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Dear

There are alot of women in Tower Hamlets and neighbouring areas who are active or interested in fighting for women's rights in various ways. These women would gain strength and encouragement from meeting together to exchange ideas and experience. With this in mind, some women from the local NAC(Abortioin Campaign) group and from other women's groups, thought it would be a good idea for us all to have a get together.

We are thinking of having some kind of half-day conference in the New Year(tentative date, ~~xxx~~ Sunday Jan 18th in the afternoon). This would consist of a general introduction and then small discussion groups covering many aspects of women's lives - Women in the Family: marriage and personal relationships, housework, kids Women at Work: women organising in the unions, equal pay and job opportunities. Women in Society: health, education, housing, how these affect women. This would be followed by a film and social evening for those who would like to stay. There would be a creche for children.

Our hope is that such a get-together would lead to the ~~xxxx~~ setting up of a more permanent forum for women in East London to iniate discussion and action.

If you think this is a good idea and are interested, please let us know. The plans for the conference are still very open, and we are having a planning meeting on Monday Dec1st at 8pm at Dame Colet House, Ben Jonson Rd, E1. Anyone interested is welcome to come to this, or else you could give us your comments and ideas by writing or telephoning (see/^{above}~~below~~). We are sending this letter ~~x~~ to the following groups , but if you know of any other womens ~~xxxx~~ organisations or individuals who might be interested, please pass the word on: East London Abortioin Campaign, Pregnancy Testing group London Hospital Womens Group, Claimants Union, Consumer group, ~~(these groups have been involved xxx)~~ NUT Womens group, Lincoln Estate Food Coop, One-parent Action group, Wapping Parents Action group, NUPE, at Poplar Hoapital, St Leonards, the London, and other hospitals, Cleaners groups, Newham Womens Action group, Woemn's Aid Centre, QMC Womens group, Women from TH Housing Action group, from NALGO action group, Local Govt Home Helps

Yours in solidarity,

ELAC and several other womens groups.