

CONVENTION
May 12-15, 2021



Theme: Metamorphosis
GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs
118th Annual Convention
By Zoom



Dearest Members,



It is my delight to welcome you to the 118th Annual California Federation of Women's Clubs Convention! We are looking forward to a fun-filled 3 days of business, awards, workshops, speakers, and ceremonies. Wendy Carriker, GFWC 2nd Vice President will be joining us for the full 3-days of Federation Frivolity and offering a few workshops and culminate with a lovely speech for all of us Saturday.

Our Convention Theme is: **METAMORPHOSIS!** What better word incorporates my Administration Theme of *CHANGE IS BEAUTIFUL* and what is happening in our World currently? We've plenty of daytime themes set aside for you too:

- ✚ Thursday, May 13 will be "Put Your Thinking Caps On" Day
- ✚ Friday, May 14 will be "Free to Fly with Butterfly Accomplishments" Day
- ✚ Saturday, May 15 will be "Wrap It Up" Day

Start looking for ways to dress up for Zoom with those themes in mind. I know you will all be creative and enjoy the Convention as much as I.

The May 13 – 15, 2021 Convention is virtual. Our Convention Committee has worked extremely hard on putting together a schedule that will keep us all busy and enjoying the company of one another. In a year where we cannot meet in person, it is nice to know we can meet via Zoom.

Of course, any member of the California Federation is invited to attend Convention and we do hope that many of you will be with us and hope you plan to be a member of this momentous virtual Convention. This is your formal CALL to Convention, and it gives you a lot of the information you need to start nominating the Club Delegates and clearing your schedules.

Read the CALL carefully and follow the directions provided. We will have a detailed Program available for all attendees registered as we get closer to the Convention. We look forward to seeing you soon!

Luv, Pam

CFWC Board Members, Club Presidents, Delegates and Members:

This is your official CALL to the 118th Annual Convention of the GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs (CFWC). This CALL contains information about Convention Sessions, It also contains the proposed Amendments to our GFWC/CFWC Bylaws and proposed Resolutions for your consideration. Please study them and caucus within your clubs/districts before Convention. This is the only emailed copy of the proposed Bylaw Amendments and proposed Resolutions that you will receive, so it is important that you have the CALL with you at the session at Convention. Members may also view and download copies of this Call, Bylaws and Resolutions from our website: www.cfwc.org.

CLUB PRESIDENTS: Please make copies or email this CALL and the Registration Form as needed for all delegates from your club (including any non-voting members that plan to attend) and be sure to adhere to all deadlines. This will insure that all are informed and prepared to expedite the business sessions.

CREDENTIALS & REGISTRATION

Registration & Credential forms accepted if received on or before **April 15, 2021 at 5 p.m.**

1. Email Registration Form to: Debbie Pietraszko debpie74@yahoo.com. NOTE: If you have any problems with registration, please call Debbie 818-681-8593. **Registration form at end of CALL.**
2. Each VOTING DELEGATE will need to fill out a Voting Credential form and email it. Members in Areas A & B send to Priscilla Bolinder at pjb43cfwc@gmail.com on or before April 15 at 5 p.m. Those in Areas C & D email to Edie Seger at edie@juliantea.com on or before April 15 at 5 pm. **Credential form and list of delegates allowed per club at end of CALL.** Only voting delegates will be able to attend the voting on Bylaws and Resolutions Thursday afternoon and the 8:30 – 8:55 a.m. voting by delegates for committee members on Saturday.

REPRESENTATION

CFWC BYLAWS: ARTICLE XII,

Section 12.1 E. A quorum for transaction of business at the convention will be ten percent of the registered delegates and three officers.

SECTION 12.2 Representation, Voting Body;

A. CFWC Membership.

1. CFWC Officers, elected and appointed,
2. District Presidents or President's alternate,
3. District First Vice-Presidents/Presidents-elect or alternate,
4. Past State Presidents,
5. Chairmen of Community Service Programs, Special Appointments and Administration,
6. Chairmen and members of Standing and Special Committees, including Committee Members when they are officially engaged in fulfilling their duties,
7. Club Presidents or their alternates,
8. Club Delegate or alternate for each twenty or less members; one additional Delegate or Alternate, for each additional ten members or major fraction thereof,
9. Juniorette Clubs—one delegate,
10. Affiliate Clubs—one delegate.

B. Members of clubs admitted to membership after February 1 may be present at the following annual convention and take part in the discussion but shall not propose motions or vote. The Convention Call shall be issued to such clubs.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE: Include anyone who passed away between May 2019 – April 15, 2021. Please submit the names of Members who served on the CFWC Executive Board to Peggy Baumann at the address below so they may be included in the Celebration of Life Ceremony being held at Convention on Friday, May 14th. If you have any questions, please contact Peggy Baumann, 33056 Sotelo Drive, Temecula, CA 92592 or Email pegbaumann@aol.com. **Send by April 15, 2021, 5 p.m.**

QUICK BYTES UPDATES: additional Information will be in the Weekly CFWC Quick Bytes newsletter

AREA MEETINGS

FRIDAY, MAY 14TH immediately following the afternoon session between 4:00 — 5:00 p.m.:

Area A: Led by Cindy Sanders Area B: Led by Patsy Wilson

Area C: Led by Marcia Willet Area D: Led by Wendy Curran

District Candidates will be presented for consideration to the CFWC Nominating Committee and Election Board. Delegates should be in Area Meeting within 10 minutes following recess. After that time, the meeting will be closed. Non-voting Members may attend their respective Area Meetings. Voting for the candidates will take place Saturday, May 15th between 8:30 – 8:55 a.m.

Bylaws, ARTICLE IX AREAS AND DISTRICTS, SECTION 9.1. Areas

A. For the purpose of electing Federation representatives to certain committees and assuring equality of representation in CFWC, the membership shall be divided into approximately equal membership groups to be known as Areas A, B, C and D.

Bylaws, ARTICLE X11, SECTION 13.3 Area Elections

D. Nominating and Election Committee Members. At the convention Area meetings in the non-election year of each administration, delegates shall elect from each Area for a one-year term, one member and two alternates to the Nominating Committee and one member and two alternates to the Election Committee. Candidates for the Nominating Committee shall have served one or more terms on the Executive Board.



GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs

Schedule of Convention and pre-Convention Events Via Zoom

Wednesday, May 5, 2021

10 am – 12 pm CFWC Finance Team

Friday, May 7, 2021

2 pm – 5 pm CFWC Executive Committee

Wednesday, May 12, 2021 (Attendance at these sessions will be by invitation only)

10 am – 11:30 am CFWC Emeritus Meeting

1 pm – 2:30 pm CFWC ESO Meeting

3 pm – 4 pm CFWC Executive Board Meeting

Thursday, May 13, 2021 ***PUT YOUR THINKING CAPS ON DAY***

8:30 am Alive in the Hive (Zoom Room Open)

9 am 118th Annual CFWC Convention Call to Order

Opening Ceremonies

Officer's Reports Part 1

10:30 am – 10:45 am Break (Virtual Art Show run)

10:45 am Guest Speaker

District President's Mash-Up Videos Part 1

12 pm – 1 pm Lunch (Virtual Art Show runs)

1 pm District President Mash-Up Videos Part 2

Officer's Reports Part 2



2 pm – 2:15 pm	Break (Virtual Art Show run)
2:15 – 5 pm	Consideration of proposed Resolutions and Bylaws
5 pm	Break (until Friday morning at 9 am)

Friday, May 14, 2021
FREE TO FLY WITH BUTTERFLY ACCOMPLISHMENTS DAY

8:30 am	Alive in the Hive (Zoom Room Open)
9am	Membership Awards Ceremony
	District President Mash-Up Videos Part 3
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Break (Virtual Art Show run)
10:30 am	Program Awards Ceremony
	Celebration of Life
12 pm – 1 pm	Lunch (Virtual Art Show runs)
1 pm	District President Mash-Up Videos Part 4
Officer's Reports Part 4	
2:15 pm – 2:30 pm	Break (Virtual Art Show run)
2:30 pm	Guest Speaker
	Area Meetings
4 pm – 5 pm	Consideration of proposed Resolutions and Bylaws
5 pm	Break (until Saturday morning at 9 am)



Saturday, May 15, 2021
WRAP IT UP DAY

8:30 am	Alive in the Hive (Zoom Room Open)
8:30 am – 8:55 am	Voting by Delegates for the CFWC Area Nominating Committee Members and the CFWC Area Election Committee Members

9 am – 9:45 am	Workshop 1: Wendy Carriker, GFWC 2 nd Vice President Workshop 2: Jane Thomey, CFWC Environment Chair
10 am – 10:45 am	Workshop 3: Wendy Carriker, GFWC 2 nd Vice President Workshop 4: Yolanda Petroski, CFWC Civic Engagement & Outreach Chair
11 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch (Virtual Art Show runs)
12:30 pm	Announcement of CFWC Committee Members elected by Areas to the CFWC Nominating and Election Committee CFWC President's Report Guest Speaker, Wendy Carriker, GFWC 2 nd Vice President New Club Ceremony: GFWC Hope Ceremony to Welcome CFWC President-elect, Barbara Briley-Beard Adjournment of the 118 th Annual CFWC Convention



DEBATE SHEET

To fully use the time productively that we have set aside for Open Debate on Resolutions and Bylaws, we will be asking for the sheet at the back of your CALL to be filled out PRIOR to the 2021 CFWC Convention. All items will be passed in seriatim unless a properly filled DEBATE SHEET is sent by the due date: April 15, 2021 at 5 pm. The full set of proposed changes to the Resolutions, Bylaws and Standing Rules are included in the CALL to the 118th Convention.

