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NOW-NYC Celebrates Hillary Clinton's Historic Achievements

As Senator Hillary Clinton's historic campaign comes to a close, NOW-NYC celebrates her groundbreaking achievements this primary season and her longstanding commitment to women's social, economic, and reproductive rights.

"Senator Clinton's campaign will leave a legacy that extends far beyond the electoral calculus of 2008—a legacy for the women who drew inspiration from the Senator's resilience in a male-dominated arena," said Sonia Ossorio, President of the National Organization for Women in New York City.

Senator Clinton's campaign also shed light on the sexism that is still prevalent, launching a 21st century, national conversation on sexism, gender roles, and civil rights. Much work is still needed to extinguish the sexism that still pervades our country and the news media, and NOW-NYC will work to translate the conversations started by this campaign into building a society without sexism.

The National Organization for Women is the nation's largest organization working to advance women's rights and improve women's lives. The New York City Chapter of NOW, founded in 1966, is the largest chapter in the country with 7,000 members locally and 35,000 statewide. NOW-NYC works to protect women's reproductive choices, end violence against women and eliminate gender discrimination in our schools, workplaces, and throughout the justice system in New York.

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