

# Chapter MER NOW (Mothering) Task Force

## Sample Press Release

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### ANNOUNCING A NEW DISCUSSION GROUP FOR MOTHERS

Aug. 30, 2004 - Mothering NOW, a Task Force of Anytown NJ NOW, is pleased to announce it's first public meeting schedule will start on Sept 9th, 2004.

Anytown resident and mother of two small girls, Joan Smith recalls that, " Anytown Mothering NOW has been a great way to meet mothers who are not only interested in discussing political issues, but who are also willing to take action on their beliefs." Ann Crittenden's book, "The Price of Motherhood" is often the springboard for discussion. Mothers talk about paid family leave, early childhood education, tax policy and social security credits for unpaid caregivers. "The reality is that 'mothering' is a real career and we deserve the rights and considerations of anyone in the paid workforce." The hope is that through this forum, and others like this, real change can happen.

The Anytown, N.J. NOW Chapter Mothering Task Force will meet at 1-3pm on September 10th at the Anytown Community Center, Anytown, N.J. The meetings are ongoing, held the 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month (weather permitting and except during holidays). Speakers and special events are planned. This is a child-friendly meeting and childcare will be available. Visitors are welcome.

The National Organization for Women is the largest organization of feminist activists in the United States. NOW works to promote equality and justice in our society. NOW is a non-profit organization. For more information about Anytown NOW Mothering Task Rrce, call 973-555-1212, email us at [chaptermotheringnow@yahoo.com](mailto:chaptermotheringnow@yahoo.com) or check out our chapter website at <http://www.anytownnownj.org>.

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