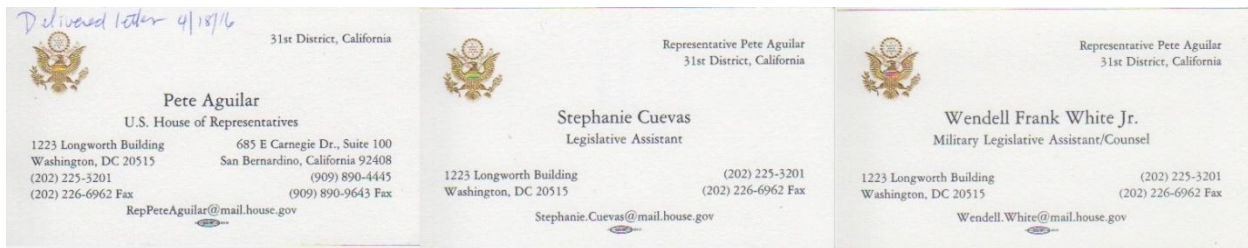
Thank you for reading my letter. Whatever your own response, we would be happy to discuss this with you further.

Sincerely,

Mary Jane Schmitz  
Margaret L. Foeg  
Wm L Foeg  
James H. Keene  
Alicia Henry Sgroi  
Timothy W. Kaminski  
Earl J. Felt



**Rep. Pete Aguilar, California District 31**



April 8, 2016 COPY

Peter Aguilar  
1223 House Office Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20515  
Strategic Forces Subcommittee

Dear Representative Aguilar,

I have been a long-time member of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, which celebrated its centennial in 2015. The possibility of nuclear annihilation was unimaginable then, but brewing. Let's take a position of leadership in the world to put H.R. 1976 on your sub-committee's agenda, and urge passage. It will move us towards disarming the world and turn resources towards peaceful endeavors, and earn for America the name of peacemaker.

Our aims are much the same as the women of WILPF who organized an international congress in 1915 to promote "good faith efforts to eliminate war, armed conflict and all military operations" and dismantle and eliminate "all nuclear weapons in every country by no later than 2022" - all goals of Rep. Norton's bill. <sup>Established</sup>

Thank you,

Judy Adams  
737 Five Oak Ave  
Menlo Park, CA 94025-4818

**Rep. Julia Brownley, California District 26**

April 15, 2016

Dear Representative Brownley

Thank you very much for your January 27 response to Nuri Ronaghy's letter to you concerning H.R. 1976 - Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act of 2015, which has been sponsored by Representative Eleanor Holmes Norton of Washington DC and co-sponsored by Congressman John Lewis and Congressman Raul Grijalva. We were so pleased to see you have such a strong commitment to nuclear disarmament as expressed in your response, "Nuclear non-proliferation is a matter of national and global security, and as a member of Congress I take my responsibility to protect the American people from weapons of mass destruction seriously." and your quote from Albert Einstein that "a single bomb has the potential to cause widespread devastation. It is important that we do everything in our powers to prevent the production of these dangerous weapons."

As our representative we would appreciate your assistance in the implementation of the enforcement of the Non-Proliferation Treaty that was signed by the US. Especially since our President received the Nobel Peace Prize for expressing desire to implement nuclear disarmament.

We are also so proud that since you have been in Congress you have "voted for several amendments that would have reduced the number of nuclear weapons." And we appreciate your "vote against the Defense Appropriations Bill that would have increased funding for our nuclear weapons program."

Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, the oldest and most prestigious women's organization in the world, has helped its sponsors and co-sponsors to introduce HR 1976 to Congress. Now, we the undersigned, along with about 20 other people in the Ojai area, have established a local branch, WILPF - Ojai. As a WILPF chapter, we are interested in giving you whatever support you need in endorsing HR 1976 and/or opening a dialogue with your office in understanding the issues of nuclear disarmament.

This issue becomes even more urgent now because of the discussions in the Open Ended Working Group of the UN in Geneva that began in February addressing the legal, political and moral issues of nuclear disarmament. Here is a link to those discussions, <http://www.icanw.org/campaign-news/new-un-working-group-to-discuss-elements-for-a-treaty-banning-nuclear-weapons>. We look forward to the continuation of these discussions next month, and their conclusion in August.

Also, you may be aware of the Marshall Islands' suit against the nuclear powers that is being heard in the World Court. It is especially encouraging because they are not suing for reparations, or even an apology, but are suing to create a mandate for the nuclear powers to seriously negotiate toward a total nuclear disarmament in the world. This suit is a reason for Americans to look more closely into the possibility of nuclear disarmament.

