

COALITION FOR PEACE ACTION (CFPA)

WORKING FOR THE GLOBAL ABOLITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS
A PEACE ECONOMY, AND A HALT TO WEAPONS TRAFFICKING

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Peace Voter 2024

**Voter Guide General Election
NJ Congressional - District 7**



Sue Altman (D) Thomas Kean Jr. (R)

Supports a strong emphasis on diplomacy, rather than the threat or use of military force, to resolve international conflicts.	Yes	Did not respond
Supports a major role for the UN and similar institutions in preserving peace among nations.	Yes	Did not respond
Will advocate for extending the last remaining nuclear arms control treaty--the New START treaty--past its expiration in February 2026.	Yes	Did not respond
Supports a robust, bilateral, and lasting ceasefire in Gaza to facilitate hostage releases and large-scale delivery of desperately needed food and medical supplies for innocent civilians.	Yes	Did not respond
Supports eliminating funding for new fossil fuel infrastructure and instead fund new infrastructure to speed the transition to clean, renewable energy.	Yes	Did not respond
Opposes the so-called "nuclear modernization" program, which would replace the entire US nuclear arsenal at an estimated cost of \$2 trillion over the next 30 years.	Did not respond	Did not respond
Supports UN's Nuclear Weapons Ban Treaty, to help move the world away from nuclear weapon build-ups/ threats, and toward Global Abolition.	No	Did not respond
Supports Safe Storage of Firearms laws that require households with guns to store them securely.	Yes	Did not respond
Supports universal background checks with an up-to-date database for all gun sales in the US.	Yes	Did not respond
Supports keeping weapons of war out of our communities by reinstating a National Assault Weapons Ban.	Yes	Did not respond

Answers are based on responses to a questionnaire sent by Coalition for Peace Action to both candidates. This Voter Guide is not an endorsement of any candidate or political party.

We are urgently fundraising to publish this Voter Guide as a signature ad in newspaper(s) in District 7. Use the coupon below, or contribute at <https://bit.ly/3XzqTOd> to help publish it! Donors will have their name(s) listed with the ads unless they use the second option below.

Peace Voter Guide 2024: Signature Ads in Newspapers

Please return this coupon along with donation payable to:
Coalition for Peace Action
7 Vandeventer Avenue
Princeton NJ, 08542

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Contributions to CFPA can be used for lobbying and voter education, and are therefore not tax deductible.

45th Annual

Multifaith Service & Conference for Peace

Sunday, November 17, 2024



Rev. Taylor
President of *Sojourners*

Multifaith Service for Peace

11:00 a.m. at Princeton University Chapel
(no registration required, a free-will offering will be taken)

Preaching will be

The Rev. Adam Russell Taylor

and a wide range of faith leaders will help lead the service.

Attend in person or via livestream.

**Rev. Taylor will also be speaking
at the Conference for Peace, see below.**

Afternoon Conference for Peace

1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Princeton

50 Cherry Hill Rd., Princeton

Plenty of FREE parking adjacent to the church!

Registration is required to attend.

Register online at <https://bit.ly/4gyPk71> or use registration form on the back of the newsletter.



William D. Hartung
The Quincy Institute for
Responsible Statecraft



Heather Brandon-Smith
Friends Committee on
National Legislation



Sébastien Philippe
Princeton School of Public
and International Affairs

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Princeton Friends Meeting; Princeton University Chapel; Sacred Heart Peace Community,
Camden; The Ribbon International; Trinity Church;
Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Princeton;

If your organization would like to co-sponsor, complete the form on the back.

Speaker Bios

The Rev. Adam Russell Taylor is president of *Sojourners* and author of *A More Perfect Union: A New Vision for Building the Beloved Community*.

Taylor previously led the Faith Initiative at the World Bank Group and served as the vice president in charge of Advocacy at World Vision U.S. and the senior political director at *Sojourners*.

Taylor is ordained in the American Baptist Church and the Progressive National Baptist Convention and serves in ministry at the Alfred Street Baptist Church in Alexandria, VA.

William D. Hartung is Senior Research Fellow at the Quincy Institute for Responsible Statecraft, where he focuses on the arms industry and US military budget. He was previously the director of the Arms and Security Program at the Center for International Policy and the co-director of the Center's Sustainable Defense Task Force. He is the author of several books, including *Prophets of War: Lockheed Martin and the Making of the Military-Industrial Complex* (Nation Books, 2011), and has been a featured expert on national security issues on *CBS 60 Minutes*, *NBC Nightly News*, *the PBS Newshour*, *CNN*, *Fox News*, and scores of local, regional, and international TV and radio outlets.

Heather Brandon-Smith is the legislative director for foreign policy at the Friends Committee on National Legislation (FCNL). Heather leads FCNL's work to repeal outdated war authorization, promote respect for human rights and international law, and reduce U.S. armed interventions around the world.

Heather is also an Adjunct Professor of Law at the Georgetown University Law Center. Her writing has appeared in *CNN*, *The Hill*, *Lawfare*, *Just Security*, *The American Conservative*, *Responsible Statecraft*, and *Intercross*.

Sébastien Philippe is a Research Scholar with Princeton University's Program on Science and Global Security. His research includes nuclear non-proliferation, arms control, disarmament, and justice issues. He is the co-author of *Toxique* (French University Press, 2021), an investigation into the radiological and environmental impact of French nuclear tests in the Pacific, which was a Finalist for the 2021 Albert Londres Prize (the French equivalent of the Pulitzer), among other accolades. His article, *Who Would Take the Brunt of an Attack on U.S. Nuclear Missile Silos?*, was published in the December, 2023 issue of *Scientific American*.

See full bios at <https://bit.ly/4gyPk71>

CFPA Has New Board Chair

The Princeton-based Coalition for Peace Action (CFPA) Board of Directors unanimously elected **Jeffrey Laurenti** to be its new Board Chair as of September 1. He replaces Irene Etkin Goldman, who was Board Chair from January, 2004 until August, 2024. Ms. Goldman will continue as a Board member with the title of Chair Emerita.

A resident of Trenton's Chambersburg neighborhood and native of New Jersey's capital city, Jeffrey served as executive director of policy studies at the United Nations Association of the United States (UNA-USA) and as director of foreign policy programs at The Century Foundation. Before entering the U.N. arena, he served as executive director of the New Jersey Senate majority.

He has advised presidential campaigns on international organization issues, is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, and was his party's nominee for Congress (NJ-4) in 1986. He has been a speaker at a number of CFPA programs over the years, most recently at the 45th Annual Commemoration of the Atomic Bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki on August 5, 2024 in Princeton.

A graduate of Trenton Central High School, he earned his A.B. at Harvard College, magna cum laude; and his M.P.A. at Princeton University's School of Public and International Affairs.



CFPA's new Board Chair,
Jeffrey Laurenti

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(Suggested contribution of \$100, more or less welcome.)

Name of Organization

Signature of Person Authorizing Listing

Position in Organization

CONTRIBUTION & MEMBERSHIP

I would also like to contribute my 2024 membership:

- \$1000 Lifetime
- \$80 Household
- \$50 Individual
- Sliding Scale \$ _____

I can't come, but enclosed is a tax deductible contribution of \$ _____

**IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE
REGISTRATION**

(MUST BE MAILED BY NOV. 6)

Reserve _____ seats at:

- \$20 per CFPA member
- \$30 per non-member
- \$10 limited income
- FREE for students

**If you would like to register
and make payment with credit card,
please do so**

online (preferred) at:

<https://bit.ly/4gyPk71>

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609-924-5022

M-F between 10:00 AM and 3:30 PM

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