

ISN'T IT TIME TO ABANDON THE WAR ON OURSELVES?

DRUG PROHIBITION:

- Creates a criminal class of great wealth with the power to corrupt
- Provides profit motive for selling drugs to our youth
- Generates huge illicit profits that fund terrorists and destabilize nations
- Wastes between \$35 and \$40 Billion of our taxes each year
- Arrests nearly 1.6 million people each year, most just ordinary citizens
- Chips away at our Constitutional rights and liberties
- Targets African-American and Hispanic communities
- Denies marijuana to patients suffering with AIDS, glaucoma and cancer
- Spreads AIDS and Hepatitis C to the general population and to newborns by denying clean needles to injection drug users

EXPERIENCE TEACHES: Prohibition fails but liquor stores and pharmacies succeed in controlling soft and hard drugs.

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