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Greenpeace USA celebrates 47 years with fundraising gala

WASHINGTON – Greenpeace USA, an environmental justice nonprofit, is celebrating their 47th anniversary with a fundraising gala. The black tie event is 8-11 p.m. on April 14, 2022 at Greenpeace Headquarters at 702 H St., Washington, D.C.

Greenpeace USA is excited to celebrate their anniversary with an elegant gala. Invited guests will enjoy an evening of drinks and laughter with live entertainment. Guests can feel safe to get together and celebrate this anniversary as masks and a negative rapid test within 24 hours of the event are required. Purchase of gala ticket is required to enter, with prices starting at \$500 and an opportunity to include additional donation for the cause.

All proceeds from tickets will go to the nonprofit as they embark on another year of advocating environmental justice. Greenpeace relies on contributions like these to pursue their mission of a greener, healthier, and more peaceful planet. Greenpeace USA prides itself in never taking money from corporations or governments. The gala's guests can feel honored that their contributions are integral to this nonprofit and directly help the fulfillment of Greenpeace's objectives.

The pandemic has especially brought attention to racial inequality in America and high-lighted the unequal impact of the climate crisis on lower income, diverse communities. At the gala, Greenpeace will unveil one of their new objectives for this year. Moving forward, Greenpeace will shift toward campaigning for climate reform to protect these atrisk communities as increasing disease and pandemics are a consequence of rising global temperature.

"Today, we celebrate 47 years of climate reform advocacy. However, we still have a lot of work to do. Your donation to our cause will help us protect endangered communities from not just climate change but racial inequality and provide covid relief" said COO Twilley

Martin. "Moving forward, our focus will be raising awareness about the interconnection of climate change and emerging diseases and pandemics as we advocate for climate reform and the protection of at-risk, low income, diverse communities."

COO Twilley Martin is excited to celebrate all the hard work of the activists and the meaningful change Greenpeace has advocated for these past 4 decades. She is proud of the innovation and dedication of all her employees and especially impressed with their adaptability to the pandemic.

"The pandemic taught us new ways to communicate with our publics and address the climate crisis. We got creative. Greenpeace USA will carry those strategies into 2022 to make the best out of a dark time," said Martin.

Established in 1975, Greenpeace USA has been a key player in climate reform since the start of the climate justice movement. Today, Greenpeace is an international organization with headquarters across the globe. The nonprofit uses non-violent, creative strategies to draw the attention of global leaders and demand for climate reform.

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Greenpeace USA is a national and global protector of the environment and is committed to social, environmental and economic systematic reform. Since 1975, this nonprofit has advocated for climate reform through peaceful protest and innovative campaigning to highlight environmental issues and its intersectionality of racial injustice. Their dedication to saving the planet is highlighted through their team of passionate activists who peacefully protest environmental destruction through non-violent confrontation to raise public awareness and debate. Greenpeace USA is committed to creating solutions to advance environmental sustainability through social justice to create a greener, healthier, and more peaceful planet which can sustain life for generations to come. Learn more at www.greenpeace.org/usa/.