

Coalition Against Global Genocide's reaction to all of the mass shootings during the month of May

The Coalition Against Global Genocide (CoAGG) sends condolences to the families of the men, women and children who were killed in the numerous mass shootings that occurred in May; most notably in Buffalo, NY and Uvalde, TX. These are yet further senseless, hateful and rage filled crimes in our communities as people go about their daily lives. We allow this kind of hate to perpetuate when we don't speak up and call it out for what it is-domestic terrorism pure and simple.

Why does this keep happening? "We talk about it and then we don't do anything", Jelani Cobb said on May 16 to Judy Woodruff on PBS NewsHour. As we at CoAGG so often say, "never again" but instead we find ourselves saying "yet again".

We MUST pass laws to regulate hate rhetoric on the internet. We MUST be responsive to the families after violence. There MUST be more resources for social relief and post trauma treatment. Fear can be replaced with action if we can get beyond hate's inertia.

Call, write, or e-mail your Congressperson and Senator and tell them you want to see meaningful legislation that tackles and punishes these mass shootings as domestic terrorism and enacts laws that block sales of weapons of war.