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**Helena Pasquarella Candidate for California's 24th Congressional District Seat
denounces Carbajal's Position on Military Supplemental Vote**

OJAI, CA-

Helena Pasquarella, peace candidate for the 24th congressional district, denounced Salud Carbajal's attempt to rush a \$95 billion supplemental war spending bill to the floor of the House. "My opponent seeks to aid and abet Israel's genocide in Gaza with an additional \$14 billion in weapons that will only result in more death and destruction. The supplemental also allows the Biden administration to bypass Congress to send additional weapons to jeopardize a regional if not world war," she said.

Pasquarella points to Carbajal's \$73,000 in past contributions from military contractors and \$57,000 from the American Israel Public Affairs Committee as reasons why her opponent may be lobbying for the supplemental. "I want to get big money out of politics," said Pasquarella, "because we can see how special interests can easily compromise our representatives."

Carbajal claims that by passing the bill we are increasing our security at home and possibly saving the lives of American service members and civilians from future wars. "This type of ideology is what maintains the Military Industrial Complex's control over our economy and society. We must stop sending money to endless wars. War makes more war. Peace makes more peace," she concluded.

Military Contractor Contributions to Carbajal's Campaign

2022 Cycle:

List

Raytheon- \$10,000

Lockheed Martin-\$4,000

Lockheed Martin-\$6,000

Northrop Grumman-\$7500

General Dynamics-\$10,000

L3Harris Technologies-\$10,000

SpaceX-\$10,000

Honeywell International-\$8,000

BAE Systems-\$3,000

General Atomics-\$2, 500

Boeing-\$2,000

TOTAL: \$73,000

AIPAC- \$54, 715 (since 2017)

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