

Solidarity Letter for Jeff Luers

Please consider endorsing this statement for Oregon political prisoner Jeff "Free" Luers.

This is a statement that was written by supporters of Oregon political prisoner Jeff "Free" Luers. If you're willing to endorse this statement, please contact breakthechains02@yahoo.com and be sure to include a brief self-description [for instance, you can mention what organizations you belong to or books you have authored]. The goal of the statement is draw attention to the case of Mr. Luers, and to positively affect his appeal. For more information, see www.freefreenow.org. Questions, comments, or concerns may be addressed to breakthechains02@yahoo.com or freefreenow@mutualaid.org

To Whom it may concern:

Jeffrey Luers is a political prisoner serving a 22 year prison sentence for actions that did not physically threaten, let alone harm anyone.

Prior to his imprisonment, Mr. Luers was a very well-liked community activist in Eugene, Oregon. He was known to law enforcement because of his involvement with forest defense and anti-police brutality activism.

Mr. Luers was arrested in June, 2000, after leaving the scene of a fire at a Romania car dealership in Eugene, Oregon. He was initially charged with three counts of First Degree arson for setting fire to three Sports Utility Vehicles [SUVs] at the car dealership, and later received additional charges of Attempted Arson and Conspiracy to Commit Arson at Tyree Oil Company.

Mr. Luers admits to having committed an act of property destruction at the Romania dealership. The stated purpose of this act was to bring attention to global warming and the increasing environmental crisis facing the world because of it. Mr. Luers took measures to make sure that no one would be injured as a result of his actions [an arson specialist and the Romania Night Watchman later confirmed at the trial this fire did not pose a threat to human beings]. He denies being involved in - or even knowing about - the attempted arson at the Tyree Oil Company. There was no physical evidence presented that tied him to the latter incident. Fingerprints found at the scene of the crime did not match Mr. Luers' or those of his co-defendant.

During the course of his trial, statements were made by the police and prosecuting attorney that indicated it was Mr. Luers' political views on trial, not merely his actions. His defense successfully proved that evidence had been tampered with, officers had lied and that the prosecutor had manipulated evidence to get a legal search at his residence.

The defense had the upper hand until the untimely death of Mr. Luers' lead attorney, Ken Morrow. This caused the judge to declare a mistrial leading to significant delays, allowing the prosecution to regroup and rethink their strategy.

Perhaps most significantly, the judge threw out the testimony of Mr. Luers' expert witness merely because he disagreed with the state's witnesses. The expert witness had done a more thorough investigation of the crime scenes (including taking photos of the burned vehicles that the police did not) than the Eugene Police Department and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms.

In June of 2001, Mr. Luers was convicted of 11 of 13 charges and sentenced to 22 years imprisonment. Under Oregon's Measure 11 mandatory-minimum sentencing guidelines, he does not have the possibility of parole or early release.

The length of this sentence is patently unjust, particularly when compared to those commonly given to people convicted of crimes against persons. For example, Manslaughter 1 carries a 10 year sentence; Attempted Murder, only 7 and-a-half years; Rape 1, 8 years and four months. Clearly, Jeffrey's sentence is vastly disproportionate to the crime of burning three vehicles. A research project sponsored by supporters of Mr. Luers and the Human Rights Commission of the City of Eugene revealed this disparity and prompted the Commission to sign a statement questioning the role Mr. Luers politics may have played in his sentence.

Mr. Luers was given a sentence that would send the message to environmental and social justice activists that even a merely symbolic act of property destruction would now be equated with terrorism and punished more harshly than many crimes against persons. Since his imprisonment, Mr. Luers has been labeled by the FBI and corporate press as an "eco-

terrorist.” This label has been used by the Oregon Department of Corrections to justify placing Mr. Luers at Security Threat Group status – a designation typically reserved for white supremacists and gang members.

During these difficult times, we must work diligently to ensure that the basic civil rights of everyone are equally protected and upheld. We cannot tolerate the criminalization of dissent or repression against activists, even if we may not agree with their tactics.

Mr. Luers is a sincere young man, and has a tremendous amount to offer the community. We feel that it would be an injustice to keep him locked up during the most precious years of his life. He has stated that, if released, he would continue to be active in efforts to protect the environment, but would avoid activities that would lead him back to prison.

In light of Mr. Luers stated political beliefs and the unusual length of his sentence, we recognize him as a political prisoner. We also support his appeal process, and call for a review of his sentence that would lead to a reduction in time served.