We would like to open a dialog with you about nuclear disarmament, and in particular would like to know how we can support you in supporting HR1976, and even hopefully to co-sponsor it.

Emma Bailey - President - WILPF - Ojai *Emma Bailey*

Alan Shorb - Treasurer *Alan Shorb*

Marqui Bury - Outreach/Education *Marqui Bury*

Nuri Ronaghy - Membership *Nuri Ronaghy*

12607 Sisar Rd  
Ojai, CA 93023



April 15, 2016

Dear Representative Capps

Thank you very much for your February 24 response to Nuri Ronaghy's letter to you concerning H.R. 1976 - Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act of 2015, which has been sponsored by Representative Eleanor Holmes Norton of Washington DC and co-sponsored by Congressman John Lewis and Congressman Raul Grijalva. We were so pleased to see that "we are in complete agreement." We are also very happy that you "voted for an amendment to the National Defense Authorization Act of 2013, which would delay the development of a new long-range, nuclear-armed bomber", and agree that it was unfortunate that it didn't pass.

As our representative we would appreciate your assistance in the implementation of the enforcement of the Non-Proliferation Treaty that was signed by the US. Especially since our President received the Nobel Peace Prize for expressing desire to implement nuclear disarmament.

We are also so proud that you support the "(SANE) Act (HR 1506), which would outline spending cuts to nuclear weapons and related programs to provide more than \$100 billion over the next 10 years."

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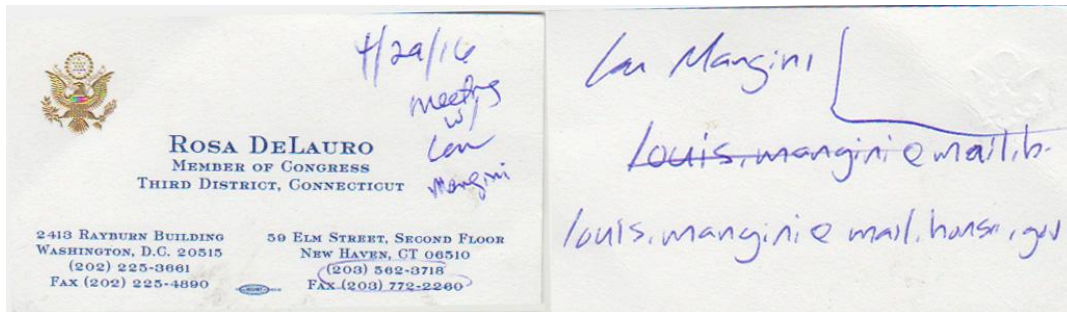
Marqui Bury - Outreach/Education

Nuri Ronaghy - Membership

45 San Anzio Way  
Goleta, CA 93117



Rep. Rosa DeLauro, Connecticut District 3



April 29, 2016

To Congressional Representative Rosa DeLauro:

Please cosponsor the Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economize and Energy Conversion Act (H.R. 1976).

This bill calls for US leadership in achieving an international treaty for the elimination of nuclear weapons worldwide under strict international control. It would also redirect resources used for nuclear weapons to peaceful economic purposes.

