

Camping in Riva for the Northern Forests Defense on 7-8th September:

**“Gezi was just the beginning; now we keep fighting for
the Northern Forests!”**

The call for the camping in Riva on 7-8th September by the Northern Forests Defense

Dear Press Member,

The lungs of İstanbul, Northern Forests are being destroyed. Our last remaining forests, water basins, agricultural lands and living spaces are being destroyed by “crazy projects”, such as 3rd Bridge, 3rd Airport, Kanal İstanbul. Millions of trees have already been cut down.

“Northern Forest Defense” is an initiative constituted in accordance with the Gezi spirit by a great number of institutions, forums and citizens who desire to stop this massacre and protect their lives, nature and city. **We are arranging a camping activity in Riva on 7-8th September with a broad participation in order to defend the forests, discuss the present and future of our fight, and directly observe the cutting areas.** During the camp; forums, workshops, concerts, theatrical performances, movie screening and a panel will be organized; and a press statement will be made during the visit to the cutting area. The schedule will be announced to the press and public in the following days.

We kindly wish you to mention about our camp in your publications and participate in our press statement...

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