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BREASTFEEDING MOTHERS RALLYING FOR CHANGE

DETROIT, MI, January 16, 2012 – Mothers across America have begun uniting and speaking out for well-being of their children. Recently mothers who choose to breastfeed have been getting a great deal of negative attention. After being told to leave a S.M.A.R.T. bus for attempting to board while nursing her newborn native Detroiter, Moon “Afrykayn Moon” Aku, created an organization, Breastfeeding Mothers Unite, intending to spread the word about the importance and benefits of breastfeeding.

The organization’s first major undertaking is the hosting of the Million Mothers March on Michigan which will take place on July 18, 2012 at 10am in Lansing, MI. The message of the march is that mothers will no longer sit quietly while others are being harassed and berated for doing what is best for their children. The group’s slogan “Mothers Rallying for Change” stems directly from the incidences with mothers like Moon herself, Mackenzie Hatfield-Johnson from Kalamazoo, MI who was told to nurse her child in a restroom at her children's Martial Art School, after refusing she was greeted by a posted sign that read "Breastfeeding is not allowed in the common area", Natalie Hegedus from Paw Paw, MI who was humiliated for breastfeeding in a courtroom and Mary Napoli who was prevented from participating in a group event at Somerset Collection by a security guard who stated that breastfeeding was not allowed in the mall.

For additional information please visit the website www.breastfeedingmothersunite.com. You can also contact Moon Aku directly at aku@breastfeedingmothersunite.com. There is also a Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/millionmothersmarch> and you can follow them on Twitter: @momsmarching4bf.

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