DARPA Wants New Technology to Predict "Societal Unrest"

*U.S. Defense Department looks to track "all human activities
that can be measured"*

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A note from Pastor Kevin Lea follows this article.

The Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) is soliciting companies to provide new technology that would allow the U.S. Department of Defense to predict future "societal unrest" by keeping track of "all human activities that can be measured."

A solicitation posted on FedBizOpps outlines DARPA's intent to fund research and development of "game-changing technologies" that will "provide a decisive information advantage for the U.S. and its allies," opening the door to "powerful ways to gain insight into the world."

"Essentially all human activities that can be measured, from mercantile to military, are being quantitatively re-examined in the context of this new, "big data", capability. Early demonstrations have produced remarkable insights into human activities and enabled quantitative decision making," states the solicitation, adding that the agency is looking to develop new algorithms which can forecast "online correlation for societal unrest."

DARPA has already been heavily engaged in research aimed at forecasting social unrest, most notably the agency's Crisis Early Warning System (ICEWS), but the results have been patchy, with ICEWS only successful in predicting four out of sixteen rebellions, political upheavals and incidents of ethnic violence during the time period over which it was applied.

Over the past six years, the Pentagon has shown an increased interest in creating models that can forecast domestic and international disorder. A report produced in 2008 by the U.S. Army War College's Strategic Institute warned that the United States may experience massive civil unrest in the wake of a series of crises which it termed "strategic shock." "Widespread civil violence inside the United States would force the defense establishment to reorient priorities in extremis to defend basic domestic order and human security," stated the report, authored by [Ret.] Lt. Col. Nathan Freir, adding that the military may be needed to quell "purposeful domestic resistance."

We have also reported numerous times over the past several years on how the federal government is gearing up for civil unrest, including the Department of Homeland Security's purchase last October of 240,000 pepper spray projectiles, 100 pepper spray launchers, as well as 36 "riot expansion kits." In 2011, the DHS announced that it would intensify its monitoring of …

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Note from Pastor Kevin Lea: *As man continues to reject God and His laws, the resulting chaos ("terrorism" and every other form of evil) sets the stage for major social upheavals. Rather than repenting and turning back to God, those in government strive to maintain social order by trying to be as all-seeing and all-knowing as He is. This explosion of surveillance activity was foretold by biblical prophets thousands of years ago when they spoke of a global ruler who would be able to control all the people on the earth (Daniel 2, 7, Revelation 13). The government of this global ruler will have total awareness of all that people say, write, and do. The world is about to find out that when men play god, unimaginable tyranny soon follows. I pray the reader has embraced Jesus as your God and Savior so that you can escape the terrible days ahead, as Jesus promised:*

> "I know your works. See, I have set before you an open door, and no one can shut it; for you have a little strength, have kept My word, and have not denied My name… Because you have kept My command to persevere, I also will keep you from the hour of trial which shall come upon the whole world, to test those who dwell on the earth."
> Revelation 3:8, 10 NKJV