Signed by [as of March 1, 2005]

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- Marco Pable (Merced, CA)
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- Jim Page-Song writer, singer and independent recording artist (Seattle, WA)
- Mike Palecek- Author, former federal prisoner for peace, congressional candidate, newspaper reporter (Sheldon, IA)
- Hali Panneton-Human rights and environmental activist (Olympia, WA)
- Christian Parenti-Author and PhD Research Fellow, Center for Place, Culture & Politics at the City University Of New York Graduate Center (New York City, NY)

- Michael Parenti-Award-winning author and lecturer (San Francisco, CA)
- Mira Parker-(San Francisco, CA)
- Kris Perneel- Advocate for political prisoners (Beernem, Belgium) Natalie Smith Parra - Writer, teacher, activist, and editor of Justice Denied Magazine (Coquille, OR)
- Benjamin Persky- former political prisoner (New York, NY)
- Kristen Peterson-Member, Coalition for Prisoner's Rights (Santa Fe, NM)
- Jane Petro-(Scarsdale, NY)
- Devan Phenix - Songwriter (Beaverton, OR)
- Shannon Phillips- student (Philadelphia, PA)
- Jeff Rawson - (Baltimore, MD)
- Kate Rawson - (Baltimore, MD)
- Amy Pincus Merwin-Audio and video producer, InForm Productions and Radio (Eugene, OR)
- Lukasz Pietraczuk - Student of linguistics (Warsaw, Poland)
- Justin Poselenzny - Independent media activist (Portland, OR)
- Freya Powell- Student, (Annandale-On-Hudson, NY)
- Kevin Purcell - Mechanic (Eugene, OR)
- Carrie Ramsden – Concerned citizen (Batavia, IL)
- Patsy Raney-Women's Program/Social Science Professor at Lane Community College (Eugene, OR)
- David Rankin- Law Student- (New York, NY)
- Gary Rath- (Pleasant Hill, CA)
- Mark Rausher - Computer consultant (New Paltz, NY)
- Antti Rautiainen, Student of mathematics (Moscow, Russia)
- Priya "Warcry" Reddy - Filmmaker/Writer/Organizer (New York, NY)
- Rachael Reeves - (Eugene, OR)
- Lauren Regan-Executive Director, Civil Liberties Defense Center (Eugene, OR)
- Ben Reed-(Guilford, CT)
- Victorio Reyes-Author of the book *The Rebirth of Crazy Horse*, Poems for the Struggle, director of the Albany Social Justice Center and member of the Jericho Movement (Albany, NY)
- Debbie Richards - archivist and prisoner support activist (Boston, MA)
- Chui Rico- Food Not Bombs (Monterey, CA)
- Calmen Riemer - Food Not Bombs (Middletown, CT)
- Carmen Ripley, ND Naturopathic Physician, Professor at Western States Chiropractic College (Portland, Oregon)
- Cheryl Rivers Hailey-Prisoner-support activist and member of the Industrial Workers of the World (Eugene, OR)
- Brandon Rose- Vegan Outreach (San Jose, CA)
- Cindy Rosin- arts educator and volunteer with the Activism Center of Wetlands Preserve, (New York, New York)
- Olivia Rousset-Documentary Filmmaker (Sydney, Australia)
- Eyal Rozenberg - Student of Computer Science, active in the Pevzner 27 Infoshop Project (Haifa, Palestine)
- Mishaeda Rubin-(Scarsdale, NY)
- Rachael Ruth - Food Not Bombs and anti-domestic violence activist (Fargo, ND)
- Tomasz Sajewicz-Graduate of history faculty at University of Bialystok (Bialystok, Poland)
- Amir Sarkeshik- Black Identity (Antioch, CA)
- Jordan Samolesky-Drummer and vocalist for political band Propaghandi (Winnipeg, Canada)
- Lawrence Sampson-Member of Leonard Peltier Defense Committee Board of Directors and the American Indian Movement (Cleveland, OH)
- Annie Sartor-Organic Collective (San Diego, CA)
- Larry Sawdy - Green Party and independent media activist (Erie, PA)
- Wendy Scher - musician, videographer (Brooklyn, NY)
- Livio Schiano di Cola-Student organizer for Giovani Comunisti (Milan, Italy)
- Laurie Schick - Educator, Ph.D. Candidate at University of California (Los Angeles, CA)
- Banka Schneider- Animal and Earth Activist, ACTUP!SF,(San Francisco, CA)
- Deng Schutzer-Art teacher (Yonkers,NY)
- Bernice Schutzer-Art consultant (Scarsdale, NY)
- Brian Setzler- Community Activist, Certified Public Accountant, Co-founder of the Pacific Green Party of Oregon. (Portland, Oregon)
- Jesús Sepúlveda - Chilean poet. Author of *The Garden of Peculiarities* and faculty member at the University of Oregon (Eugene, OR)
- Elizabeth Shane (New York)
- Tom Sharp - Student (Derby, UK)
- Anne Sheridan-(Oakland, CA)
- Margo Shafer - Music teacher (Berkeley, CA)
- Rebecca Sipe (Monterey, CA)

