

BOARD ANNUAL REPORT 2020-2021

Due: April 20, 2021

Office: Interbranch Council Chair

Pam Maier April 20,2021

STRATEGIC PLAN AREAS

Education & Training: Addressing the barriers and implicit biases that hinder advancement of women.

Economic Security: *Ensuring livelihoods for women.*

<u>Leadership</u>: Closing the gender gap in leadership opportunities.

<u>Governance & Sustainability</u>: Ensuring the strength, relevance, and viability of AAUW well into

the future.

Goals: What goals did you set this year that are in alignment with this Strategic Plan? Please prioritize your list and indicate after each goal what the current status is (i.e. completed, % completed, estimated completion date, etc.).

My goal was to increase the sharing of ideas and programs which pertain to the biases that hinder women's advancement, improve their economic attainment, and open up possibilities of leadership while sustaining the branches in place and increasing involvement with universities and colleges.

Programs: Did you identify and/or hold any programs/activates/events that were in alignment with this Strategic Plan? If yes, please give a brief description of each and the date on which it was held/conducted.



Our IBC meetings are usually held just before our AAUW of CO Public Policy Day and Annual Convention. We held a third one since Zoom meetings don't involve the expense of travel. The date of 8/17/20 found us hearing from AAUW of CO President Paula Munger about no in person meetings for the foreseeable future per AAUW National's recommendation to all branches. Our branches held informative meetings on all the strategic plan areas throughout the year by Zoom. The sharing of our branch e-newsletters kept us informed of those which were open to the public and other AAUW branch members.

Our 1/27/21 Zoom meeting focused on community outreach endeavors by each branch. We learned much from each other during this sharing time which presidents shared with their boards. Our last meeting is 4/20/21 and the focus is on completing our branch annual reports and selecting a new IBC Chair and Secretary by the end of June.