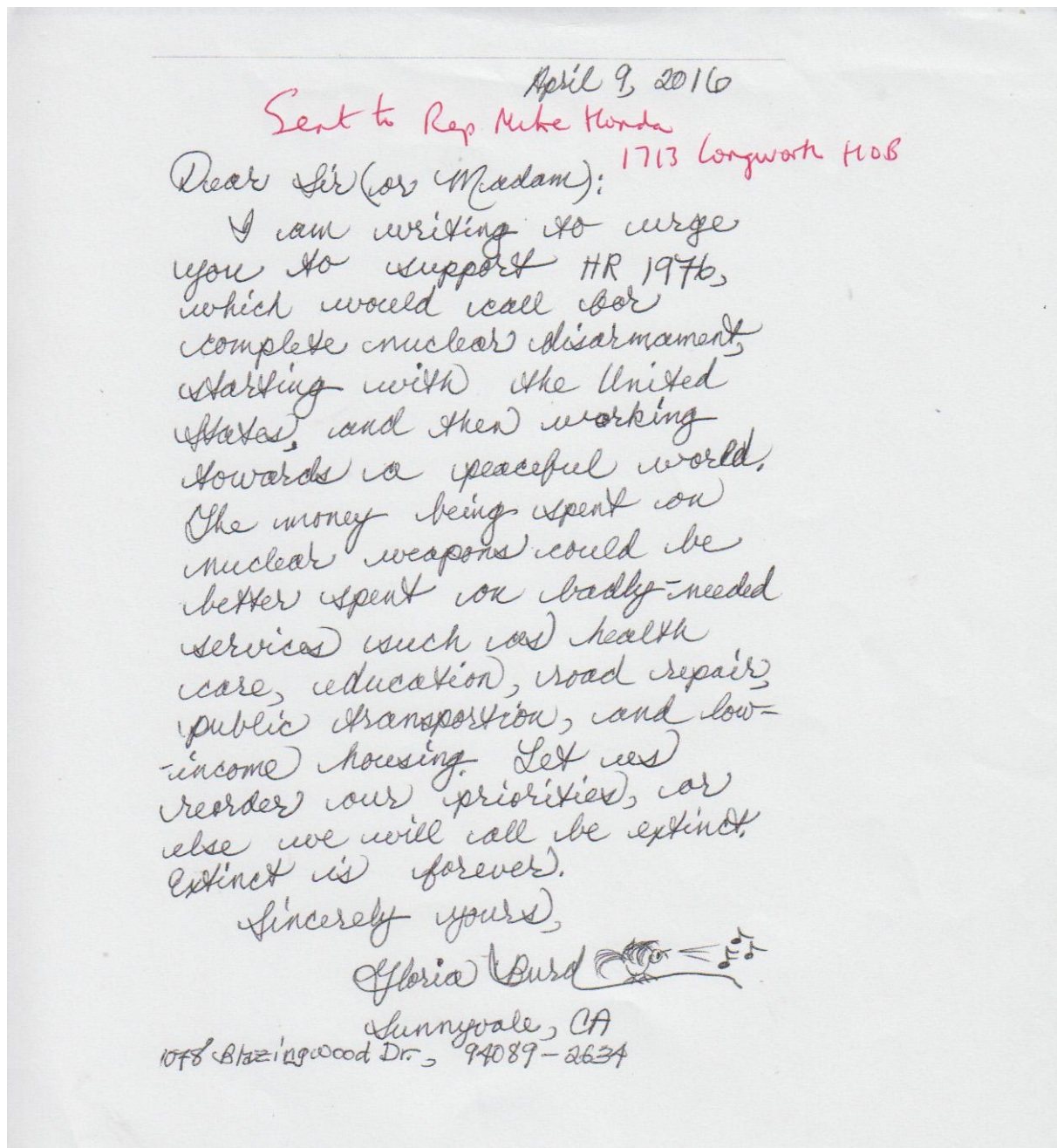
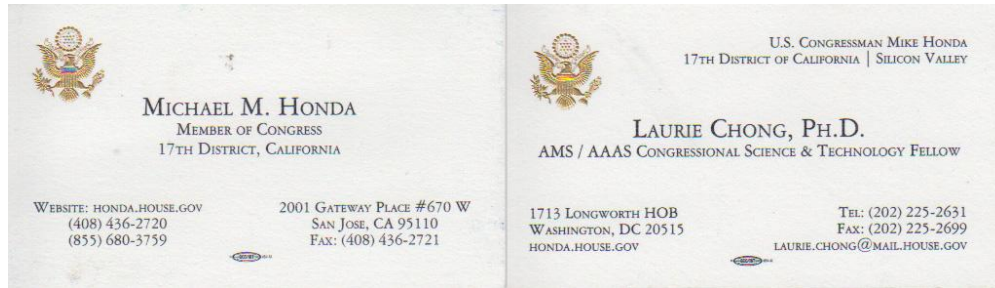
I marched in the Peace and Planet March one year in support of the UN review of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty. The US needs to move toward the elimination of nuclear weapons, as required by the treaty.

I hope you will actively support this legislation.

Sincerely,  
Kimberly Stoner, 76 Bayden Road,  
New Haven, CT 06511



Rep. Mike Honda, California District 17



**Rep. Jared Huffman, California District 2**



Dear Rep. Huffman,

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I am writing to ask you to support – and encourage your colleagues also to support – H.R. 1976, now before the Congress

I recently read in my local newspaper about the nuclear security summit held in DC at which about 10 leaders of the most powerful countries in the world discussed how to better secure nuclear weapon grade materials. Although progress has been made recently on the Iranian front I continue to be very concerned about the North Korean nuclear weapon activities, which appear to be ramping up. If the rest of the world got rid of their nuclear bombs and missiles then North Korea would feel less threatened and decide not to spend huge amounts of money on developing their nuclear arsenal.

A delegation from WILPF will be visiting you with other letters of support, and I urge you to take action to de-fuse the dangerous situation by approving Rep. Norton's bill.

