

# Anti-Militarism

*IRTF envisions a world where US relations with Central America and Colombia have moved beyond mostly military-to-military ties toward relationships that develop and uphold self-determination, freedom, democracy, and social and economic justice. By shifting money and human resources away from militarism—both in the US and in Central America and Colombia—more resources are devoted to meeting human needs.*

All are welcome to attend our monthly meetings at the IRTF office.

NEXT MEETING

MONDAY, APR 22, 7-8:30PM

## Democratization

### Goals

- to support people's pro-democratic, nonviolent movements.
- to support people's sovereignty and democracy instead of military and coup-imposed governments
- to advocate for public policy and US accountability to people's pro-democratic movements.

## US Training of Central American & Colombian Militaries

### Goals

- to end US training of Latin American military and other security forces in Central America and Colombia and on US soil.
- to end the US militarization of humanitarian, economic, environmental and other foreign assistance to Central America & Colombia.

## US Military Presence in Latin America

### Goal

- to eliminate long-term US military presence in Central America and Colombia, including personnel and bases.

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IRTF calls together the people of northeast Ohio to walk in solidarity with oppressed peoples of Central America and Colombia to achieve peace, justice, human rights, and systemic transformation through nonviolence.

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