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Protest Outside the TPP Negotiations Monday, Dec. 8th, at Noon

*As Do-or-Die Round of TPP Negotiations Kick Off in Washington D.C., Groups
Protest TPP, Celebrate Demise of Fast Track*

- WHAT:** Lead negotiators from the 12 countries involved in the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) talks will be meeting in Washington, D.C., the week of Dec. 8 in an attempt to conclude the beleaguered deal. Protestors will make sure that the negotiators meeting at the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR) are aware of growing U.S. opposition to the TPP and the extremely dim prospects of President Obama obtaining a congressional grant of trade authority. U.S. public opposition to the TPP has grown with awareness of the pact's expansive reach and prospective threats. Organizations involved in the protest range from those worried about job offshoring to those fighting for U.S. drug cost containment policies, from climate and anti-fracking groups to food safety activists, and from human rights to social justice faith groups.
- WHO:** Labor, environmental, family farm, consumer, human rights, public health, internet freedom, faith and other groups
- WHEN:** 12 p.m. EST Monday, Dec 8, 2014
- WHERE:** Office of the U.S. Trade Representative
600 17th Street NW
Washington, D.C.

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