Please read over the CALL and this page carefully and follow the procedure set to Open Debate. The form must be filled out and sent via mail or as an email attachment to the following:

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- To openly Debate any proposed item, each form may only address 1 item you wish to pull for discussion. If you have more than 1 item, fill out more than 1 sheet.
- To openly Debate any proposed item, fill out this sheet and send on or before the date of Thursday, April 15, 2021 at 5 pm.
- To openly Debate any proposed item, or to pull an item for discussion and vote on the proposed changes you must be a Convention Delegate and present at the time of discussion.

See page29 for the form to fill out

PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS REVIEW FOR 2021 CFWC CONVENTION

ARTS

~~010-007~~ **1990-01** Involvement and Participation in Arts in the Schools and Communities (Convention 1990, Reaffirmed 1995, Reaffirmed 2005, Reaffirmed 2010, Reaffirmed 2015)

Whereas, In the arts, aesthetic knowledge and means of communication gained through the training of the visual senses and creative effort are recognized, together with historical and scientific knowledge, as bases to complete education of the individual; and Whereas, Training for the arts is costly, lengthy and grueling, and little opportunity may exist for the recognition and presentation of talent; therefore RESOLVED, THAT IN VIEW OF THE ONGOING CURTAILMENT OF FUNDS FOR THE ARTS IN SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES, THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES ITS MEMBER CLUBS TO ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE VISUAL, CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS IN THE SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~010-008~~ **1990-02 MUSEUMS AND HISTORICAL SOCIETIES**

(Convention 1990, Reaffirmed 1995, Reaffirmed 2000, Reaffirmed 2005, Amended 2010, Reaffirmed 2015)

Whereas, The GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs believes in the creation of better understanding and knowledge of the unique and important aspects of preservation of the culture and heritage of all peoples; and Whereas, it is imperative that emphasis be given to the preservation of entities and organizations that support our cultural heritage; and Whereas, Museums preserve and interpret the cultures and mores of peoples; therefore 24 RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES MEMBER CLUBS TO BE ACTIVE IN MAINTAINING EXISTING MUSEUMS **AND HISTORICAL SOCIETIES** IN THEIR LOCAL AREAS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm as amended to increase the possibility for preserving documents.

~~CONSERVATION~~ **ENVIRONMENT**

~~011-029~~ **1985-01 FILING BANKRUPTCY TO AVOID ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY ENFORCEMENT** (Convention 1985, Reviewed 1993, Amended/Reaffirmed Convention 1998, Reviewed 2004, Amended 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, The GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs and the General Federation of Women's Clubs have made disposal of hazardous waste and the cleanup of hazardous waste sites top priorities; and Whereas, The United States Congress enacted laws giving the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) power and funds to regulate and enforce the disposal of hazardous waste and the cleanup of hazardous waste sites, thus mandating the state work toward these ends; and Whereas, The United States Supreme Court subsequently ruled, due to a loophole in the law, that an industrial polluter can avoid an injunction ordering disposal of hazardous waste and/or cleanup of hazardous waste sites by filing bankruptcy, thus hindering EPA enforcement; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS DEMAND THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS CLOSE THE LOOPHOLE

ALLOWING THE USE OF THE FEDERAL BANKRUPTCY LAW TO AVOID EPA ENFORCEMENT; and further RESOLVED, THAT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION BE SENT TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA).

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~011-039~~ **1989-01** HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (Convention 1989, Amended/Reaffirmed 1994, Reviewed 1999, Amended 2004, Amended 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, Hazardous waste recycling plants and chemical companies experimenting with dangerous chemicals and toxic materials have not assessed the dangers to the public health, safety and general welfare; and Whereas, Hazardous waste recycling plants and chemical experimental plants cannot be evaluated before construction and operation as to the acceptable level of risk to the public; and Whereas, The inversion that extends for considerable periods over cities suppresses the dissipation of pollutants and thereby aggravates the dangers to the public; and Whereas, Liability insurance carried by operators/owners of these recycling facilities and by cities has been difficult to assess or obtain; and Whereas, Transport of hazardous waste and toxic materials to these recycling facilities could cause great risk and dangers to the public in view of the rapid population growth and heavily congested traffic routes; and Whereas, The State of California has required that all counties establish a hazardous waste disposal plan; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES ITS CLUB WOMEN TO USE THEIR COUNTY'S HAZARDOUS WASTE RECYCLING CENTERS; and further RESOLVED, THAT GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS CLUB WOMEN, IF BECOMING AWARE OF ANY LAPSE IN ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS AT THESE HAZARDOUS WASTE RECYCLING CENTERS, ARE URGED TO ADDRESS THEIR CONCERNS TO THEIR COUNTY AND CITY OFFICIALS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~011-062~~ **1989-02** STRATOSPHERIC OZONE DEPLETION (Convention 1989, Reaffirmed 1993, Reviewed 1998, Amended 2003, Amended 2009, Reaffirmed 2014)

Whereas, Some of the measured damage to the ozone layer has been caused by chlorofluorocarbon (CFC) emissions released as long ago as the 1970s; and Whereas, Even if CFC production were halted today, ozone depletion would continue far into the future due to previous CFC releases; and 25 Whereas, The development of hydrochlorofluorocarbons (HCFCs) has contributed to reducing the amount of CFC reaching the stratosphere; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS THE USE OF AND CONTINUED DEVELOPMENT OF FEASIBLE ALTERNATIVES FOR CFC REFRIGERANTS; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS THE CONTINUED BAN OF CFCs AS SPRAY PROPELLANTS AND THE ELIMINATION OF THE USE OF CFCs IN THE MANUFACTURE OF POLYSTYRENE PRODUCTS; and further RESOLVED, THAT EMISSION CONTROLS CONTINUE TO BE REQUIRED ON ALL INDUSTRIAL OPERATIONS USING CHLORINATED SOLVENTS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~011-186~~ **1989-03** BAN ON CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL WEAPONS USED IN WARFARE (Convention 1989, Amended/Reaffirmed 1994, Reaffirmed 1999, Amended 2004, Reaffirmed 2009, Reaffirmed 2014)

Whereas, The Geneva Convention bans the use of chemical and biological warfare; therefore, RESOLVED THAT THE GFWC/CFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS ALL GOVERNMENT EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THIS BAN WORLDWIDE.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~011-067~~ **2004-01** COASTAL WATERS (Convention 2004, Reviewed 2009, 2014)

Whereas, Clean water is essential to health; and Whereas, Polluted coastal water is unhealthy; and Whereas, Man has limited control over tidal action; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS DEMANDS THAT THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATORS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS UPHOLD ALL EXISTING LEGISLATION THAT ENSURES PUBLIC WATERS AND COASTAL AREAS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SHALL BE POLLUTION FREE OF SATURATION BY DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL WASTES; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS STRONGLY URGES CALIFORNIA'S OFFICIALS TO WORK WITH MEXICO AND THE RELEVANT COUNTRIES OF CENTRAL AMERICA TO ENSURE THE NON-POLLUTION OF THE CALIFORNIA COASTAL AREA BY DOMESTIC AND INDUSTRIAL WASTE; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS ASKS THAT ALL MEMBER CLUBS INITIATE AN ANNUAL LETTER CAMPAIGN TO THEIR ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THIS PROBLEM IS RESOLVED.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~011-068~~ **2005-01** RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION OF FREIGHT (Convention 2005, Amended 2010, Amended 2015)

