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Ambassador Peter Galbraith To Speak About Iraq at Carter Library

Author to discuss "The End of Iraq"

Atlanta, GA.- Former Ambassador Peter Galbraith will discuss his new book, "***The End of Iraq: How American Incompetence Created A War Without End***" at the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library on Wednesday, August 2nd. The lecture and book signing begins at 7:30 p.m. and is open to the public at no charge.

**Peter Galbraith
The End of Iraq
Lecture & Book Signing
Wednesday, August 2nd
7:30 p.m.**

Publishers Weekly said "Galbraith, a leading commentator on Iraq thanks to his recent articles in the New York Review of Books, presents a clear-eyed and persuasive case against the Bush administration's nation-building project there. As a former U.S. diplomat with long experience in Iraq, he offers an insider's view of the American occupation's failures-the poor preparation for post-invasion chaos, the cluelessness about Iraqi politics, the incompetence and corruption of the occupation authority-while advancing a deeper critique".

Peter Galbraith has been in Iraq many times over the last twenty-one years during historic turning points for the country: the Iran-Iraq War, the Kurdish genocide, the 1991 uprising, the immediate aftermath of the 2003 war, and the writing of Iraq's constitutions. In *The End of Iraq*, he offers many firsthand observations of the men who are now Iraq's leaders. He draws on his nearly two decades of involvement in Iraq policy working for the U.S. government to appraise what has occurred and what will happen.

Copies of "***The End of Iraq***" will be for sale at the lecture. This event is sponsored by the Carter Presidential Library and its author lecture partners, The Georgia Center for the Book and A Cappella Books.

The lecture and book signing is open to the public at no charge. The doors open at 7:00 p.m. The lecture begins at 7:30 p.m.

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