



# Ms. President NOW

## NOW PAC's Endorsement of Hillary Clinton

**“It’s time to recognize that quality, affordable childcare is not a luxury, it’s a growth strategy. And it’s way past time to end the outrage of so many women still earning less than men on the job – and women of color making even less.**

**For far too long, these challenges have been dismissed by some as ‘women’s issues.’**

**Well, those days are over.”**

**Hillary Clinton**

The National Organization for Women Political Action Committee (NOW PAC) has endorsed Hillary Clinton for President of the United States. Hillary Clinton is a trail blazer for women. Everywhere she works she uses her voice and power to raise the status and improve the lives of women and girls. Hillary has made "women's rights are human rights" a rallying point throughout the world. Electing Hillary Clinton as the first feminist woman president is not only historic, but would fulfill the hopes and dreams of generations of feminists everywhere.



**Hillary is a leader in the fight for the elimination of violence against women.**

**Hillary supports economic justice and will work to combat income inequality.**

**Hillary pledges to make college affordable and attainable.**

**Hillary continues to be committed to racial justice.**

**Hillary supports full reproductive rights without restrictions.**

**Hillary is committed to fighting discrimination based on sexual orientation or gender identity.**

**A Hillary Clinton presidency would launch a new drive for women's constitutional equality.**

**Hillary is committed to increasing women's leadership in politics and the professions.**



**Hillary supports economic justice and will work to combat income inequality.**

Hillary Clinton launched her campaign embracing the diversity of voters and their economic struggles. She strongly supports the campaign of union members and low-wage earners who are fighting for a \$15 minimum wage.

Hillary put paid leave – after child birth or to care for a newborn or ailing relative – at the forefront of her campaign. She supports pay equity and endorsed the 2015 Paycheck Fairness Act and believes efforts to undermine or privatize Social Security are "just wrong" with the most negative impact on women and people of color.

*"Equal pay is not yet equal. The average woman makes \$0.77 on a dollar and women of color make \$0.67. We feel so passionately about this because we not only are running for office, but we each, in our own way, have lived it. We have seen it. We have understood the pain and the injustice that has come because of race, because of gender."*

In May 2015, Clinton said "The dream of upward mobility that made this country a model for the world feels further and further out of reach, and many Americans understandably feel frustrated, even angry." She is committed to roll back the tax cuts on the rich, which have been paid for by the middle class.

**"We cannot – must not – ever forget that the rights and opportunities we enjoy as women today were not just bestowed upon us by some benevolent ruler. They were fought for, agonized over, marched for, jailed for and even died for by brave and persistent women and men who came before us."** Hillary Rodham Clinton, 1998, 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Seneca Falls Convention.



**Hillary's College Compact**

No student should have to borrow to pay tuition at a public college or university.

Schools will have to control their costs and show more accountability to their students.

States will have to meet their obligations to invest in higher education.

Federal government will increase its investment in education and will not profit any longer off student loans.

Everyone who already has student debt will be able to refinance it at lower rates.



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