Sincerely,

Sheila M. Bryant

PO Box 12071  
Pt. Reyes Station, CA  
94956



Rep. Hank Johnson, Georgia District 4

August 9, 2015

The Honorable Hank Johnson  
U.S. House of Representatives  
2240 Rayburn Building  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Congressman Johnson,

We, the undersigned, are gathered on the 70th anniversary of the atomic destruction of Nagasaki, Japan, in 1945. This is our 20th Seeds of Peace Nagasaki Observance held annually in the Rose Garden of the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library. President Carter has been an effective peacemaker as well as having a positive effect on our energy consumption and in establishing enduring nonproliferation policy such as his ban on reprocessing of nuclear materials.

We appreciate your strong support for demilitarizing our local police forces. The normalization of increased violence at every level needs our thoughtful attention and we are gathered today to share our inspirations and ideas to create the peace we crave.

We wish to bring your attention to HR1976 - Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic Conversion Action of 2015. The bill, introduced by Representative Eleanor Holmes Norton on Earth Day in April is the only legislation which calls for nuclear disarmament. It calls upon the United States to take the lead in abolishing nuclear weapons and converting the economy to meet human needs.

In the past you have joined Rep. Holmes and your colleague Representative John Lewis in sponsoring this progressive bill. At a meeting in May with your legislative director Scott Goldstein it was indicated that you were likely to agree to sponsor HR1976 and we wish to remind you to announce your support for this historic opportunity to bring the nightmare threat of nuclear weapons destruction to an end.

Respectfully,

Lusith Byrnes  
Elizabeth Beldrum  
Betty Rivard  
Alicia Workman  
Julia Brooke

David Stutzman  
Aimee Sheppard

glenn  
carroll  
Ellen Thomas  
Arina Kessler  
Brian Sherman  
Kenny Lee  
Bobbie Paul  
Rebecca Jankins  
Jakue M. Barnett

Halima Hutchins, ATL  
Bill Horisberger  
Arnie Kenna  
James R. Roberts, ATL  
Perry Light  
Sarah Thorsen

Andrea Kay Smith  
Ari Goncalves  
Mary E. O'Keefe

**Rep. Doris Matsui, California District 6**



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**PENELOPE TAYLOR**

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April 13, 2013

Congresswoman Doris Matsui  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Congresswoman Matsui:

We know you are a very busy woman. We are too; that is why we are writing our letter together. We are joining others from the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom to make this rerequest.

We are urging you to Cosponsor HR 1976, the Nuclear Weapons and Weapons and Economic and Energy Conversion Act.

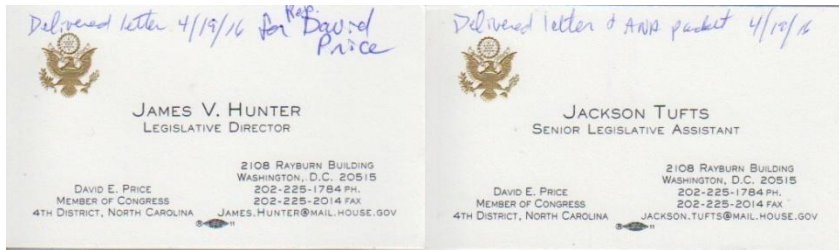
Please consider this as action which will identify you and knowing How crucial it is to spend our dollars on money to help our Environment, not destroy it.

Thank you in advance.

*Esther Franklin* *Penelope Taylor*



**Rep. David Price, North Carolina District**



April 14, 2016

Dear Congressman Price

The two greatest threats to mankind are climate change and nuclear war. I want you to take a strong role in preventing these catastrophes. Please cosponsor the Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act of 2015 (H.R. 1976). It would move us toward compliance with Article VI of the M.P.T. The 2011 ratification of the New START treaty was an important step. H.R. 1976 is the crucial next step.

Sincerely,  
Luth Zafke, Chapel Hill, 27514

April 8, 2016

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Loretta Sanchez  
1211 Longworth House Office Bldg.  
Washington, DC 20515  
Strategic Forces Sub-committee

Dear Representative Sanchez,

I am writing to urge you to put Eleanor Holme's  
Morton's bill H.R. 1976 on your sub-committee's  
agenda, and support its passage to your colleagues.  
Given the state of violence, terrorism, fleeing  
refugees, and other economic issues affecting the  
world's pressing human and environmental needs,  
we need to transfer our funding of nuclear  
weapons - as well as conventional weapons, to  
peaceful projects. The U.S. needs to become an  
"agency" for peace.

