

Who's MAWO?

Mobilization Against War and Occupation is a coalition of over 50 endorsing organizations and also individual members, most of which are working class organizations, student groups, grassroots organizations, and ethnic communities. This is including Indigenous activists and groups from the third world as well as women, youth and elder fighters for social justice and against war and occupation. We are the people in struggle because we are people that suffer at the hands of imperialism. We have the energy, drive and will for change because it is in our interest to make this change in order to create a better world for all of humanity!

Get involved



with MAWO!

Meetings & Forums on Tuesdays - 7:00PM

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*** Upcoming Organizing Meetings ***

TUESDAY August 27 & September 10 at 7 pm

**Britannia Community Center - Learning Resource Centre
1661 Napier Street**

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Who is Chelsea Manning "Soldier of Humanity"?

To find out more about the case of whistleblower Chelsea Manning, pick up a brochure and petition from a MAWO info table or download one from our website www.mawovancouver.org

**MAWO MONTHLY ANTIWAR
RALLY & PETITION DRIVE**

SATURDAY AUGUST 24TH 3PM

**Vancouver Public Library
Robson Street at Homer Street**

**FREE CHELSEA
MANNING NOW!**



>> IMPERIALISTS HANDS OFF SYRIA!

- U.S./ Canada / NATO Out Of Afghanistan!
- U.S. Out Of Syria!
- No Sanctions Against Iran!
- Hands Off North Korea! End The Sanctions On North Korea!
- France, Canada & All Foreign Troops Out Of Mali!
- Stop Israel's Ongoing Assault On Palestinians!
- No U.S. Military In Syria!
- Self-Determination For Indigenous Nations & All Oppressed Nations!
- Money For Housing, Healthcare, Jobs & Education, Not For War & Occupation!
- U.S. Out Of Iraq Now!

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STOP THE MASSACRE IN EGYPT!

Statement from the International Action Center - August 14, 2013

<http://www.iacenter.org>

The latest massacre of Muslim Brotherhood supporters demonstrating in Cairo was ordered by the U.S.-trained Egyptian generals who had earlier carried out the military coup that ousted elected President Mohamed Morsi.

This bloody slaughter, along with the appointment of 17 Army and two police generals as governors of the 27 Egyptian governorates, plus the coup regime's declaration of a one-month "state of emergency," should wipe out any remaining doubts about the ousting of Morsi. It was an outright military coup. His democratic right to govern based on an election has far more legitimacy than any general's diktat.

The generals' action was directed not only against the government, which had lost some popular support, but also against the Egyptian workers and farmers. It is aimed at restoring the dictatorial regime overthrown in 2011. The last "state of emergency" lasted three decades. During that entire time the Egyptian army and state, under dic-

tator Hosni Mubarak, served as a bastion of U.S. imperialist domination of the region.

There is already evidence that some of those individuals and organizations who had argued that the military was acting on behalf of the mass dissatisfaction with the Morsi government are now revising their opinion.

In its early history the Egyptian Army was seen as a patriotic, nationalist force defending Egyptian interests. However, as analyst Joyce Chediak said in a recent talk, "For the past four decades the officer corps has been armed and trained by the Pentagon — at a cost of \$1.3 billion a year. The interest of the officers is diametrically opposed to the interests of the rank-and-file soldiers and the people as a whole."

As evidence of the close U.S. ties with the generals, Washington's criticism of the massacre and the state of emergency has been minimal. This is so

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FREE PUBLIC FORUM



SPEAKERS. MULTIMEDIA. DISCUSSION

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

7PM

JOE'S CAFE

(1150 COMMERCIAL DR. @ WILLIAM ST.)

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FROM
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JAILING
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TERRORISTS
THEY
JAILLED
THE
FIVE
CUBAN
ANTI-TERRORISTS**

**94th MONTHLY PROTEST ACTION
AT THE U.S. CONSULATE (1075 W. PENDER)**

**CULTURAL/POLITICAL NIGHT FOR THE 5
JOE'S CAFE - 1150 COMMERCIAL DR. (N. LARGE NORTH HALL)**

Organized by: Free the Cuban 5 Committee - Vancouver

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