

Rural Caucus and Strategy Session

* the annual gathering of the Rural Organizing Project *

March 15th & 16th in Salem, OR

Sunday: Rural Caucus - A Full Day of Strategy and Inspiration

Mid-Day Rally to Stop the Wars at Home and Abroad

Monday Morning: Democracy Bailout Legislative Visits



In March 2009, ROP members from all corners of the state will converge on the Capitol in Salem for 36 hours to advance our progressive power. We'll start with a Sunday Rural Caucus to advance our organizing strategies and skills and affirm our platform of specific policy needs. On Monday, we'll take that platform to our Legislators and Governor, demanding a New Deal for Rural Oregon and beyond and exposing the unacceptable Costs of the Wars at Home and Abroad. We have worked hard to earn back some progressive, common sense power. **In 2009, we intend to use it.**

REGISTRATION FORM

Names: (Each human dignity group is encouraged to send a team of 3-5. Check the boxes to indicate the days each person will attend.)

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| 1. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun. <input type="checkbox"/> Mon. | 4. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun. <input type="checkbox"/> Mon. |
| 2. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun. <input type="checkbox"/> Mon. | 5. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun. <input type="checkbox"/> Mon. |
| 3. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun. <input type="checkbox"/> Mon. | 6. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sun. <input type="checkbox"/> Mon. |

Address: _____ City, Zip _____
(For lead Caucus contact)

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Local human dignity group: _____

<p>Registration fees: ROP member groups & early bird registrants receive a discount. <i>Not sure if your group paid its \$50 group dues for 2009 yet? Call the ROP office at 503-543-8417.</i></p>	
<p><u>Early Registration</u> <i>(money received before February 15th)</i></p> <p>___ \$40 for ROP group of 3** ___ \$15 for one ROP member ___ \$25 for a non-member</p>	<p><u>Late Registration</u> <i>(after February 15th)</i></p> <p>___ \$60 for ROP group of 3** ___ \$25 for one ROP member ___ \$35 for a non-member</p>
<p>___ To become an individual member add \$35. <i>**Further group rates available.</i></p>	

- Please help me/us find housing for _____ people on Saturday evening.
- Please help me/us find housing for _____ people on Sunday evening.

Other types of assistance are available but space and resources are limited, so register **EARLY!**

Comments on what your group most wants to get out of this year's gathering:

**Please return completed registration (along with your check by 2.15.09 if you want the discount) to:
 Rural Organizing Project * POB 1350 Scappoose, OR 97056 * 503-543-8417 * sarah@rop.org * www.rop.org**