

PUBLIC POLICY AND EDUCATION FUND OF NEW YORK

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2008 AGENDA FOR CHANGE

QUALITY, AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE FOR ALL!

Every person in New York and America must have health coverage that meets his or her family's needs and is truly affordable. We need to be able to keep the health care that we have and have the choice of a public plan so we're not left at the mercy of the same private insurance companies that have gotten us into the mess we're in. The Public Policy and Education Fund of New York is committed to winning health care justice in America that ends racial disparities in health care for people and communities of color.

QUALITY EDUCATION FOR ALL! We believe that New York and the United States have a responsibility to give our schools the funding they need in order to succeed in giving our children a quality education from pre-K to after-school. The Public Policy and Education Fund of New York will fight for a public school system that eliminates racial inequity so that all of our children, regardless of race or income, are graduating from high school and succeeding in college. By organizing parents, youth and community members we will fight to make equitable funding all of our schools a top priority of the State of New York.

END THE WAR IN IRAQ AND FUND HUMAN NEEDS!

Over \$500 billion spent on the War in Iraq has prevented us from funding basic needs of residents of the United States in areas of education, after school, health care, energy assistance, food stamps and job training. In 2008, the Public Policy and Education Fund of New York will continue our campaign to end the War in Iraq, bring our troops home and fight for a federal budget that reflects the needs of the people - not the profits of corporations and the funding of an disastrous, endless war.

CLEAN ELECTIONS - FULL PUBLIC FINANCING!

Having candidates run with public money instead of the private money of corporations and wealthy donors is the only way the issues that matter to all of us will come before the interests of campaign donors. Full public financing of elections levels the playing field and allows true representation from our community. In 2008, the Public Policy and Education Fund of New York will make Clean Elections - the reform that puts the power back in the hands of the people - a top priority for New Yorkers as they head into the voting booth in November.

Our voter registration services are available without regard to the voter's political preference. Information and other assistance regarding registering or voting, including transportation and other services offered, shall not be withheld or refused on the basis of support for or opposition to particular candidates or a particular party.