Whereas, Safety on the highways and streets of our state is of prime importance to the welfare of all California residents, and Whereas, Freight volumes are expected to grow more than 65% by 2020 and trucks are expected to move over 75% more tons of freight by 2020 which will make congestion worse on our overcrowded highways, and Whereas, We must pursue growth options designed to move goods as safely and efficiently as possible, and Whereas, How our nation's freight is transported directly impacts our quality of life, the strength of our economy, the number of available jobs, the safety on our highways, and Whereas, One intermodal train can carry 280 truck trailers, and more shipments by rail will mean less congested and safer highways, and Whereas, Rail moves one ton of freight more than 480 miles on just one gallon of fuel, thus reducing harmful air pollutants by 6 to 12 times. Railroads are three or more times more fuel efficient than trucks. Shifting only 10% of the long-haul freight that currently moves by truck to rail would save in excess of one (1) billion gallons of fuel per year; therefore RESOLVED: THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS GOES ON RECORD IN SUPPORT OF EFFECTIVE SOLUTIONS TO HIGHWAY CONGESTION, A CLEANER ENVIRONMENT, AND IMPROVED QUALITY OF LIFE BY ADVOCATING FOR INCREASED USE OF FREIGHT RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION; and further RESOLVED, THAT LEGISLATION AFFECT AN OPTIMAL BALANCE IN FUNDING HIGHWAY AND RAILROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

EDUCATION AND LIBRARIES

~~012-089~~ **1982-01** PROGRAM CONTENT AND SCHEDULING (TV) (Convention 1982, Reaffirmed 1987, Reaffirmed 1993, Amended/Reaffirmed 1998, Amended/Reaffirmed 2003, Amended/Reaffirmed 2008, Reaffirmed 2013)

Whereas, Violence, crime and sex on television today has become so explicit; and Whereas, This type of programming has expanded into "prime time"; and Whereas, The American public has come to accept this as a way of life; therefore RESOLVED, THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS PROTESTS TELEVISION AND CABLE PROGRAMS USING VIOLENCE, CRIME AND SEX; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS REQUESTS MAJOR TV AND CABLE NETWORKS TO RECONSIDER PROGRAM CONTENT AND SCHEDULING AND TO TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO REDUCE VIOLENCE, CRIME, AND SEX PROGRAMMING, PARTICULARLY IN PRIME TIME; and further RESOLVED, THAT GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES ITS MEMBERS NOT TO PATRONIZE MAJOR TELEVISION OR CABLE NETWORKS BROADCASTING THIS TYPE OF PROGRAMING

Recommendation: Retire. Duplication. Subject addressed in ~~013-145~~ **1994-01**

~~015-376~~ **1984-01** TEENAGE DRUNK DRIVING (Convention 1984, Reaffirmed 1989, 1994, 1999, Reviewed 2004, Amended 2009, 2014)

Whereas, Youth and their futures are in jeopardy because of the misuse of alcohol; and Whereas, There is an increase in fatalities due to teenage drunk driving; and Whereas, Of those teenage alcohol related deaths, a growing number of teenage drivers were found to have a blood alcohol level of 0.08 [legally drunk]; and Whereas, Numerous solutions to the problem of teenage drunk driving have been proposed; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS VIABLE PROGRAMS OF EDUCATION AND PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY TOWARD TEENAGE DRUNK DRIVING.

Recommendation: Retire. Teen drunk driving addressed in new resolution **2021-01**

~~015-404~~ **2003-01** SAFELY SURRENDERED BABIES (Convention 2003, Reaffirmed 2008, Reaffirmed 2013)

Whereas, In recognition of the increasing number of abandoned newborn babies whose abandonment resulted in death or serious harm, the State of California enacted the Safely Surrendered Baby Law on January 2, 2001; and Whereas, This law saves the lives of newborn babies who might otherwise die or be seriously harmed; and Whereas, Designated sites, known as safe havens, are allowed to accept a newborn baby being surrendered by a parent or other individual with no shame, no blame, no names; and Whereas, The State of California is conducting a public information campaign to educate designated sites, the general public, pregnant women and responsible men existence and provisions of the law; and Whereas, Assistance from California service organizations such as the GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs is critical to a successful information campaign; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES ITS MEMBER CLUBS TO SUPPORT AND ASSIST THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN ITS INFORMATION CAMPAIGN TO ASSURE THAT ABANDONED NEWBORN BABIES BE DELIVERED TO A SAFE HAVEN.

Recommendation: Retire. Accomplished by AB1785 effective January 1, 2017

~~015-485~~ **2021-01** TEENAGE DRUNK DRIVING **(New)** (Replaces ~~015-376~~ **1984-01**)

Whereas, Seventy percent of all teenagers admit to drinking alcohol; and every fifteen minutes a teenager will die due to drunken driving; and Whereas, Sixty percent of all teenager deaths from car accidents involves the use of alcohol; RESOLVED THAT THE GFWC/CFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORT THE REINSTATEMENT OF DRIVER EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS AND PROMOTE TEENAGE DRINKING PROGRAMS THAT ENCOURAGE PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY.

Recommendation: Adopt new resolution

2021-02 LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS TO ADDRESS DIVERSITY AND BIAS **(New)** Replaces ~~015-481~~/**2015-01**)

Whereas videos have captured police actions that in many opinions have depicted an abuse of power and racial/cultural bias, and Whereas some protests and demonstrations of those police actions, have devolved to further violence and destruction of property, and Whereas, the actions of some police officers have resulted in the loss of esteem to the law enforcement profession and Whereas, blameless police officers are receiving threats and their lives are in danger; therefore RESOLVED, THAT LAW ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENTS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BE ENCOURAGED TO ADOPT CULTURAL AWARENESS PROGRAMS THAT STRESS NON-PHYSICAL INTERVENTION FIRST, AS A PRIORITY, TO KEEP BOTH THE OFFICERS AND THE COMMUNITY SAFE, CREATE AND/OR ENHANCE PROGRAMS TO INTERACT WITH LOCAL YOUTH, PARENTS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS, TO ADDRESS IMPLICIT/EXPLICIT BIAS, THEREBY PROMOTING BETTER UNDERSTANDING, RESPECT AND TRUST AMONG ALL PARTIES; FURTHER RESOLVED THAT COPIES OF THIS RESOLUTION BE SENT TO THE PRESIDENT AND ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

Recommendation: Adopt new resolution

~~HOME LIFE~~ **HEALTH AND WELLNESS**

~~015-206~~ **1968-01** AIRLINE PASSENGER SAFETY (Convention 1968, Reviewed 1993, Reaffirmed 1998, Amended 2003, Reviewed 2009, Reviewed 2010, Amended 2015)

Whereas, Hundreds of people have been killed or injured in low-impact, small plane accidents, when passenger seats come loose from their mountings, or when vulnerable fuel tanks erupted in flames, and Whereas, The National Transportation Safety Board statistics for survivable accidents continue to show that heat, smoke and toxic gas kill many passengers; and Whereas, There have been advances in passenger survival measures, not all have been required or adopted; and Whereas, It is of benefit to all passengers to study the cabin so they may remain calm and helpful in emergency situations, therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS WILL ENCOURAGE AIRPLANE SAFETY PROGRAMS IN THEIR CLUBS AND COMMUNITIES; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES THAT MEASURES ENSURING MAXIMUM PASSENGER SURVIVAL BE REQUIRED ON ALL NEW AND EXISTING COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT.

Recommendation: Retire. Accomplished by new FAA Regulation (Safety Assurance System).

~~015-318~~ **1974-01** LARGE COMBINATION VEHICLES (LCVs) (Executive Board, February 1974, Convention 1974, Historic, Reactivated, Executive Board, October 1994 with reference to the NAFTA Treaty, Amended/Reaffirmed 1999, Amended/Affirmed 2004, Reaffirmed 2009, Reaffirmed 2014)

Whereas, Safety on the highways and streets of our State is of prime importance to the welfare of all California residents; and 31 Whereas, the added length and increased weight of such vehicles as triple-trailer rigs/LCVs sharply reduces the lifespan of existing roads and streets. LCVs create a definite hazard for passing vehicles. The braking ability of these size vehicles is dangerous to neighboring vehicles; and Whereas, Legislation currently existing that prevents or restricts triple-trailer rigs/LCVs from using California roads is regularly under attack with the intention of eliminating these length and weight limits; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS IS ON RECORD AS OPPOSING ANY CHANGE IN EXISTING LAWS GOVERNING WIDTH, LENGTH AND WEIGHT OF VEHICLES TRAVELING ON ALL THE CALIFORNIA ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~013-177~~ **1979-01 FEMALE DEGRADATION OBJECTIFICATION** (Convention 1979, Reaffirmed 1988, 1993, 1999, Amended 2004, Amended 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, ~~Women as sex objects continues to be a part of~~ **using woman as sex objects for** advertising **purposes continues;** and Whereas, Research indicates a link between ~~pornography~~ **a negative body image** and advertising; and Whereas, The use of the Internet, **cellphones, and social media** has increased this problem; and Whereas, Often advertising pictures women as **"hot babes", showing flesh sex objects** and subservient to men and Whereas, A false perception of body images can affect ~~emotional teenagers~~ **all females** and can lead to eating disorders; therefore

RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS OPPOSES THE ~~DEGRADATION~~ **OBJECTIFICATION** OF WOMEN FOR ADVERTISING PURPOSES.

