

Interbranch Council Guidelines

Purpose:

1. To elect a branch representative to the state board of directors
2. To open channels of communication among Colorado branches for leadership development and the sharing of ideas and interests for and among branch presidents/administrators
3. To alert branch presidents early to pressing issues that may require local and/or state action under the AAUW name

Membership

1. All presidents/administrators (or their representative) of AAUW Colorado branches are members of the Interbranch Council.
2. The state president is an ex-officio member.

Officers

1. By a majority vote of the members present, the Interbranch Council shall elect annually (based on the July 1-June 30 AAUW fiscal year) a chair who will represent the council on the state board of directors and convene all council meetings.
2. The members shall also annually elect by a majority of the members present an alternate who will perform the duties of chair in the chair's absence, including convening council meetings and attending state board of directors meetings.
3. A secretary/recorder shall be elected annually by the members.

Meetings

1. The Interbranch Council shall meet at least two times a year, at the state convention and at the fall leadership conference.
2. A quorum shall constitute a majority of the members present.

Amendments

1. The members of the Interbranch Council may propose amendments to the Interbranch Council Guidelines in writing, including email.
2. Any amendments must be approved by a majority of the members present at a regular meeting of the Interbranch Council.

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