

March 10, 2009 marks the 50-year anniversary of the uprising against Communist China's rule in Lhasa, Tibet. Tens of thousands of Tibetans were killed in the streets of Lhasa by China's forces. March 10 also marks 50 years since His Holiness the Dalai Lama escaped from Tibet, fearing persecution by China's government. Tibetans and supporters will protest worldwide against China's ongoing brutal crackdown in Tibet. In the USA, actions will occur in Boston, Chicago, New York, D.C., Los Angeles, San Francisco, Santa Fe and St. Paul (See below for a list of time and place details, please join!). Standing in solidarity with Tibetans and fellow Tibet supporters, ITIM board members and activists will participate in major actions in Washington D.C. and Chicago, IL.

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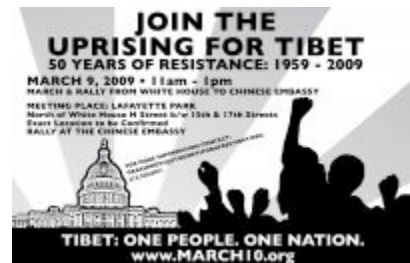
March for Tibet from the White House to the Chinese Embassy

Date: March 9, 2009

Location: Washington, D.C.

Time: 11am-1pm

Meeting spot: Lafayette Square Park, in front of the White House (*H St. between 15th and 17th St., NW - Metro stop: McPherson Square*)



Program:

11:30am - Speakers in Lafayette Park, including Ngawang Sandrol (youngest of the 'Drapchi 14' nuns), Tsetan Norbu (member of the Tibetan Parliament)

12:00pm - March to Chinese Embassy

1:00pm - Rally at Chinese Embassy

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JOIN THE UPRISING IN CHICAGO

March for Tibet from Water Tower Place to the Chinese Consulate for Mass Rally

Date: March 10th

Location: Chicago, IL

Meeting Spot: Water Tower Place- 835 N. Michigan Avenue

*Transportation is being organized from Minneapolis and Wisconsin

*Contact: Ngawang - dolke001@gmail.com

JOIN THE UPRISING!

New York

Date: March 10th

Time: 8am Meet at Cadman Plaza, Brooklyn
March across Brooklyn Bridge
Rally & Speakers at United Nations
Protest at Chinese Consulate
Contact: Chand - grassroots@studentsforafreetibet.org

Boston

Date: March 10th

Time: 9am Tibetan Flag Raised at Boston City Hall (One City Hall Square, Boston, MA)
2-7pm
- Meet in front at Boston State House to read His Holiness' statement, Gov Deval Patrick's March 10th proclamation
- March around Boston Commons, ending at Park Street Station
- At Park Street, performances, speakers, rally

Contact: Tsepa Bayul tsepa.bayul@gmail.com or 617-217-1612

St. Paul

Date: March 10th

Time: 9:00am - Meet up at the Capitol Rotunda and March in Downtown St. Paul
Contact: Ngawang - dolke001@gmail.com

San Francisco

When: 10 a.m. March 10, 2009
Organized by SF Team Tibet
Meet at Justin Herman Plaza at Embarcadero
Heading Towards Market St, San Francisco
Contact: Seldon - seldonsft@gmail.com

[Click here](#) to download a poster for the SF rally

Los Angeles

March 10th

11:30am - Gather at LA City Council (200 North Spring Street)
12:00pm - Speeches by City Council members and others
1:00pm - Walk towards Chinese Consulate
2:00pm Vigil at Chinese Consulate
Contact: Sherap - sherap@gmail.com
Organized by Tibetan Association Southern California (TASC)

For other rallies locations in the United States, including Boston, Sante Fe, Salt Lake City, please contact: 212-358-0071