Recommendation: Affirm as amended

~~015-361~~ **1989-04 SEXUAL ASSAULT BY MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL** (Convention 1989, Reaffirmed 1994, Reviewed 1999, Amended 2004, Reviewed 2009, no changes 2014) Whereas, The problem of sexual assault by mental health professionals upon their patients exists; and Whereas, California has no statute making it a criminal violation for a mental health professional to engage in sexual intercourse with a consenting patient; and Whereas, The public at the present time has no safeguard when seeking professional help; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS DEMANDS THAT THE PUBLIC BE PROTECTED FROM SUCH MISCONDUCT BY THE LEGISLATURE ENACTING A LAW MAKING IT A PUNISHABLE CRIMINAL ACT FOR A MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL TO ENGAGE IN SEXUAL ACTS WITH PATIENTS.

Recommendation: Retire. Accomplished by State Mental Health Legislation 2015.

~~013-112~~ **1993-01 BREAST CANCER** (Convention 1993, Reviewed 1999, Amended 2004, Reviewed 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, While mammography screening plays a vital role in early diagnosis, it by no means displaces or in any way mitigates the vital need for continued research into the prevention and cure of breast cancer; and Whereas, Increased federal and state commitments to breast cancer prevention and cure will save millions of women's lives and reduce the economic costs associated with the disease; therefore, be it 27 RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS STRONGLY URGES CONTINUED FUNDING FOR RESEARCH LEADING TO THE PREVENTION OF BREAST CANCER.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~013-145~~ **1994-01** MEDIA CONTENT IN CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING & OTHER MEDIA (Convention 1994, Reaffirmed 1999, Amended/Affirmed 2004, Amended 2009, 2014)

Whereas, Violence, crime and sex in the content of such media providers as TV, films, cartoons, comic books, graphic novels, video games, and the Internet are often depicted explicitly; and Whereas, children watching television, according to a National Institute on Media & the Family study, sees violent acts in media that are as/or more violent than adult programming; and Whereas, The Entertainment Software Rating Board (ESRB) provides guidance about video games & apps so that consumers, especially parents, can make informed choices they deem suitable for their family; and Whereas, The most effective way to combat this dissemination of these media forms of violence, crimes, and sex is through diligent monitoring of what children watch or purchase; and Whereas, Withholding patronage, and letter writing are effective tools, as well as use of available electronic parental controls; therefore RESOLVED, THAT MEMBERS OF THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS BE ENCOURAGED TO WRITE LETTERS TO THE RELEVANT SPONSORS OF PRODUCTS NOTIFYING THEM OF THEIR INTENT TO WITHHOLD PATRONAGE.; and further RESOLVED, THAT MEMBERS ENCOURAGE THE EDUCATION AND USE OF AVAILABLE PARENTAL CONTROLS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~013-185~~ **2003-02** HEAD START (Convention 2003, Reaffirmed 2008, Reaffirmed 2013)

Whereas, Head Start serves basic family needs including preventive health and dental care; balanced nutrition; socialization opportunities; safe and structured environment; parental guidance, counseling, and educational opportunities as well as preschool child education; and Whereas, There is current discussion regarding transferring Head Start Services to the Department of Education; and Whereas, The Head Start Administration has, with dedication, established a successful, viable, workable Comprehensive Development Program; and Whereas, The cost of transferring Head Start services from the Health and Human Services Department to the Department of Education would add to the fiscal strain of our nation; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES THAT THE HEAD START AGENCIES REMAIN UNDER THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Recommendation: Retire. No longer an issue. (Head Start is under The Office of Head Start and Office of the Administration for Children & Families)

~~013-186~~ **2004-02** MEDICAL MARIJUANA (Convention 2004, Reaffirmed 2009, Reaffirmed 2014)

Whereas, Marijuana eases the pain in the final stages of many serious diseases and illnesses; and Whereas, Marijuana, for this use, should be considered a beneficial medication or drug; and Whereas, Marijuana, for this use, allows the patient to enjoy a quality of life not provided by more traditional medications; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS THE USE OF MARIJUANA FOR MEDICAL PURPOSES ONLY WHEN PRESCRIBED BY A REPUTABLE, LICENSED MEDICAL PRACTITIONER.

Recommendation: Retire. Is in conflict with current law and may not reflect collective membership opinion

~~013-191~~ 2009-01 OVARIAN CANCER (Convention 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, Ovarian cancer is not easily detected; and Whereas, Pap smears are important to a woman's health but are not a guarantee for the detection of ovarian cancer; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS STRONGLY URGES INCREASED FUNDING FOR RESEARCH LEADING TO THE DETECTION OF OVARIAN CANCER.

RESOLVED, THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE SENT TO THE CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL (CDC), THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES CENTER AND THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~012-111~~ 2010-01 VIOLENCE AND YOUTH DATING (Convention 2010, Amended 2015)

Whereas, dating violence is controlling, abusive, and aggressive behavior in a romantic relationship—~~it occurs in both heterosexual and homosexual relationships~~ and can include verbal, emotional, physical, or sexual abuse, or a combination of these. It is not gender specific; and Whereas, ~~Lack of dating experience allows youth to be~~ are more vulnerable to dating violence ~~and where they are less likely to recognize the abuse; and Whereas, While dating, domestic and sexual violence primarily affects females regardless of their age, young women are especially vulnerable; and Whereas, Eighty-one percent (81%) of parents surveyed either believe youth dating violence is not an issue or admit they do not know if it is an issue and a majority of parents (54%) admit they have not spoken to their child about dating violence; and Whereas, Except for parents, teachers probably have more contact with young people than any other adult; and Whereas Education is the best mechanism to stop youth dating violence and is crucial to creating a culture of intolerance for teen dating abuse; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE CLUBS AND MEMBERS OF THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORT, WITH APPROPRIATE LOCAL ACTIVITIES, NATIONAL TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH (FEBRUARY) TO INCLUDE WEAR ORANGE DAY; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE CLUBS AND MEMBERS OF THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS IN PARTICULAR EMPHASIZE EDUCATION FOR BOTH YOUTH AND THEIR PARENTS, IN THEIR LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS TOWARD PREVENTING YOUTH DATING VIOLENCE; and further RESOLVED, THAT GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS REQUESTS THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE ENACT LEGISLATION INCORPORATING POSITIVE DATING EDUCATION INTO THE MIDDLE SCHOOL/HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE INSTRUCTIONAL QUALITY COMMISSION BE URGED TO INCLUDE A DISTINCT CATEGORY ON MENTAL HEALTH TO INCLUDE YOUTH DATING VIOLENCE.~~

Recommendation: Reaffirm as modified to reflect gender neutrality.

2021-03 RISK OF E-CIGARETTES "VAPING" FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS (New)

Whereas, Using e-cigarettes "Vaping" is unsafe for children and young adults due to the fact that they contain nicotine that is highly addictive and can harm brain development; and Whereas, One pod or cartridge contains about the same amount of nicotine as a whole pack of cigarettes; and Whereas, E-cigarettes contain other harmful substances besides nicotine; and Whereas, Young people who smoke e-cigarettes are more likely to smoke cigarettes in the future; and Whereas E-cigarettes "vaping" is frequently sold with enticing flavors that are more enjoyable to beginning smokers; therefore RESOLVED THAT THE GFWC/CFWC FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORT THE PROHIBITION OF FLAVORED PRODUCTS NOT COVERED BY A FEDERAL BAN, INCLUDING MENTHOL FLAVORED CARTRIDGES, REFILLABLE AND TANK- BASED VAPING SYSTEMS.

Recommendation: Adopt new resolution.

~~INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH:~~

~~PUBLIC ISSUES~~—CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AND OUTREACH

~~015-309~~ **1959-01** DRUG DEALERS (Convention 1959, Reaffirmed 1974, 1988, Reviewed 1993, 1998, Amended 2004, Reaffirmed 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, Illegal drug trafficking continues to be a major problem in our society; and Whereas, **some** Drug Dealers ~~can be considered~~ **are** predators; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS, **ABSENT ANY MITIGATION**, SUPPORTS PROSECUTING DRUG DEALERS TO THE FULLEST EXTENT OF THE LAW.

Recommendation: Reaffirm as amended to be consistent with California Penal Code 236.4 and California Rule of Court 4.15, recognizing that some drug dealers may be victims of commercial human trafficking and the requirement under the law that mitigating factors be considered.

