SEPTEMBER 9TH 2016

Alameda County Fairgrounds

4501 Pleasanton Ave Pleasanton, California

STATEWIDE MOBILIZATIO AGAINST MILITARIZATION

COMMUNITIES SAY NO TO URBAN SHIELD

Rally and Action with Cultural Program

8AM 10 12PM

For travel support or questions

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Current pick up locations:

StopUrbanShield.org



Pleasanton

Oakland

Berkeley

San Francisco Los Angeles

Other locations will be set up based on need.

ABOUT OUR COALITION

Stop Urban Shield is a broad coalition of grassroots community and social justice organizations that have united against Urban Shield, a SWAT team training and weapons expo that brings together local, regional, and international police-military units – including those from the Apartheid State of Israel – to collaborate on new forms of surveillance, state repression, and state violence.

IMPACTS OF URBAN SHIELD

As an extremely militarized policing program, **Urban Shield** increases the criminalization and targeting of our communities, particularly for people of color, poor people, and all those who are historically marginalized. Officials claim that **Urban Shield** provides law enforcement with needed training for emergency response, but we know that with more policing tools, tactics, weaponry, and militarized exercises, our communities will continue to be targeted as the emergency to be responded to with force.

JOIN OUR FIGHT

The fight against militarization, policing, and state violence requires a broad based movement of different communities and organizations coming together to build power. Through our organizing and grassroots mobilizing, we were able to kick **Urban Shield** out of Oakland in 2014, where the expo had been held since it started. This year, with enough support from communities across the state, we can end it for good. Join us!