

Proposals: The West Bank

Plans to annex parts or all of the West Bank are currently circulating among rightwing Israeli legislators - policies that would be detrimental to future negotiations towards an eventual two-state arrangement. Instead, an initiative - consisting of security, political, and economic policies - is proposed to enhance the security and well-being of Israelis and Palestinians living on both sides of the 'Green Line,' while reducing friction between the two peoples:



Area C to B

Transfer 10% of Area C to Area B, enabling 200,000 Palestinians greater autonomy and legalizing 11,000 homes currently under demolition orders.



Complete the Security Barrier

Complete the security barrier in order to further a two-state reality and prevent illegal workers and smugglers infiltrating Israel from the West Bank.



Secure Israel's Border

Track and halt Palestinians working illegally inside Israel, and expand legal Palestinian employment in Israel by issuing tens of thousands of additional work permits to West Bank Palestinians.



Ease Restrictions

Ease restrictions on the transport of goods within the West Bank, between the West Bank and Gaza, and on exports to Israel and beyond.