

Montanans Against Deploying National Guard to Foreign Countries for War.

I represent the people of Montana that are concerned with the recent decision to deploy National Guard soldiers to fight in Iraq. This should not be the case for the National Guard. The National Guard's purpose is to fight enemies that are domestic to the United States of America.

In the United States, The National Guard has to fight enemies that are in the U.S. And help when a major tragedy occurs such as earthquakes, or hurricanes. The National Guard does not have to go overseas to another country and fight those enemies. That is why we have the Air force, Navy, Marines and the Army.

Also the threat in Iraq right now is under control, but in Afghanistan the threat is still heavy and the fighting continues there. The National Guard should not have to fight in any country overseas.

As stated above, The National Guard should not be deployed overseas to fight in another country. The United States of America need all the National Guard they could get because of all the threats world wide. We need soldiers just in case of a possible attack in our country, or for a serious disaster caused by nature.

I will support legislation that will deny the deployment of National Guard soldiers overseas to fight another country.

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