In the 70's I was a supporter of the Mid-  
Peninsula Conversion Project in neighboring Mountain  
View, originally started by the American Friends Service  
Committee - re-named later, the Center for Economic Conversion.  
It had strong community support and did have an effect on  
Lockheed, locally.

Let us on a national level, strive to accomplish the  
principles of H.R. 1976, which read as a road map  
for essential peace and abolishing nuclear weapons and  
safeguarding nuclear waste. Let the US dedicate itself  
to human needs, and primary, is the need for peace.

Thank you.

Julia Adams  
737 Pine Oak Avenue  
Menlo Park, CA 94025-488



Rep. Jackie Speier, California District 14

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Dear Rep. Speier,

I am writing to ask you to support – and encourage your colleagues also to support – H.R. 1976, now before the Congress

Not having to maintain our nuclear weapons and the means to deliver them would free up many billions of dollars in our government's annual budget, and H.R. 1976 suggests what should be done with this peace dividend. I support such monies being used on health care, affordable housing, and ending global warming, and other critical needs for residents of the USA.

A delegation from WILPF will be visiting you with other letters of support, and I urge you to approve H.R. 1976.

Sincerely,

Terry Morawitz  
94 Amesport Landing  
Half Moon Bay  
CA 94019

Two letters for Rep. John Garamendi, California District 3

April 8, 2016

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John Garamendi

2438 Rayburn House Office Bldg.

Washington, DC 20515

Strategic Forces Subcommittee

Dear Representative Garamendi,

I am writing to urge your committee to promptly put H.R. 1976 on your sub-committee's agenda. No issue is more critical than total nuclear disarmament, which could in a single act of unimaginable violence send us into the final World War. This must be the century of peace. I want to leave my new grand-nephew a safer world to prosper in. All that we do to preserve the planet will be to no avail if we do not stop the nuclear arms race.

Without the cost of maintaining these weapons - and developing new horrors, we would have resources and the resolve worldwide to apply towards human needs and environmental harmony. Thank you

Judy Adams

737 Lime Oak Drive

Menlo Park, CA 94025-4818



4129 Camino Court, Apt. J.  
Palo Alto, CA 94306

April 11, 2016

Mr. John Garamendi  
2438 Rayburn Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Garamendi,

I'm writing to ask you to please review Bill H.R. 1976 by Representative Eleanor Holmes Norton (DC) and to put it on the agenda of the Strategic Forces Subcommittee. In it Ms. Norton asks our Government to work towards dismantling and eliminating nuclear weapons in every country by 2022. She calls for the resources that now go towards nuclear build up to be channeled into services that nurture humanity. And she calls for an end to war as a means to resolve conflict.

We are responsible for creating a safe and secure world for this generation and all future generations. It's not

UTOPIAN BUT BASED ON SANE STEWARDSHIP.  
NONE OF US WOULD SURVIVE A NUCLEAR  
WAR OR EVEN AN ATTACK.

THE BILL CONTAINS THE HOPE THAT  
RESOURCES USED FOR NUCLEAR ARMS  
MAINTENANCE WILL BE DEVOTED TO  
FOSTERING GROWTH RATHER THAN ANNIHILATION.  
IT'S A FUTURE WHERE EACH CHILD IS BORN  
WANTED AND GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITIES  
TO FLOURISH AND DEVELOP THEIR UNIQUE  
ABILITIES. IT'S A WORLD WHERE RESOURCES  
ARE WISELY USED FOR EDUCATION, HEALTH CARE,  
INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS, SAFEGUARDING OUR  
ENVIRONMENT AND ALL LIFE ON EARTH.

THIS BILL IS A STEP TOWARDS THIS  
TYPE OF FUTURE. WOULD YOU PLEASE  
CONSIDER H.R. 1976 FOR THE STRATEGIC  
FORCES SUBCOMMITTEE AGENDA?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION TO  
MY LETTER AND FOR YOUR SERVICE ON  
BEHALF OF MYSELF AND ALL CITIZENS.

Sincerely,

CHRISTINA KONJEVICH



Five letters for Rep. William R. Keating, Massachusetts District 9

April 25, 2016

Dear Rep. Keating,

Please listen to Ellen Thomas and Carol Urner and end all nuclear weapons <sup>in the U.S.</sup> ~~in the U.S.~~ <sup>Get rid of all nuclear weapons.</sup> Follow the CN Treaty of 1929 and end war. We want our home, our planet to survive. Start by closing P. Igrim and move on quickly. The whole world needs you.

Sincerely,

Dianne W. Ashley  
55 Garden Lane  
Eastham, MA 02642

P. S.

Please cosponsor HR 1976 !

