## THE GEORGIA GREEN PARTY

## A Party of Compassion, The Politics of Hope

Please spread the word in your community!

#### Why we need a Georgia Green Party NOW...

Because the children's future depends on it.

Because the future of life itself depends on it.

Because we have a RIGHT to clean air, clean water, clean soil, clean food and clean politics.

Because public forests and the public airwaves should serve people and future generations, not the profits of corporations.

Because tripling the number of Georgians imprisoned at taxpayer's expense has not made our communities safer.

Because spending half of federal tax dollars on preparations for war does not make us more secure.

Because neither race baiting nor ignoring racism has saved our jobs, wages or working conditions.

Because the globe is warming, the seas are rising, the polar caps are melting and hundreds of species become extinct every month.

Because the state DOT wants to spend \$5+ Billion on a Second Perimeter Highway around Atlanta.

Because we lose dozens of acres of forests in the metro Atlanta area every day while chip mills are decimating southern native forests.

Because Du Pont wants to either mine the Okeefenokee Swamp or have the public pay it not to.

Because *ending welfare as we know it* doesn't seem to deal with the subsidies benefiting corporations that pay wages that have families in poverty.

Because the nuclear industry wants to ship radioactive wastes on the rails and highways of Georgia to dump it on Native lands out West.

Because instead of a peace dividend, women are raped every six minutes in the midst of an ongoing reliance on impoverishing militarism, including at least two Georgia bases with nuclear weapons.

#### Why do we need a Georgia Green Party now?

Because the madness must stop. Because peace and justice are possible in our lifetimes.

Help be the cause of that.

#### Our 1999 Legislative Agenda:

- A. Non-Violent Juvenile Offender Sentencing Reform
- B. Healthy School Lunches
- C. Democratically Financed Elections
- D. Pollution Victim's Compensation Fund

E. Open Ballot Access -- Please support HB-672!

Please call your elected representatives today!

F. Use Georgia's share of the tobacco class action settlement to create a fund to make available universal access to one's choice of health and wellness care

#### Our Ten Key Values

Ecological wisdom Grassroots Democracy
Social Justice Peace and Nonviolence
Decentralization Community based-economics
Feminism Respect for Diversity
Personal and Global Future Focus on Sustainability
Responsibility

The 1999 Nominating Convention of the Georgia Green Party
Saturday, April 17th, 1999
10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

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state route 49 South of Americus
Watch for the signs on the right.
Help us name our Presidential Electors for 2000,
launch a ballot access petition drive,
elect new members to our state Coordinating Council,
review and amend our platform
and meet Greens from across Georgia.

Strategic planning discussions and social events from Friday night until Sunday afternoon. Call for details.

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#### Your help is requested and appreciated.

Contributions, merchandise and dues are not tax-deductible.

Please include name, address & occupation or employer to help us comply with state campaign finance disclosure laws.

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Political Parties organize to write the law in service of their own vision.

The Georgia Green Party is committed to creating a future worthy of our children.

## Membership Form

I wish to make application for membership with the Georgia Green Party. I am in basic agreement with the Ten Key Values and the Political Practices of the Greens as a Framework for organizing and political action. I understand that payment of dues is not necessary to credential or participate at Party state Conventions.

Enclosed are my dues of \$25.00/ year.	·
My means are modest.	I'm setting my dues at \$15.00/ year.
I am unemployed.	I'm setting my dues at \$5.00/ year.
Signature:	
Name:	
Address:	
City, State and Zip:	
Email & website:	
Phone numbers:	
County:	
Occupation/Employer:	
Yes, tell me about organizing a local.	
I want to host a house party.	
I've enclosed \$13.00 for the 22 min. 1998 c	
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I'll collect signatures.	
I'll distribute literature in my community.	
I pledge annual financial support for the wo	
I'm enclosing an additional contribution of:	\$

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