~~015-209~~ **1969-01** AMERICAN CITIZEN'S PROTECTION LAWS (Convention 1969, Reaffirmed 1989, Amended/Reaffirmed 1994, Reaffirmed 1999, Reviewed 2004, Amended 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, American citizens, especially women, are no longer safe on the streets or in their homes; and Whereas, Law enforcement officers have stated that present law procedures give the criminal undue advantage; and Whereas, Law enforcement officers have found that persons with criminal records have served on juries; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS STRONGLY URGES THAT PRESENT LAWS BE MADE MORE ENFORCEABLE AND THE RIGHT OF THE VICTIM MORE CAREFULLY CONSIDERED WHEN PASSING NEW CRIMINAL LEGISLATION, AND EFFORTS BE MADE TO OVERCOME STATUTORY AND JUDICIAL INTERPRETATIONS THAT PERMIT WRONGDOERS TO ESCAPE PUNISHMENT WHEN MERITED; and further RESOLVED, THAT NO PERSON WITH A FELONY CRIMINAL RECORD OR CRIMINAL RECORD OF THE NATURE OF THE CASE BEING TRIED, BE ALLOWED TO SERVE ON A JURY.

Recommendation: Retire. Both reasoning and language are obsolete

~~015-346~~ **1978-01** RENEWAL OF THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE (Convention 1978, Reaffirmed 1987, 1993, 1998 Amended 2003, Reaffirmed 2008, reaffirmed 2013) Whereas, The GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs deplores the diminution of the renewal of the Pledge of Allegiance in the classroom; and Whereas, Patriotism and love of country must be instilled in the youth of America; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS STRESSES THE DAILY RENEWAL OF THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE IN ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS FROM KINDERGARTEN THROUGH TWELFTH GRADE; and further RESOLVED, THAT MEMBER CLUBS ENCOURAGE LOCAL SCHOOL BOARDS TO DO THE SAME.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~015-299~~ **1983-01** **ILLEGAL** MARIJUANA CULTIVATION (Convention 1983, Reaffirmed 1988, Reviewed 1998, Amended 2003, Amended 2009, Amended 2014)

Whereas, California is still the leading producer of domestic marijuana in the United States; and Whereas, Much of this cultivation of marijuana is in National Forests which are administered by the National Park Service, Bureau of Land Management, **and California State Parks Service** and ~~Whereas, The cost of importing marijuana is a major factor in the increase of domestic production; and~~ Whereas, Public lands ~~are used by both U.S. citizens and foreign drug cartels because they making arrests~~ **are**

~~often remote, making law enforcement difficult~~; and Whereas, It is increasingly difficult to regulate the encroachment of these marijuana growers on public lands; and ~~Whereas, Marijuana, does severe damage to wilderness areas in that the growers are cutting trees and the fertilizers the growers use for the marijuana plants are leaching into underground water which pollutes water downstream for domestic water supplies;~~ **Whereas, marijuana cultivation does severe damage to wilderness areas because growers cut trees and use fertilizers and pesticides that pollute the water, and** Whereas, ~~Trash and garbage, related to marijuana~~ **litter** ~~left~~ affects the environment and human health; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS THE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES EFFORTS TO CARRY OUT A COOPERATIVE PROGRAM TO ERADICATE AND PREVENT THE CULTIVATION OF MARIJUANA ON PUBLIC LANDS; and further RESOLVED, THAT EACH MEMBER IS ENCOURAGED TO WORK FOR INCREASED FUNDING TO SUPPORT OUR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE, AND BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT **AND CALIFORNIA STATE PARK SERVICES** FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF EXISTING LAWS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm as amended for clarity

~~15-485 015-385~~ **1984-02** U.S. ENGLISH (Convention 1984, Reaffirmed 1993, Reviewed 1998, Reaffirmed 2004, Reaffirmed 2009, Reaffirmed 2014) SUPPORT THE AIMS OF U.S. TO ESTABLISH ENGLISH AS THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF THE UNITED STATES.

Recommendation: Retire. Lacks federal or state endorsement or plan of action.

~~015-228~~ **1988-01** CALIFORNIA LOTTERY ACCOUNTABILITY (Convention 1988, Reaffirmed 1993, Reviewed 1998, Amended 2004, Amended 2009, Reaffirmed 2014)

Whereas, The general public is led to believe that players and public education are receiving huge financial gains from the California Lottery; and Whereas, As promoted before acceptance by the voters, the lottery was to be a bonanza for public to education; it is not; and Whereas, Lottery revenues account for only a small percentage of California expenditures on public education and were not intended to replace general funds; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES LAWMAKERS TO INSIST THAT ADVERTISING OF AND LOTTERY BENEFITS COMPLY WITH THE ORIGINAL INTENT AS VOTED.

Recommendation: Retire. Accomplished as the Lottery is now subject to audit. (California Lottery Audit)

~~015-270~~ **1988-02** GOVERNMENT WASTE AND INEFFICIENCY (Convention 1988, Reaffirmed 1993, Reviewed 1998, Amended 2004, Reviewed 2009, Reaffirmed 2014) Whereas, Numerous reports indicate that there is waste and inefficiency in California government; and Whereas, The government of California annually spends in gross excess of the accumulated revenues; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE TO IMPLEMENT REFORMS IN STATE GOVERNMENT WASTE AND EXCESS SPENDING LEADING TO FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~015-392~~ **1989-05** VICTIM SERVICES FUND (Convention 1989, Reviewed 1994, 1999, Amended 2004, Reviewed 2009, Reviewed 2014)

Whereas, The California Legislature had the foresight to establish a Victim Services Fund with moneys funded by a penalty assessment on fines; and Whereas, These fines are not sufficient to provide all stipulated victim-related services; and Whereas, There is a continued escalation of victim demands for services; and Whereas, These fines are mandated exclusively for the use of designated services to victims; and Whereas, This fund is constantly used to fund other state needs; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES THE LEGISLATURE TO STOP DIVERTING SUCH FUNDS FOR USES OTHER THAN THOSE DIRECT SERVICES NOW PROVIDED BY STATUTE.

Recommendation: Retire. Accomplished under Penal Code Section 1202.4 administered by California Victim Compensation Board.

~~015-294~~ **1990-03** COURT APPEAL REFORM (Convention 1990, Reviewed 1995, Reaffirmed 2000, Amended 2005, Amended 2010, Reaffirmed 2015) Whereas, In some instances, the victim of crimes and/or their families must live through trauma after trauma as appeals continue, sometimes for many years; and Whereas, The cost to the public can become prohibitive; therefore Whereas, The delay and overload in the courts would be reduced and, to many accused, their constitutional right to a speedy trial would be protected; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES THE LEGISLATORS, WORKING WITH THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM, TO INTRODUCE LEGISLATION THAT REFORMS THE APPEALS PROCESS.

Recommendation: Retire. **The language and reasoning are contradictory.**

~~015-405~~ **2004-04** CALIFORNIA BUDGETING PROCESS (Convention 2004, Reaffirmed 2009, Reaffirmed 2014) Whereas, Delays in passage of the state's annual budget contribute to inefficiencies and inequities in the system; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS EXPECTS THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE TO PASS THE STATE'S ANNUAL BALANCED BUDGET ACCORDING TO THE CONSTITUTIONALLY MANDATED DATE; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS THAT CALIFORNIA'S ANNUAL BALANCED BUDGET MUST BE PASSED BY A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY.

Recommendation: Retire. Accomplished by the Balanced Budget Act.

~~015-412~~ **2008-01** "IN GOD WE TRUST" ON UNITED STATES COINS AND CURRENCY (Convention 2008; amended 2013)

Whereas, In 1861 Chief Justice Chase of the Supreme Court wrote the following letter to the director of the U.S. Mint: "No nation can be strong except in the strength of God, or safe except in His defense. The trust of our people in God should be declared on our national coins"; and Whereas, Legislation mandated the inscription of "In God We Trust" and it has appeared on U.S. coins since 1894 and on paper currency since 1957; and Whereas, In 1956 Congress and the Supreme Court voted in favor of declaring "In God We Trust" as the National Motto of the United States; therefore RESOLVED, THAT GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORT THE NATIONAL MOTTO "IN GOD WE TRUST" AND PROPOSE THAT IT SHOULD REMAIN ON THE FACE OF ALL UNITED STATES COINS AND PAPER CURRENCY; and further 33 RESOLVED, THAT COPIES OF THIS RESOLUTION BE MADE AVAILABLE TO: 1. THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS. 2. ALL GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS DISTRICTS AND CLUBS. 3. THE UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~015-414~~ **2008-02** CALIFORNIA ADMISSION DAY (Convention 2008, Reaffirmed 2013)

Whereas, California has fallen away from celebrating this important and historic day and we feel strongly that all Californians should be proud of this very important day of September 9, 1850; when California was admitted as the 31st state into the United States, and Whereas, Admission Day should be a day of remembrance, programs and celebrations, and Whereas, We are proud of Admission Day and we want to share this with everyone in the State of California; therefore RESOLVED; THAT GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS **THE OBSERVANCE OF CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE ACTION TO REINSTATE CALIFORNIA ADMISSION DAY AS AN HONORARY CALENDAR DAY** ANNUALLY ON SEPTEMBER 9TH; and further RESOLVED, ~~SINCE THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION INCLUDES ADMISSION DAY ON its CALENDAR~~ THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGES MEMBERS TO ENCOURAGE LOCAL SCHOOLS TO PLAN A SPECIAL ADMISSION DAY EVENT.

