

## **Bhopal... This could happen here!**



20 years ago, a Union Carbide factory belched a cloud of deadly gas onto a working class neighborhood of Bhopal, India. It was the worst industrial disaster in human history. Of the half million people exposed, 8,000 died immediately and many thousands more continue to die or live in misery.

Union Carbide walked away leaving thousands of tons of toxic waste to contaminate the environment and water supply of the community.

In 2001, Dow Chemical purchased Union Carbide but has refused to clean up the site or to release medical warnings about its poison gases or to help with the longterm rehabilitation of survivors.

In 2004, the danger of chemical assault persists near chemical factories around the world. In the U.S. alone, more than 110 chemical plants in urban areas could each kill one million people if an accident or terrorist attack were to occur.

Join a Global Day of Action to hold Dow & other chemical manufacturers accountable, with

- Nishant Jain (Assoc. for India's Development)
- Dr. Lee Blount, Jr. (Health & Environ. Justice)
- Zaki Baruti (moderator, Green Party & UAPO)

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