P.O. Box 1363

East Dennis, MA 02641

April 25, 2016

Congressman Bill Keating  
297 North St. #312  
~~Cannon Office Building~~  
Hyannis, MA 02601  
~~Washington, D.C.~~

To the Honorable Congressman Bill Keating,

I am writing to request that you become a co-sponsor of H.R. 1976, the Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act, introduced by your fellow Democrat Rep. Eleanor Holmes Norton. The people of the United States and of the world want peace. It is necessary for the preservation of our world.

Sincerely,

Allen Schorn

(Allen Schorn)



Rep. William Keating  
297 N. Street  
# 312  
Hyannis, MA 02601

Dear Representative Keating -

Polls indicate that over 70% of Americans want peace and security of a world without nuclear weapons. Bill H.R. 1976, "Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act of 2015" calls for prompt leadership by the United States to support an international treaty to eliminate nuclear weapons worldwide.

We need to stop our addiction to war, we need to say "Enough". What does it take for our leaders to ~~for ourselves~~ stop pouring billions of dollars into war, when billions could be addressing the needs of hunger, housing, health care, livable wage and clean water.

Please support and co-sponsor B. 11 1976 -  
Please!

Sincerely,  
Chris Morris  
320 Wood Rd.  
S. Yarmouth, MA  
02664



10 Chequessett Neck Rd.  
Weymouth, MA 02467

Dear Rep. Keating,

Please cosponsor the Nuclear Weapons  
Abolition and Economic and Energy  
Conversion Act (H.R. 1976). We need a  
nuclear-free future.

In 1983 I helped found the  
Parents' Campaign to End the Nuclear  
Threat. My children were young,  
and I was hopeful. Now I have  
grandchildren, and, sadly, the threat  
remains. We need to give the next  
generation a world free of nuclear  
weapons. Please do your part.

Sincerely,

Carole Perry



Dear Representative Keating,

Re: Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy  
Conversion Act of 2015 (HR 1976)

1. No time in our recent history with nuclear weaponry has it been more evident that the US has not contributed to a strategy for peace by participating in the arms race. 158 countries in the United Nations want the race to end and so do I. Please co-sponsor HR 1976, not only because the world lives in fear of another atomic bombing but also because the process of mining uranium so often trespasses on indigenous people's land with harsh environmental consequences. I'm very proud of Secretary of State Kerry for being such a compassionate representative who visited Hiroshima. Please keep up the momentum.

2. I think we have created this life threatening environmental hazard because we have allowed so many technologies and products to be developed using dangerous materials like uranium, lead and mercury with a mis-placed and unrealistic confidence that we would soon gain the technological wisdom to solve the mining and disposal problems that are being created. We need regulations on dangerous materials that require any miner or manufacturer to have certified strategies and designs that follow the product from the mine to the disposal site.

Sincerely,

Jan Kubiak  
West Barnstable, MA 02668

Twelve letters for Rep. Anna Eshoo, California District 8

April 8, 2016.

13460 Obblida Road

Los Altos Hills, CA, 94022

Dear Congresswoman Eshoo.

I see that Eleanor Holmes Norton has introduced a bill to abolish nuclear weapons. I hope you will encourage Rep. Pelosi and the committee members considering it to bring it before the Congress.

Fifty years ago only the US had atomic weapons. How sad that we could not have used that power without obliterating Hiroshima and Nagasaki. Now these weapons have proliferated, and many of the nations seem to have less than responsible leaders.

Distasteful as it seems, our country might elect a quite unreasonable President, and I believe we have to face that awful possibility and restore some of the checks and balances on presidential power that our founders set up.

There is no way to contain the radioactive currents of air - my husband, working for NASA, in the international weather year, helped measure them and they would come back to destroy the perpetrator as well as the targets.

Good luck,

Stephane Muñoz



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April 8, 2016

Dear Representative Eschoo,

I am writing you this evening to urge you to actively support and encourage your colleagues to support H.R. 1976, now before the Congress.

Rep. Eleanor Holmes Norton's remarkable bill needs to be enacted to change the course of U.S. policies and actions. It contains the principal actions to pull us back from the brink of total annihilation. It is long past due the time for America to truly stand for peace, to take prompt leadership to achieve an international treaty to eliminate nuclear weapons worldwide (and reduce conventional arms - why not?) under international control and focus our resources on peace and human needs.

