Casualties of Iraq 9 Years Later: U.S. OUT!

Visibility action on the 9th anniversary

of the invasion of Iraq

Tuesday, March 20, 2012 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM

SW Yamhill and Broadway Downtown Portland

IRAQ FOR IRAQIS NOW U.S. OUT!

Even with American troops gone, 16,000 US personnel (including over 8000 "contractors") and 700 "military trainers" remain in the largest embassy in the world (the size of the Vatican).*

As US troops rolled out, US corporations rolled in including General Electric and ExxonMobil.

The US has been intervening militarily since 1991 and economically even longer; it is time to leave Iraq to the Iraqis and bring all the troops, contractors, and our War Dollars home.

*On February 7, the NY Times reported the US will likely cut the size of the embassy staff... and that Turkey, Iraq's largest trading partner, has only 55 people in its Iraqi embassy.

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