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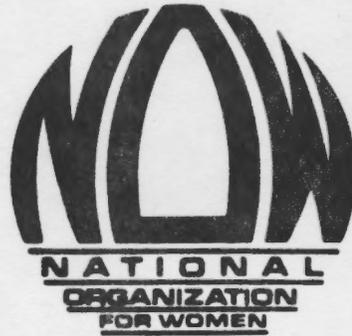
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4 Eastgate Drive  
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November 24, 1976

Mrs. Betty Ford  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mrs. Ford:

Alice Paul, the author of the Equal Rights Amendment, will be 92 years old on January 11, 1977. She now lives in Moorestown, New Jersey. Her address is:

Green Leaf Extension  
28 East Main Street  
Moorestown, New Jersey 08057  
Telephone: 609-235-4884

It would be a wonderful, wonderful thing for Alice Paul to receive a birthday telephone call from you. You wrote her some time ago and she keeps that letter in a locked box, with her always.

Since, as you know, Alice Paul breathed, thought and worked for nothing else but the Equal Rights Amendment, anything that could be done to call attention to it would mean so much to her, and to all the people who are working so hard to see it ratified.

Would it be possible for you to make a statement that could be quoted nationally? Alice Paul is very frail but I am sure that any attention that could be given to the Equal Rights Amendment on her birthday would not be too much of an effort for her.

I have enclosed a recent article on Alice Paul from Life magazine's series, Remarkable American Women, which you may not have seen.

I would appreciate it very much if your office staff could let me know whether any action is to be taken on this. I am coordinating local celebrations of Alice Paul's birthday across the country and would like to know very much what might be happening.

My own very best wishes to you. You have been an inspiration for all women, truly another Remarkable American Woman.

Sincerely,

*Elaine Hendrie*  
Elaine Hendrie



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**WOMEN  
FOR WOMEN**

# **ALICE PAUL**

At 91 the former suffrage leader  
still promotes her brainchild—the ERA



1920 PHOTOWORLD



From: Elaine Hendrie  
4 Eastgate Drive  
Sayville, N.Y. 11782



FIRST CLASS MAIL

Mrs. Betty Ford  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.  
  
Attn: Susan Porter

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For Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1977

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

*\*Called Alice Paul  
11:45 a.m. B.F.*

Nanc,

Here is the Alice Paul  
Birthday Call information, both  
on the Henrie letter and in Karen's  
letter. (Would you get this paper  
back to me when you finish.) Mrs.  
Ford's calling her in the morning  
is vital to the afternoon's press  
plan.

Thanks so much.

susan



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 7, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: SUSAN PORTER

FROM: KAREN KEESLING *KK*

SUBJECT: National Women's Party Presentation  
January 11, 1976 - 3:00 p.m.

Attached is the list of attendees for the National Women's Party Presentation.

Jeanne and I will meet the group at the East Gate at 2:45 p.m., and escort them to the Map Room, unless otherwise advised. I assume your office will arrange for the White House photographer. If you need any assistance on other press to be invited, please let us know.

Dr. Alice Paul is at the following address:

The Greenleaf Extension  
28 Main Street  
Moorstown, New Jersey 08057

Eleanor Needs is the Director of Nurses in charge and has indicated that the best time to call Dr. Paul is between 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Also, they will need advance notice so Dr. Paul will have adequate time to prepare for receipt of the call. The telephone number is (609) 235-4884.

*P.S. EPS has been sent a list.*

Attachment



CHITTICK, ELIZABETH

EASTWOOD, MARY

GEREAU, MARY

KEEBLER, META

MAYO, EDITH

PRYSI, BETTY JO

YODER, ELSIE

