

Dear Maryland General Assembly,

I am writing in support of HJ 0002 calling for a ceasefire in Israel and Palestine. The level of carnage that we have witnessed over the past 5 months has been horrific. Over 30,000 people have been killed, many innocent civilians and tens of thousands more have been displaced. On top of this, the people in Gaza are now facing starvation. We must support a ceasefire to not only stop the rapid rate of killing but to allow humanitarian aid to enter the Gaza strip. Just this morning we heard about the "flour massacre" where starving Palestinians were gunned down by Israeli fire while attempting to get flour from aid trucks. The killing must stop. The majority of Americans support a ceasefire. It is time our government does as well.

Thank you,
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