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Cut Funding To Sinn Fein

David Burnside MLA said today that Sinn Fein plans to mount a protest in Belfast against a home coming parade by troops home from Afghanistan should be noted by Sinn Fein's friends and funders in the United States.

"These troops have been waging war on behalf of democracy and against Bin Laden's close allies, the Taleban, in Afghanistan.

There is no doubt that that war which the UK is fighting alongside US troops, has seen outstanding heroism and bravery by many Ulster soldiers."

"It is important for all US funders of Sinn Fein to take a second look at this party which protests against British troops, who are America's closest and most loyal allies across the entire world, and in many theatres of war."

"US citizens who have funded Sinn Fein up to now should cut off their funding straight away. How can any US citizen support a party which protests in this inflammatory way against troops who have been fighting for the United States as allies "

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