

**לעברית - לחץ כאן!**

## **This month's top agenda items:**

**Join Regavim -Help Protect the  
Land of Israel**

**תרומה לרגבים-שותפות בשמירה על ארץ  
ישראל**

In recent weeks, throughout the negotiations to form a new coalition, a number of political parties, including Likud, Yemina and New Hope, held intensive consultations with Regavim regarding the Kaminitz Law, regulation of Bedouin settlement in the Negev and the battle for Judea and Samaria.

It now appears that the New Hope Party has succeeded in including the creation of a 'directorate for land preservation in Judea and Samaria' – which we hope will address the challenges and promote the solutions we have been proposing for over a decade – in the coalition agreement for the new government.



At the same time, we launched a media campaign, including digital-media circulation of videos, print and digital ads, coupled with a conventional media blitz on our call to preserve the Negev, but it appears that our campaign has not had the desired effect: Our comprehensive program for the Negev has not been included in the coalition platform. By all indications, the incoming government will devote considerable attention to land-use issues in the Negev, and we will continue our intensive parliamentary lobbying to prevent policy or legislative moves that endanger the future of the Negev. To contribute to our Negev campaign, [click here >>>](#)

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**Stepping up – in Israel’s “mixed cities”** –In the turbulent days that recently swept over Israel, Jewish residents of Israel’s mixed cities issued impassioned pleas for help when their lives, homes and businesses were threatened by their Arab neighbors. At Regavim, we understood early on that the authorities wouldn’t be providing solutions for the urgent security needs of Jewish residents, so together with the Lod Community Council and My Israel (‘Yisrael Sheli’), Regavim quickly set up a ‘situation room’ that worked round the clock to handle calls from residents desperate for protection - and volunteers from around the country who wanted to help: medics, drivers, reserve-duty IDF officers, caregivers, & more.

[Watch this clip for more >>>](#)



**Emergency Knesset hearing:** Following a week of Arab rioting in mixed cities across Israel, we held an emergency hearing in the Knesset, co-hosted by MK Amichai Chikli, in which we demanded that governance be restored and illegal weapons collected. We called upon the government to conduct an in-depth inquiry and to formulate a comprehensive and adequately funded program to regain control of the situation and to restore the rule of law through equal and universal enforcement throughout the country and in all sectors of the population. [Read more >>>](#)





**IDF Training Ground becomes Egged Bus Graveyard:** A Regavim expose' aired on Israel TV Channel 12 revealed that right under the noses of the IDF's top brass, in the heart of a IDF firing zone designated for live battle exercises, an illegal "chop shop" is conducting thriving and lucrative trade: Dozens of Egged (Israel's national transportation cooperative) buses are dismembered for parts and their frames left to rust and pollute the soil, water and air- and disrupt crucial training exercises. [Read more >>>](#)



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A police complaint has been filed against a Lod imam for inciting [#violence](#) and [#terrorism](#) after he called [#Israel](#) an "enemy state" and vowed to bring death to the "Zionist occupation." [@israelpolice](#)

**Incitement to murder = murder** – We submitted a complaint to the Israel Police against the incessant incitement by the imam of the largest mosque in Lod, who publicly – both in print and oral addresses in his official capacity as a religious functionary – encouraged violence and racism. These statements, made throughout the wave of Arab riots, were an important factor in encouraging and intensifying hate crimes against Jews in the city.

[Read more >>>](#)





**A successful outcome - for the truth** – We supported the Security Coordinators of the Avshalom and Nitzan Region communities in their fight to have their personal firearms returned to them. Their guns had been impounded by the Israel Police after false charges were filed against them by Bedouin lawbreakers. Less than a week after the court rejected Regavim's petition, the Avshalom Security Coordinator was forced to fight off an Arab infiltrator with his bare hands to avert a terrorist attack against his community. Regavim spearheaded a public campaign, covered by Israel TV Channel 12, that created significant pressure and resulted in the return of the Security Coordinators' personal firearms. **Read more >>>**

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**Explaining the issues – from the field:** What are the "new settlements" Mansour Abbas and the Raam Party are demanding as a condition for the formation of the new government? **Watch this video to learn more >>>**

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**Chipping away at the rule of law?** We are continuing our unrelenting battle (which was **important news as far back as 2011**) against the Beit Fajar and Tariffi quarries – two illegal operations that are ravaging the environment and laying the rule of law to waste. Despite numerous court decisions, business at these two massive quarries goes on as usual. If Israeli authorities refuse to uphold the law

and protect the Land of Israel from environmental abuse, how can citizens be expected to behave any differently? **For more >>>**

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**New petition: Stop the expansion of “Duma”** – After we filed 5 official complaints with the Civil Administration about infrastructure work carried out by the Palestinian Authority in the Binyamin Region of Area C – on public Israeli “survey land” , and after our report on this illegal activity to the Area C Task Force received a standardized, laconic response, the only course of action left to stop this land grab was to file a High Court of Justice petition against the Civil Administration, the body that should have taken steps to block this illegal takeover. Watch this space for updates...

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**The Regavim Movement**  
is pleased to announce our  
**My Beautiful Israel**  
**Photo Contest**

📷 Upload your entry by 18 June (8 Tamuz)  
🗳️ Vote for your favorite: 22 June–3 July  
🏆 WINNERS will be announced on 4 July

First prize:  
round-trip ticket  
to Israel

**Regavim’s Photo Contest: My Beautiful Israel - Share, enjoy – and WIN FABULOUS PRIZES!**

Summer is here, and the time to enjoy Israel’s beautiful landscapes - either live or virtually - is NOW!

We invite you to upload your best photo of an Israeli landscape [here](#) by 8 Tamuz (18 June) and join the competition.

We’ll upload relevant entries to our online gallery, and open voting from 22 June – 3 July.

Share the link with family and friends, and encourage everyone to vote!

Amazing prizes await the winning photographers:

1st prize: round-trip airline ticket to Israel

2nd prize: 2 days (1 night) at a 5-star Israeli hotel

3rd prize: dinner for two at one of Israel’s leading gourmet kosher restaurants

And that’s not all... Ten people will win prizes simply for casting their vote - a

canvas print of the photo of your choice from the contest gallery!  
Winners will be announced on 4 July! Follow this space for updates.

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