



Demilitarizing the U.S. Police Force:

A Resolution Adopted by the Board of Directors of the Chesapeake Climate Action Network

Date: June 8th, 2020

Motion introduced by board member Rev. Lennox Yearwood. Seconded by board chair Dave Goodrich.

Passed by unanimous vote.

Motion as adopted:

“The Chesapeake Climate Action Network supports reform efforts now being advanced nationwide under the broad policy heading of Defund the Police. We believe that cities, counties, states, and federal agencies everywhere should rapidly divest from police programs that directly or indirectly give rise to brutality. We believe such resources should be invested instead in social and community programs that protect and enhance the well-being of all Americans, treating all members of society with the dignity and respect that are fundamental rights.”

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