

## Take Action! Support IFCO/Pastors For Peace

### Stop IRS Threats to Revoke IFCO Tax-Exempt Status

#### US Women and Cuba Collaboration Statement of Support for IFCO/Pastors for Peace

The US Women and Cuba Collaboration protests in the strongest terms the misinformed and unjust IRS proposal to revoke the 501c3 tax exempt status of IFCO/Pastors for Peace. We hold the work of IFCO in highest regard as a model for our own related work which is to strengthen ties between US and Cuban women and to end the US economic blockade of Cuba.

The Interreligious Foundation for Community Organization (IFCO) has a mission of helping move forward the struggles of oppressed peoples for justice and self-determination. In 1988 Pastors for Peace was established as a special ministry of IFCO to pioneer the delivery of humanitarian aid to Latin America and the Caribbean with its premiere work being its caravans to Cuba. For over four decades IFCO has supported peoples' struggles all over the world including Africa and Palestine, assisting oppressed peoples to fight for their human rights and national sovereignty.



The Collaboration stands in solidarity with IFCO and urges all members of our Collaboration, all friends of Cuba, and all people devoted to just and democratic values to add their voices of support to IFCO and its long history of invaluable work by contacting elected officials and by protesting to the IRS.

In solidarity,  
Cindy, Jan, Catherine, Carydad, Kamilah, Michelle, Moon, Victoria  
Collaboration Steering Committee

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