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737 Pine Oak Ave.  
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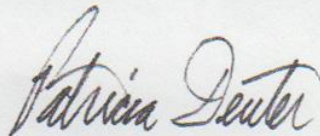
Dear Rep. Eshoo,

I am writing to ask you to support – and encourage your colleagues also to support – H.R. 1976, now before the Congress

I worry everyday about the possibilities for nuclear missiles being sent in aggressive acts somewhere in the world. For example India and Pakistan have nuclear bombs and are quite hostile to each other. That ISIL is probably seeking nuclear materials in order to make a dirty bomb is the scariest thing because ISIL appears to have no morals about their methods and I can imagine them setting off such a bomb in a town somewhere.

A delegation from WILPF will be visiting you with other letters of support, and I urge you to take action by approving H.R. 1976.

Sincerely,



PATRICIA DEUTER  
660 Coleridge Ave.  
Palo Alto, CA 94301



2241 Santa Ana St.  
Palo Alto, CA. 94303

The Honorable Anna Eskoo  
241 Cannon Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative Eskoo:

I am writing in regard to the horrific  
nuclear weapons build-up in the world  
today.

I am asking you to please support  
H.R. 1976 so our world can work  
towards a nuclear free future.

The dollars we could save by  
not building up our nuclear weapons  
could be used for education, low-cost  
housing and cleaning up our environment.

Thank you for reading this letter  
and for working towards a nuclear-free  
world.

Sincerely,  
Ruth Chippenhale

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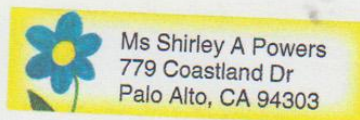
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Sincerely,

*Shirley Powers*





Re: HR 1976

April 6, 2016

Dear Honorable Eshoo:

There has been too much talk and not enough action to as President Obama stated, 'take concrete steps towards a world free of nuclear weapons'. Please support this bill. My message is brief: Do everything possible to abolish nuclear weapons NOW.

Sincerely,

Dr Roberta Ahlquist

636 Webster St

Palo Alto, Ca 94301

725 Los Robles Ave  
Palo Alto  
CA 94306

8th April 2016

The Honorable Anna G. Eshoo  
United States House of Representatives  
241 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington DC. 20515

\* Women's International  
League for Peace and  
Freedom.

Dear Ms Eshoo

I am writing to follow up on my visit to your Palo Alto office on 4th February 2016 when I and fellow WILPF\* members met with your Scott Ammon.

We told Scott about our desire for a nuclear-free future and that there was a bill introduced into the House last year, H.R. 1976, that proposes a way forward for abolishing nuclear weapons in the USA and using the money thus saved to address under-funded needs such as environmental restoration and health-care.

Congresswoman Eleanor Holmes Norton introduced H.R. 1976, "Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act of 2015", last April and she is seeking co-sponsors of her bill; you will have received a letter from her asking you to co-sponsor her bill and I am writing to encourage you to do so. It is currently sitting in the Subcommittee on Strategic Forces and needs to be moved onto the floor of the House for debate.

If the USA moved more quickly towards dismantling its nuclear arsenal then North Korea might become less belligerent and its recent actions are quite scary.

Yours sincerely

Cherrill Spencer

Cherrill Spencer



Dear Congressman Eshoo; April 8, 2016

I'm writing today to ask for your leadership to pass H.R. 1976 the "Nuclear Weapons Abolition + Economic and Energy Conversion Act of 2015."

You are, no doubt aware that your <sup>esteemed</sup> colleague Eleanor Holmes Norton introduced this timely bill and that it has been referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs + the ... on Armed Services.

Dismantling + eliminating Nuclear Weapons is vital to the future survival of humans on this planet. The goal of H.R. 1976 to accomplish the required international diplomacy + negotiations may be ambitious but surely - all countries have a stake in at least beginning this

essential process.

Completion of the goal of eliminating Nuclear Weapons ~~is~~ a global strategy to build a world of peace + prosperity will be the greatest gift that humankind will ever receive.

You can be a major contributor to further the passage of H.R. 1976.

Please use your considerable leadership skills to get it done.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Cybele (nee: Judith) LoVelo-Bhudson  
3838 Munford Place  
Palo Alto, CA 94306

P.S. Please let me know what you will do to help the passage of H.R. Bill 1976

CONTRARY TO INSTRUCTIONS  
THIS MEMBER MAILED HER LETTER  
DIRECTLY TO Rep. ESHOO.

Hello Cheryl, I am giving you a copy and I am including a copy in an envelope for you to hand-deliver to Anna Eshoo; please enter to my name for the theater ticket.

Thank you,

Cybele.

P.S. I noticed The Sir Winston Churchill had a 'Spencer' in his full name. Any relation?