- Supos Sirikittikul- (San Francisco, CA)
- Anthony Vincent Silvaggio-Teacher, graduate student, community activist, Cascadia Wildlands Project Board of Directors. (Eugene, Oregon)
- Paula Simon- Member of Education Not Incarceration and Critical Resistance (Oakland, CA)
- Melynda Sipp - Independent videographer (Portland, OR)
- Anne Slater- Seattle Radical Women (Seattle, WA)
- Christina "Chrystos" Smith- Native American author and activist (Brainbridge Island, WA)
- Ariel Solomon- Bay Area Animal Action (San Francisco, CA)
- Cynthia Spataro - Writer, student at Stony Brook University (Stony Brook, NY)
- Janie Spooner-(Oakland, CA)
- Marisa Sposaro- Anarchist Black Cross Melbourne (Melbourne, Australia)
- tova stabin-Author, teacher, librarian, and political activist (Eugene, OR)
- Dr. Amory Starr-Author of Naming the Enemy: Anti-Corporate Movements Confront Globalization, Professor of Sociology at Chapman University (Fort Collins, CO)
- Eric Seele - Statistician (Harrisburg, PA)
- Aubrey Stoch-(Scarsdale, NY)
- Brendan Story - Political prisoner support activist and bookstore worker (New York, NY)
- Lauren Stower-Organizer for the Inmate Case Management Program of Friends Outside (Santa Cruz, CA)
- Jared Stutts (Berkeley, CA)
- Jeremy Syrop - Free Mumia Abu-Jamal Coalition (Chappaqua, NY)
- Julie Tell (Berkeley, CA)
- Janer Tfoncoso- Food Not Bombs (San Francisco, CA)
- John Thompson - Freelance journalist, book indexer, Sociology PhD student (Brooklyn, NY)
- Sandra T. Thompson - Teacher (Orlando, FL)
- Alison Thorne-Socialist Alliance National Executive (Melbourne, Australia)
- Hannah Torres-Mother (Eugene, OR)
- Kazi Toure-former political prisoner (Boston, Massachusetts)
- Zac Townsend-Student organizer with Community Alliance of Lane County (Eugene OR)
- Barbara Trent - Academy Award winning filmmaker, writer, and lecturer. Director of COVERUP: Behind The Iran Contra Affair, and The Panama Deception. Co-Founder and Director of Empowerment Project, an activist and media organization (Chapel Hill, NC)
- Colin Trenter- Academy of Art (San Francisco, CA)
- Josh Trenter- Sea Shepherd Conservation Society (San Francisco, CA)
- Lauren Tuttle - (Hurdle Mills, NC)
- John Two Names - Native rights activist, former political prisoner, indigenist (Elmore, Alabama)
- Burnis E. Tuck - Retired member of AFL-CIO AFGC Local 3172 and part-time Internet book dealer (Fresno, CA)
- Chad Tucker - Food Not Bombs and homeless activist (Fargo,ND)
- Peter Urban-Director of the Irish Republican Socialist Committees of North America (San Francisco, CA)
- Oleguer Vall I Font - Student of Sociology at University of Barcelona (Barcelona, Spain)
- Niels van den Berge- Member of the Dutch Green Youth Party (Holland)
- Phil Weaver-Eugene Peace Works Board of Directors, local activist, mediator (Eugene, OR)
- Adrienne Weller-Retired union organizer and current member of the Freedom Socialist Party (Portland,OR)
- Mary Martinez-Wenzl-Development Coordinator for Community Alliance of Lane County (Eugene, OR)
- Timothy Walsh- Youth Coordinator, Irish Republican Socialist Committees of North America (Philadelphia, PA)
- Erin Wiegand (San Francisco, CA)
- Palova Valenti-(Burlingame, CA)
- Filip Vanderbeek- Protestants Social Center. Writer and speaker on poverty and globalisation.
- Frank Velgara - Member of the ProLibertad Freedom Campaign to Free the Puerto Rican Political Prisoners and Prisoners Of War, and representative of the Socialist Front of Puerto Rico working group in New York (New York City, NY)
- David Vest-Recording artist and CounterPunch columnist (Portland, OR)
- Camilo Viveiros - Community/tenant organizer (Somerset, MA)
- Jerry W. Vlasak, MD- Trauma surgeon, animal rights and environmental activist (Los Angeles, CA)
- Dean Voets - student (Ranst, Belgium)
- Geert Waegemans- former political prisoner, social worker (Belgium)
- Brian Waligura-Structural engineer with a small oilfield structures company (Houston, Texas)
- Donna Wallach - Anti-zionist and prisoner support activist (San Jose, CA)
- Ariel Wallick - Food Not Bombs (New Orleans, LA)
- Pual Wegner- P.I.E. Rec. (Atwater, CA)
- Adam Weissman, The Activism Center at Wetlands Preserve (New York, NY)
- Peter Werbe-Nationally syndicated radio talk show host (Detroit, MI)
- Anthony Willey - Artist (Cottage Grove, OR)

- David L. Wilson - Member of the Committee for the Release of Farouk Abdel-Muhti (New York City, NY)
- Jeremy Wilson-Industrial Workers of the World (Kansas City, KS)
- Nadia Winstead- Bay Area Animal Action, ACTUP! SF (San Francisco, CA)
- David Woods - Father, grandfather (Eugene, OR)
- Lisa Wright - Student, web developer (Chico, CA)
- Howard Zinn- Author of A People's History of the United States (Boston, MA)
- David Zupan-Activist and teacher: Northwest Media Project, Eugene PeaceWorks, Justice Not War Coalition, Eugene Media Action, Speakers' and Performers' Clearinghouse, 4J Guest Teacher (Eugene, OR)