Recommendation: Reaffirm as amended for clarity.

~~015-415~~ **2009-02** SUPER-SIZED TRUCKS (Feb. Board 2009, Convention 2010, Reaffirmed 2015)

Whereas, Existing infrastructure cannot support the effect of increasing weight limits of super-sized trucks. Current efforts are underway to increase the weight limit of trucks to 97,000 pounds; and Whereas, The 2007 National Bridge Inventory by the Federal Highway Administration classified 6,977 bridges as having been rated structurally deficient or functionally obsolete; and Whereas, Super-sized trucks, which would have an increase in length and weight, are being called "higher productivity vehicles" on the basis of the argument that they would result in fewer trucks on the road. It is also argued that there will be fewer emissions; and Whereas, These arguments are countered by the fact that since 1982 when Congress raised the maximum allowable truck weight to its current 80,000 pounds, there has been an increase in the number of U.S. registered trucks and an increase in the number of miles traveled by these trucks; and Whereas, Truck travel grows after an increase in truck size and weight because bigger trucks divert freight from other transportation modes; therefore RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS SUPPORTS ANY EFFORT TO PREVENT THE INCREASE OF LENGTH AND WEIGHT OF TRUCKS ON CALIFORNIA HIGHWAYS; and further RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS STRONGLY SUPPORTS ANY EFFORTS TO PREVENT THE PASSAGE OF FEDERAL LAWS THAT WOULD SUPERCEDE CALIFORNIA LAWS ON THESE ISSUES.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~015-419~~ **2012-01** PROHIBIT THE PRACTICE OF LANE SHARING. (Fall 2012), (Winter 2015), (Convention 2015)

Whereas, Current California Vehicle Code, does not address Lane Sharing (which includes lane splitting, filtering, white lining and stripe riding); and Whereas, California is the only state that has no law or state vehicle code which explicitly prohibits Lane Sharing by motorcycles on roadways; and Whereas, Lane Sharing places motorcycles into roadway spaces not designed for traffic such as painted lines, road seams and reflective material, and Whereas, Lane Sharing places motorcycles in roadway spaces where movement is not expected, resulting in sometimes fatal automobile/motorcycle accidents; and 34 RESOLVED, THAT THE GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS URGE THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATORS AND CALIFORNIA. AUTHORITIES TO INITIATE AND PASS A LAW THAT PROHIBITS LANE SHARING BY MOTORCYCLES ON CALIFORNIA ROADWAYS.

Recommendation: Reaffirm

~~015-481~~ 2015-01 SUPPORT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS (Winter Board 2015, Convention 2015)

Whereas, Demonstrators have marched through the streets of our American cities, in protest of police action resulting in the deaths of youths and adults in America; and Whereas, Protesters chant slogans which could incite others to take violent action against law enforcement officers, causing injury and death; and Whereas, Police officers across the country are receiving threats; and Whereas, Law enforcement Officers carry out their duties to uphold the laws of the land, to prevent crime, to apprehend suspected criminals, to rescue those in danger and to keep the peace, while putting their lives on the line daily; therefore, RESOLVED, THAT THE CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS GOES ON RECORD IN SUPPORT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS IN CARRYING OUT THEIR PRESCRIBED DUTIES; and further RESOLVED, THAT LAW ENFORCEMENT DEPARTMENTS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BE ENCOURAGED TO CREATE AND/OR ENHANCE PROGRAMS TO INTERACT WITH LOCAL YOUTH, PARENTS AND COMMUNITY LEADERS, THEREBY PROMOTING BETTER UNDERSTANDING, RESPECT AND TRUST AMONG ALL PARTIES; FURTHER RESOLVED THAT COPIES OF THIS

RESOLUTION BE SENT TO THE PRESIDENT AND ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA.

Recommendation: Retire. Replace with 2021-02 and 2021-04

2021-04 SUPPORT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS (New) (Replaces ~~015-481~~ 2015-01)

Whereas, Law enforcement Officers carry out their duties to uphold the laws of the land, to prevent crime, to apprehend suspected criminals, to rescue those in danger and to keep the peace, while putting their lives on the line daily; therefore, RESOLVED, THAT THE CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS GOES ON RECORD IN SUPPORT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS IN CARRYING OUT THEIR PRESCRIBED DUTIES.

Recommendation: Adopt New Resolution

2021-05 UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE (USPS) (New)

Whereas the USPS was established in 1775; and Whereas the USPS provides a vital public service that is part of our nation's critical infrastructure; and Whereas the USPS is the largest civilian employer, employing more than 700,000 people; and Whereas the USPS uses zero tax dollars; and Whereas the USPS is a not-for-profit, self-supporting agency that covers its expenses through sales of postage and related products; and Whereas the USPS delivers 472.1 million pieces of mail each day; and Whereas the USPS delivers life-saving medications, vote-by-mail ballots and other indispensable pieces of mail; and Whereas the USPS delivery of commercial mail is vital to the existence of small businesses; and Whereas the USPS is the only delivery service that delivers to every single American address; and Whereas neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds; and Whereas the postal service has supported Woman's Clubs activities by delivering invitations, cards, notices, payments, applications and correspondence vital to our existence; and Whereas the USPS has been negatively affected by the economic slowdown due to the Corona virus Pandemic that threatens its existence; therefore RESOLVED, THAT GFWC-CFWC, STRONGLY URGES THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED STATES SENATE, THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO PROVIDE RELIEF THAT THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE NEEDS TO STAY IN BUSINESS BY PASSING H.R. 2382-116TH CONGRESS: USPS FAIRNESS ACT AND APPROVING FUNDING TO ENSURE THEIR FINANCIAL SOLVENCY; AND FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT COPIES OF THIS RESOLUTION BE FORWARDED TO THE PRESIDENT, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT, SENATE AND CONGRESS.

Recommendation: Adopt new resolution

PROPOSED BYLAW AMENDMENTS FOR 2021 CFWC CONVENTION

Amendment #1

ARTICLE III

Title is MEMBERSHIP add the word CLUB. The proposed title to be CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Reason: better define the club and the individual member.

Amendment #2

SECTION 3.1. Eligibility. Women's Clubs and other Organizations whose work is germane....."

Delete: Women's Clubs and other

To read: Eligibility. Organizations whose work is germane to the objects of the General Federation of Women's Clubs are eligible for membership in the GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs

Reason: remove gender description

Amendment #3

SECTION 3.2. Requirements. To become a member of CFWC a club must:

Be composed of ten (10) or more members.....

Add "dues paying" to read

Be composed of ten (10) or more dues paying members who hold membership in:

Reason: Members must be dues paying

Amendment #4

SECTION 3.2.B Membership in multiple clubs shall be optional but per capita dues must be paid to each constituent group.

Delete all and move to New Membership Article

Amendment #5

SECTION 3.3. Types of Members Add the word "Club"

to read: Club Membership in the CFWC, shall..

Amendment #6

SECTION 3.3 C Undesignated are Clubs (e.g. GFWC Emeritus Clubs of California) with statewide membership and shall not be counted in the membership of any.....

Remove the words (e.g. GFWC Emeritus Clubs of California)

to read: Undesignated are clubs with statewide membership and shall not be counted in the membership of any

Delete this as the issue of the Emeritus Club has been settled.

Amendment #7

The Club GFWC shall precede the name of the club applying for membership.....

Delete entire section and replace with:

The Club

GFWC shall precede the name of the club applying for membership.

Application form signed by the Club President and Recording Secretary must be accompanied by

A check payable to District, for per capita GFWC, CFWC and District dues

Names and addresses of all members

Contact information for the Club President, Recording Secretary and Treasurer

Two (2) copies of the bylaws (or electronic copies)

Reason. To better define the needed steps to create a new club

Amendment #8

SECTION 3.4.

Following acceptance into membership, Delete this section and replace with.

Following acceptance into membership

CFWC President shall notify the Club and the District President of the club's acceptance

CFWC Second Vice President (Membership Chairman) and the Area Vice President will send the new club welcoming information and procedure for receipt of their Club Charter

CFWC Membership Chairman shall present a copy of the signed membership application and dues check for GFWC and CFWC to the CFWC Financial Secretary.

CFWC Membership Chairman shall file a signed copy of the application at CFWC Record Storage location.