April 9, 2016

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Ms Anna Estroo  
341 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Please give your attention to HR 1976.  
We have tried War all too often as a solution to many issues,  
It has not paid off.

Vietnam, Iraq, Afghanistan — all have been disasters.  
As usual, The rich have profited + The poor have died.  
We always always trust war — + men,  
It's time to put our trust in women of peace.  
WILPF would like your help in asserting ~~values~~  
values of women + values of peace.

Please.  
Some of us have children + grandchildren + fear for their  
future.

Thank you

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April 11, 2016

Ms. Anna Estee  
241 Cannon House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Re: Support for H.R. 1976 - Nuclear Weapons  
Abolition and Economic and Energy  
Conversion Act of 2015

Dear Ms. Estee,

I'm writing to ask you to please  
review Bill H.R. 1976 by Representative  
Eleanor Holmes Norton (D.C.). In it  
she asks our government to work  
towards dismantling and eliminating  
nuclear weapons in every country  
by 2022. She calls for the resources  
that go towards nuclear buildup now  
to be channeled to services that nurture  
humanity. And she calls for an end  
to war as a means to resolve conflict.

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THE BILL IS BASED ON THE IDEA THAT WE ALL RESPONSIBLE FOR CREATING A SECURE WORLD FOR THIS GENERATION AND ALL FUTURE GENERATIONS. ITS NOT UTOPIAN BUT BASED ON SANE STEWARDSHIP. IF ENOUGH LIKE MINDED PEOPLE REFUSE THE THREAT OF ANNIHILATION AND INSIST ON THE SANCTITY OF ALL LIFE AND OF THE PLANET EARTH, IT WILL HAPPEN.

THE BILL CONTAINS THE HOPE THAT ONE DAY WE WILL HAVE A CIVILIZATION THAT IS TRULY CIVIL AND WHERE RESOURCES ARE DEVOTED TO FOSTERING GROWTH RATHER THAN DESTRUCTION. ITS A FUTURE WHERE EACH CHILD IS BORN WANTED AND GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITIES TO FLOURISH AND DEVELOP THEIR UNIQUE ABILITIES. ITS A WORLD WHERE RESOURCES ARE USED WISELY FOR EDUCATION, HEALTH CARE, INFRASTRUCTURE, AND OTHER ESSENTIAL LIFE AFFIRMING THINGS LIKE SAFE GUARDING OUR ENVIRONMENT AND OTHER LIFE FORMS.

THIS BILL IS A FIRST STEP TO THIS TYPE OF FUTURE. WOULD YOU PLEASE CONSIDER CO-SPONSORING H.R. 1976 AFTER YOUR REVIEW?



THANK YOU FOR READING MY LETTER  
AND ALSO FOR SERVING AS OUR CONGRESSIONAL  
REPRESENTATIVE. YOUR WORK ON MY BEHALF  
HAS BEEN DEEPLY APPRECIATED

Sincerely,

CHRISTINA KONJEVICH

Dear Rep. Eshoo,

I am writing to ask you to support – and encourage your colleagues also to support – H.R. 1976, now before the Congress

Not having to maintain our nuclear weapons and the means to deliver them would free up many billions of dollars in our government's annual budget, and H.R. 1976 suggests what should be done with this peace dividend. I support such monies being used on health care, affordable housing, and ending global warming, and other critical needs for residents of the USA.

A delegation from WILPF will be visiting you with other letters of support, and I urge you to approve H.R. 1976.

Sincerely,

*Mac Tinklenburg*  
*2841 Green Rd.*  
*Palo Alto, CA*  
*94303*



Ms. Paula Rochelle  
18980 Lynbrook Court  
Saratoga, CA 95070

April 4, 2016

The Honorable Anna Eshoo  
698 Emerson Street  
Palo Alto, CA 94301

241 Cannon Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Congresswoman Eshoo:

As a constituent, I am requesting that you sign on as a co-sponsor H.R. 1976, the  
*Nuclear Weapons Abolition and Economic and Energy Conversion Act*.

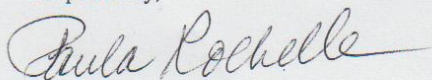
Nuclear Weapons do not support life, liberty, nor the pursuit of happiness. The time  
has come to use negotiations to settle disagreements, just like we ask of our children  
in kindergarten.

As a member of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom (WILPF),  
I staunchly advocate for peace and a nuclear free future.

I have asked Ellen Thomas and Carol Urner, my WILPF sisters, to deliver this note to  
your office.

I hope to hear from you soon that you will sign on as a co-sponsor.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Paula Rochelle". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Paula Rochelle