

## Rise and Resist General Meeting - Zoom Edition - 5.9.2023

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- Meetings: Every Tuesday at 7pm on Zoom. To sign up for the Zoom meeting click [here](#).

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**New process for non RAR announcements or to put other things on the agenda:**  
Use [rar.facilitation@gmail.com](mailto:rar.facilitation@gmail.com) before 3PM on Monday!

### GOOD NEWS!

- Trump found guilty of sexual assault and battery among other things.
- George Santos will be charged by DOJ tomorrow at EDNY in Islip.
- NYS banned gas stoves in new construction
- Four more proud boys convicted of Seditious Conspiracy
- Good gun news out of Texas!  
<https://thehill.com/homenews/state-watch/3994634-ualde-families-cheer-after-two-republicans-help-advance-texas-raise-the-age-bill/>

### Upcoming Actions

Thursday, May 11, 10:00 a.m. Hochul's Office, 633 Third Avenue, Action by HALT Solitary

Thursday, May 11, 10:00 a.m. Fix This Mess Action outside NY State Committee meeting at Hilton Albany protesting party mess. Request to amplify:

Sign up link

<https://mobilize.us/s/c5lxie>

Facebook Link

<https://facebook.com/events/s/democratic-party-leaders-fix-t/270704192048986/>

Saturday, May 13, 2:00 p.m. Union Square. Moms Demand Action. One of many anti-gun actions across the country.

Monday May 15, 2:00 p.m., maybe again at 5:30. Manhattan Center. 34th St. 8th/9th Aves.. Fox UpFront presentation to advertisers. Action goal: to tell advertisers why advertising on Fox is a really bad idea.

## Reports Back

Thursday, May 4. Robert's event to educate future youth activists was a huge success.

Thursday, May 4, Santos birddogging in Farmingdale, L.I. at Santos mobile office hours held in a community room in the Village Hall. L.I. activists seeking to unseat him appear well organized.

Thursday, May 4. Immigration Vigil at South Ferry. New & stronger signage was effective.

Friday May 5. Say Their Names. Scary aggression against activists, particularly Marty, targeted apparently because of his age and fragility. Disturbing, apparently a trend.

Saturday May 6. Bway/Lafayette subway station. Multiple protests in response to the murder of Jordan Neely. Multiple videos of the crime, of police being disruptive, aggressive, inappropriate. Rough arrests, including of press. Discussion of failure of MTA, social services, police to support people with Jordan Neely's problems. All press links here:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1x64GbfLalix-CQTncZj2rM2oSWdooEW3\\_-9Q1eFW53U/edlit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1x64GbfLalix-CQTncZj2rM2oSWdooEW3_-9Q1eFW53U/edlit?usp=sharing)

Saturday, May 6, Abortion clinic defense. Arrests, cops on motorcycles, growing numbers of anti-abortion people.

Tuesday, May 9. E. Jean Carroll verdict day. Third time RaR showed up in support of E. Jean. Trump found guilty after 3 hours of deliberation. Let's hope she gets paid!

Tuesday, May 9. Truth Tuesdays at Fox. Gun-violence themed. Aggression, shoulder checking of folks at the end of the banner. For future reference, more vulnerable people should be in the middle, not at the ends.

Tuesday, May 9. GAG Human Beings action at NYPL re: Texas mall shooting. Moving, as they always are.

## Non Rise and Resist actions

Wednesday, May 10, 2023 • 5:00 PM Biden Climate birddogging. Meet at Dorris C Freedman Plaza • East 60th street and 5th avenue

[https://actionnetwork.org/events/tell-biden-end-fossil-fuels?source=direct\\_link&](https://actionnetwork.org/events/tell-biden-end-fossil-fuels?source=direct_link&)

Thursday, May 11 at 7:30 PM

Make NY Safer and Help Close Rikers

A Panel on Supportive Housing.

<https://cbebk.shulcloud.com/social-justice/make-ny-safer>

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