Reason. To better define the needed steps

Amendment #9

SECTION 3.6. Delinquency, Withdrawal and Reinstatement

A. Delinquency Clubs whose membership dues are delinquent.....

delete and replace with

A. Delinquency Clubs whose membership dues are delinquent June 15 shall

1. Be sent a reminder letter
2. be encouraged to pay all delinquent dues prior to July 31
3. be informed that after July 31 their club information shall not be included in the yearbook
4. copies of the notification letter shall be distributed to the appropriate District President

and a list of all delinquent clubs for action be given to the CFWC President and CFWC

Second Vice President

Reason. To better define the needed steps

Amendment #10

B. Proposed Withdrawal

Last sentence For additional information see Article III, Section 3.6 and Article VIII Section 8.2.

Delete as this is not a valid section

Amendment #11

D.2 Reads the vote was by ballot and witnessed by a member of the CFWC Executive Committee,
Delete the words “and witnessed by a member of the CFWC Executive Committee”

Reason This is not practical

Amendment #12

New ARTICLE IV MEMBERS

SECTION 4.1. CFWC shall have two (2) categories of membership

A. Members of Active Clubs whose work is germane to the objects of the General Federation of Women’s Clubs. The dues-paying adult members of Active Clubs are members of CFWC with all pertinent privileges.

B. Members of Juniorette Clubs sponsored by Active Clubs or Districts. Membership is composed entirely of middle/junior high and high school age students and do not have voting privileges.

C. Membership in multiple clubs shall be optional but per capita dues must be paid to each constituent group.

Reason. To provide for the individual member

Amendment #13

ARTICLE V

SECTION 5.1. Officers

Add new C. The elected and appointed officers shall constitute the Executive Committee.

Old C becomes D

Reason: to clarify the Executive Committee.

Amendment #14

SECTION 5.2. Terms and Vacancies

After word Parliamentary and Corresponding Secretary, add (appointed officers)

To read

Officers, with the exception of the President, shall be elected by ballot at the election year Convention. Their term of office shall be for two years or until their successors are elected or appointed. No officer, except the Parliamentary and Corresponding Secretary, (appointed officers) shall be eligible to serve in the same office for more than two consecutive years, except when an officer is filling a vacancy...

Reason: to clarify that these are appointed positions.

Amendment #15

SECTION 5.4. Duties C. The Second Vice President

Delete the word Director and replace with Chairman. Will read:

C The Second Vice President shall serve as Membership Chairman and assist the President in devising and executing plans of work.....

Serving as Chairman of the Membership Committee and developing a comprehensive.....

Reason: to use the uniform title of “Chairman”

Amendment #16

E The Director of Finance

9. Reviewing the books of the Convention Committee within sixty (60) after the Annual Convention.

Delete as we no longer have Books from a Convention Committee

Amendment #17

New 9 Closing the books and delivering them to the outside Accountant with 60 days following the close of the fiscal year.

New 10. Deliver to the incoming Director of Finance within two-weeks of the end of the term of office, all records, files, and documents belonging to CFWC.

Reason: to allow for the smooth operation of CFWC from one year to the next.

Amendment #18

H. The Treasurer

4. Delete the word monthly and add each State Board meeting, to read:

4. A summary report will be sent to each member of the Executive Committee at each State Board meeting.

Reason: clarify when reports are due to Executive Committee.

Amendment #19

5. Delete Closing the books and delivering them to the outside Accountant with 60 days following the close of the fiscal year.

Reason: this is a Director of Finance duty.

Amendment #20

5. Deliver to the Incoming Treasurer within two weeks of the end of the term of office, records, files, and documents belong to CFWC.

Reason: to allow for the smooth operation of CFWC from one year to the next.

Amendment #21

G. The Financial Secretary

3. Change CFWC Headquarters to CFWC Record Storage

Amendment #22

Delete 4. Submitting a monthly report of all deposits made and sending copies to each member of the Finance Committee and filing the original for audit.

New 4. A summary report will be sent to each member of the Executive Committee at each State Board meeting.

Reason: to all for the smooth operation of the Finance department

Amendment #23

Delete 8 Delivering to the Financial Secretary all financial material of the Federation within two weeks after end of term of office and replace with:

New 8 Deliver to the incoming Financial Secretary within two weeks of the end of the term of office, all records, files, and documents belong to CFWC.

Reason: to allow for the smooth operation of CFWC from one year to the next.

Amendment #24

H The Area Vice Presidents

4. Each should visit every district in their area during their term.

Replace the word “should” with “shall” and add “maintain monthly contact with each district president in their area”

To read Each shall visit every district in their area during their term and maintain monthly contact with each district president in the area.

Reason: To assure constant open communication at all levels

Amendment #25

ARTICLE VI EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND DUTIES

SECTION 6.1. Definition.

M. Electronic messaging. To oversee, maintain and update the GFWC Quick Bytes and other CFWC social media. Change “social” to “current media” to read

M. Electronic messaging. To oversee, maintain and update the GFWC Quick Bytes and other current CFWC media.

Reason to allow for future updates

Amendment #26

SECTION 6.4. Meetings

C.3 The Executive Committee may transact business by teleconference or video conference when necessary.

Add to include voting on matters presented.

Will read: C.3. The Executive Committee may transact business by teleconference or video conference when necessary to include voting on matters presented.

Reason: to allow for the business to be conducted

Amendment #27

Article VII Executive Board and Duties

Section 7.1

B. Executive Board Members: Member must hold membership in a Federated Club

Add the words "in good standing in a dues paying club"

To read: Members must hold membership in good standing in a dues paying club.

Reason: to clarify

Amendment #28

D. Non-Board members may attend meetings of the Executive Board without a vote with approval of the Board.....

Delete the words "with approval of the Board"

Reason: A vote is not needed as all are welcome.

Amendment #29

Section 7.3

C. Report: Each member of the Executive Board may present a report at the Executive Board meeting.

Add the words 'upon request of the president'

To read: Upon request of the President, a member of the Executive Board may present a report at the Executive Board meeting.

Reason: To assist in keeping to the agenda

Amendment #30

Article XI Committees

Section 11.2

A. Convention. The Chairman is appointed by the President.

Add and/or Co-Chairman

To Read: The Chairman and/or Co-Chairman shall be appointed by the President

Amendment #31

Article XII Convention

Section 12.1 There shall be an annual convention at the time and place to be determined by the Executive Committee preferably in May and this convention shall not be less than three days or more than five days

Change to read: There shall be an annual convention at the time and place to be determined by the Executive Committee preferably in May. This convention shall be two days in length calling to order on Friday noon and adjourning Saturday Evening.

Reason: Cost Saving for our membership

Amendment #32

C. Sixty days prior to the Convention, one copy of the CALL shall be mailed to each Club President, one copy to CFWC Executive Board Members with convention information and the registration form. Convention information shall be included in the California Clubwoman magazine. The Convention Call and information shall be placed on the website

Change to read:

C. Sixty days prior to the Convention, one copy of the CALL shall be provided to each Club President electronically or if requested by US mail and one copy to CFWC Executive Board Members complete with convention information and the registration form. Convention information shall be included in all publications and shall be placed on the website

Reason: cost saving

Amendment #33

D. A copy of the Convention Procedure shall be kept on file at the CFWC Headquarters Office with a copy available to the CFWC Convention Chairman if needed.

Change to read:

D. A copy of the Convention Procedure shall be kept on file at CFWC Record Storage and a copy made available to the next CFWC Convention Chairman.

Reason: needed for smooth transition from one to the next

Amendment #34

Section 12.2 Representation Voting Body

A. CFWC Membership

8. Club Delegate or alternate for each twenty or less members; one additional Delegate or Alternate, for each additional ten members or major fraction thereof.

To read

8. Each club having 20 members or fewer will have two (2) delegates or alternates. Each club shall have one (1) additional delegate or alternate for each additional ten (10) members or a major fraction thereof. Each Affiliate club and Juniorette club shall have one (1) vote.

a. Examples

1-25 members	2 delegates	116-125 members	12 delegates
26-35 members	3 delegates	126-135 members	13 delegates
36-45 members	4 delegates	136-145 members	14 delegates
46-55 members	5 delegates	146-155 members	15 delegates
56-65 members	6 delegates	156-165 members	16 delegates
66-75 members	7 delegates	166-175 members	17 delegates
76-85 members	8 delegates	176-185 members	18 delegates
86-95 members	9 delegates	186-195 members	19 delegates
96-105 members	10 delegates	196-205 members	20 delegates
106-115 members	11 members	206-215 members	21 delegates

Reason: ease of calculation

Amendment #35

New Article to be placed before the Dissolution Article

Article EMERGENCIES

Section 1 In the case of a national emergency, state emergency, or any type of event (manmade or natural) that could potentially put members in danger, the President, with the consent of the majority of the Executive Committee, may order the election be held by mail or electronically.

