Recent weeks have involved death and injustice on a scale that none of us should accept as normal. Yet amid rockets, airstrikes, evictions, lynchings and an explosion of fear and hate, thousands of Israelis and Palestinians have mobilized. Marching together for peace, security, justice, and equality.

They are members of the Alliance for Middle East Peace (ALLMEP), the largest and fastest-growing network of peacebuilding NGOs in Israel and Palestine, with 150+ organisations connecting citizens on the grassroots level in pursuit of peace. 90% of Palestinians do not trust Israeli Jews. 76% of Israeli Jews do not trust Palestinians. Neither side believes it has a partner for peace. Until these attitudes change, little else will. ALLMEP’s members have transformed the lives and attitudes of thousands of people. It’s time to reach millions.

That’s where you come in. ALLMEP has led a 12-year campaign to create an International Fund for Israeli-Palestinian Peace. The U.S. recently committed $50 million per year to these efforts via the Nita M. Lowey Middle East Partnership for Peace Act. Yet recent events show that the world must do more. Several countries are ready to join to reach a scale that can change the course of this conflict.

With the G7 Summit approaching on June 11th, now is the time to advance this ready-made project to create an International Fund for Israeli-Palestinian Peace. U.S. funding is already in place; the Biden Administration is in a position to lead; the UK — who are hosting G7 — have already endorsed the concept, and much of the international community is ready to join them.

But time is short, and your voice can make all the difference. Sign our letter to the Biden Administration asking them to raise this issue at the upcoming G7 summit on June 11th. Please visit www.allmep.org to learn more and sign on, so that the region’s peacebuilders—not those promoting fear, violence, or racism—can shape the future for Israelis and Palestinians. And while you’re there, see how you can get involved and support ALLMEP and our members’ courageous work.

Don’t give in to division, the path forward is together. Please take action today.

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