

Brian Terrell, (L) John Amidon (C) Karen Pettit (R) arrested at the Nevada National Security Site, Sunday, October 16, 2022

With the U.S. and Russia hurling threats of nuclear annihilation at each other over the war in Ukraine, and the World closer to a nuclear Armageddon than any time since the Cuban missile crisis, the urgency to stand against world nuclear annihilation demands an immediate call for nuclear abolition.

On Sunday, October 16, 2022 Pax Christi New York State and Veterans for Peace member John Amidon, along with Nevada Desert Experience (NDE) facilitator Brian Terrell and NDE Board member Karen Pettit, was arrested at the Nevada National Security Site. John participated with the NDE in Justice For Our Desert, October 14 - October 16, 2022. Protests were held at the Nevada National Security Site and Creech Air Force Base for environmental justice, to abolish nuclear weapons, to ban the killer drones program, and to end the occupation of Newe Sogobia, the sovereign nation of the Western Shoshone. John Amidon and Brian Terrell were issued citations for trespass. Karen Pettit received a warning. The existential threat of nuclear war has never been closer than since the Cuban missile crisis. Nuclear war, conventional war and war preparations are preventing any possible climate restoration efforts from succeeding.

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