**CODEPINK**:

Women for Peace

**SAMPLE EMAIL ALERT**

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CODEPINK Women's Activist Training Camp XXX City, XXX Date

Join women of all ages, races and backgrounds for an entire day of activist training sessions brought to you by CODEPINK: Women for Peace.

CODEPINK began as a movement to stop the war on Iraq, and in a short time has become a vibrant presence in the peace and social justice community. It continues to organize actions in creative - and sometimes outrageous ways - addressing a multitude of issues from the missing weapons of mass destruction to the corporate takeover of our airwaves, all the while bringing into play the sensibilities of respect, compassion and interconnectedness.

CODEPINK has gained a reputation for being where the issues are and calling it like it is. Its unique call to action has captured the imagination of women and like-minded men throughout the country. We want to continue this great momentum and share it with you in an activist training camp.

LOCATION OF TRAINING CAMP: XXX

PRESENTATIONS/TRAINING SESSIONS\*:

Possible training sessions include XXX [FOLLOWING ARE SOME IDEAS] translating the news into creative actions; outreach; facilitating meetings; incorporating art and culture into your activism; how to get the media's attention; voter registration and education; campaign strategy; anti-racist organizing; using the Internet and WWW; youth and student organizing; and lobbying.

\*This is a tentative list of sessions. A final list including names of trainers will be available soon.

COST: $10 - 25 sliding scale. (Please pay $25 if you can afford to subsidize the camp for another activist.) [IF YOU CAN OFFER THE TRAINING FOR FREE, GREAT. IF YOU NEED TO PAY TO RENT A SPACE AND COMPENSATE SOME OF THE TRAINERS, YOU CAN CHARGE A REGISTRATION FEE.]

REGISTER: Registration is first-come, first-served and space is limited to 100 participants, so sign up soon! Please call XXX or email XXX.

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