

# Military & Draft Counselor Training

*learning to counsel youth on their legal options, rights  
and alternatives to military service*

**Saturday, September 18, 2004, 10am-3pm**

*(Arts & Sciences Building)*

**Lansing Community College, Lansing, Michigan**

*As the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan continue to raise issues of conscience for current military personnel and stretch them to their limits, we hear increased talk of a resumption of a draft.*

*It is important that someone is ready to counsel the millions of young men and women who may be faced with a major decision of conscience*

## **This Workshop is intended to:**

- Discuss the possibility of a resumption of a draft and consider advance preparations for it
- Address the particular needs of those who claim conscientious objection to military service in the event of a draft and in the current situation
- Enable people to provide guidance for conscientious objectors
- Explore counter-recruitment strategies and programs in our schools and other locations.

**The Workshop** will be divided between General plenary sessions and several "break-out" workshops on particular topics/issues. The active participation of attendees will be expected, using the expertise of those who have engaged in the efforts for some time.

Come ready to learn and share ideas!

Training will be facilitated by Michael Hovey, who has over 20 years of experience with the subject of conscientious objection to military service. He will be joined by additional counselors from Catholic Peace Fellowship Michigan.

*For more information contact [info@wevotepeace.org](mailto:info@wevotepeace.org)*

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## REGISTRATION

Preregistration is not mandatory, but so we can plan an effective & comfortable workshop and order enough manuals, **please register by September 7**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Registration \$10.00 donation per person\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_ books ordered @ \$25.00: \_\_\_\_\_

Can you help sponsor another participant? \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (day)  \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to the Peace Education Center**

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c/o Peace Education Center  
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East Lansing, MI 48823*

Phone (evening)  \_\_\_\_\_

*(Please check numbers at  
which you are best reached)*

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

*\* If payment is a hardship, please do what you can. We want to reach anyone who is interested in working on this issue. (registration includes lunch)*