Section 2 In the case of a national emergency, state emergency, or any type of event (manmade or natural) that could potentially put members in danger, the President, with the consent of the majority of the Executive Committee, may order the electronic meeting to be held as a substitute for a regular, executive board or special meeting.



Debate Sheet

DETACH THIS PAGE AND SEND BY APRIL 15, 2021 at 5 PM

Please provide the following information:

Your Name _____

Your Club: _____

Your District: _____

I am a delegate for: *Check One:*

Club: _____ District: _____ State: _____

I wish to pull and openly debate (please include the number, article, and section):

Resolution: _____

Bylaw: _____

- Only one item per page may be submitted.
- You must be present to openly debate your submitted page and you must be a Delegate to Convention.

The form must be filled out and sent via mail or as an email attachment to the following:

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Thank you for your submission & adherence to helping with our time constraints. See you at Convention.

**GFWC CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS
VOTING CREDENTIAL**

NAME _____
AREA _____ DISTRICT _____
CLUB _____
PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

VOTING POSITION – CHECK **ONE** OF THE FOLLOWING:

- _____ CFWC OFFICER
- _____ CFWC CHAIRMAN
- _____ CFWC COMMITTEE MEMBER
- _____ CFWC PAST PRESIDENT
- _____ DISTRICT PRESIDENT
- _____ DISTRICT PRESIDENT'S ALTERNATE
- _____ DISTRICT 1ST VICE PRESIDENT
- _____ DISTRICT VICE PRESIDENT'S ALTERNATE
- _____ CLUB PRESIDENT
- _____ CLUB PRESIDENT'S ALTERNATE
- _____ CLUB DELEGATE
- _____ JUNIORETTE CLUB DELEGATE (One per club)
- _____ AFFILLIATE CLUB DELEGATE (One per club)

Members in Areas A & B, Email to: Priscilla Bolinder – pjb43cfwc@gmail.com

Members in Areas C & D Email to Edie Seger – edie@juliantea.com

You will find total delegates by Area at the end of this CALL. Look for your club to see how many delegates you have.

ALL FORMS ARE DUE ON OR BEFORE: APRIL 15, 2021 AT 5 PM

118TH ANNUAL CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM

Send to Debbie Pietraszko in order to receive the meeting ID and Pass code for what you wish to attend, debpie74@yahoo.com. There is no charge to attend Convention.

NAME _____ Area _____ District _____

Club _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE: _____

I AM A VOTING DELEGATE _____ I AM NOT A VOTING DELEGATE _____

I wish to attend the following workshop(s) on Saturday, May 15, 2021: Please check only one for each time slot. (Attendance at workshops will be by invitation, so if interested you must register & indicate which workshop(s) you want to attend).

_____ (15-1) 9:15-10 am, Wendy Carricker, GFWC 2nd Vice President

_____ (15-2) 9:15-10 am, Jane Thomey, CFWC Environment Chairman

_____ (15-3) 10:05-11 am, Wendy Carricker, GFWC Second Vice President

_____ (15-4) 10:05–11 am, Yolanda Petroski, CFWC Civic Engagement Chairman

_____ I plan to attend Emeritus Wed., May 12 from 10-11:30 a.m. (anyone who has served on the CFWC Board is eligible to join this club.)

_____ I plan to attend ESO Wed., May 12 from 1-2:30 p.m. (Epsilon Sigma Omicron is a reading group open to any member)

NOTE: If you have any problems with registration, please call Debbie 818-681-8593.

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Area	District	Club	Current year Members	Delegates	Club Pres or alternate	Total votes
A	Alameda	Alta Mira Club	58	5	1	6
A	Alameda	Bayview Women's Club of Alameda	17	2	1	3
A	Alameda	Country Club of Washington Township	37	3	1	4
A	Alameda	Fil Woman's Club of the East Bay	15	2	1	3
A	Alameda	GFWC Bay Area Woman's Club	10	2	1	3
A	Alameda	Hill & Valley Club	64	5	1	6
A	Alameda	Montclair Women's Club	30	3	1	4
A	Alameda	Past Presidents' Assembly of Alameda District	Affiliate	1	0	1
A	Loma Prieta	Corralitos Woman's Club	75	7	1	8
A	Loma Prieta	Country Woman's Club of Campbell	66	6	1	7
A	Loma Prieta	Cupertino Federated Women's Club	25	2	1	3
A	Loma Prieta	GFWC South San Francisco Women's Club	67	7	1	8
A	Loma Prieta	GFWC Peninsula Hills Women's Club	42	4	1	5
A	Loma Prieta	Iranian Federated Women's Club	12	2	1	3
A	Loma Prieta	Mountain View Woman's Club	5	2	1	3
A	Loma Prieta	Past Presidents' Assembly	Affiliate	1	0	1
A	Loma Prieta	Redwood City Woman's Club	76	8	1	9
A	Loma Prieta	Santa Clara Woman's Club	103	10	1	11
A	Loma Prieta	We and Our Neighbors	22	2	1	3
A	Loma Prieta	West Valley Federated Women's Club	11	2	1	3
A	Loma Prieta	The Federated Woman's Club of San Carlos	13	2	1	3
A	Loma Prieta	Woman's Club of Palo Alto	237	24	1	25
A	Loma Prieta	Women's Club of Hollister	71	7	1	8
A	Mt. Diablo	Alamo Women's Club	79	5	1	6
A	Mt. Diablo	Anderson Valley Unity Club-Boonville	49	5	1	6
A	Mt. Diablo	Federated Women of Upper Napa Valley	38	4	1	5
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Clayton Valley Woman's Club	52	5	1	6
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Danville Women's Club	39	4	1	5
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Dublin/San Ramon Women's Club	75	7	1	8
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Fountaineers Ladies Club	7	2	1	3
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Lucki Ladies Club	24	2	1	3
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Past Presidents' Assembly of Mount Diablo	28	3	1	4
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Tracy Woman's Club	105	10	1	11
A	Mt. Diablo	GFWC Woman's Club of Antioch	75	8	1	9
A	Mt. Diablo	Isabelle Brubaker Parliamentary Law Study Club	Affiliate	1	0	1
A	Mt. Diablo	Manteca Federated Women's Club	15	2	1	3
A	Mt. Diablo	Martinez Woman's Club	16	2	1	3

A	Mt. Diablo	Lafayette Suburban Junior Women's Club	46	5	1	6
A	Mt. Diablo	Moraga Junior Women's Club	16	2	1	3
A	Mt. Diablo	Napa Women's Club Evening Edition	55	5	1	6
A	Mt. Diablo	Napa Women's Club, Inc	19	2	1	3
A	Mt. Diablo	Orinda Junior Women's Club	36	4	1	5
A	Mt. Diablo	Orinda Women's Club	81	8	1	9
A	Mt. Diablo	Pleasanton-Livermore Junior Women's Club	8	2	1	3
A	Mt. Diablo	The Woman's Club of Lodi, Inc	145	15	1	16
A	Redwood	Crescent City Women's Club	34	3	1	4
A	Redwood	Eureka Woman's Club	51	5	1	6
A	Redwood	Garberville Civic Club	10	2	1	3
A	Redwood	McKinleyville Federated Women's Club	8	2	1	3
A	Redwood	The Wha-Nika Club	19	2	1	3
A	Redwood	Trinidad Civic Club	24	2	1	3
A	Shasta	Capay Rancho Women's Club	25	3	1	4
A	Shasta	Durham Woman's Club	15	2	1	3
A	Shasta	GFWC Anderson Women's Club Inc.	18	2	1	3
A	Shasta	Hamilton City Women's Club	-		0	0
A	Shasta	Los Molinos Woman's Club	3	2	1	3
A	Shasta	Orland Women's & Improvement Club	37	4	1	5
A	Shasta	The Past President's Association of Federated Women's Clubs	Affiliate	1	0	1
A	Shasta	The Maywood Woman's Club	22	2	1	3
A	Shasta	The Monday Afternoon Club (Willows)	4	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC Alliance of Federated Women	9	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC Citrus Heights Women's Club	18	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC East Sacramento Women's Club	14	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC Monday Alpha Club	9	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC North Sacramento Women's Club	13	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC Orangevale Woman's Club	71	7	1	8
A	Sutter	GFWC Placer Foothills Women's Club	-	-	0	0
A	Sutter	GFWC Sutter District Parliamentary Law Club	8	2	1	3
A	Sutter	GFWC Women's Improvement Club of Roseville, Inc	26	3	1	4
A	Sutter	The Park Study Club of Clear Lake	20	2	1	3



Area	District	Club	Current Members	Delegates	Club Pres or Alternate	Total
B	San Gabriel Valley	Arcadia Woman's Club aka Woman's Club of Arcadia	39	4	1	5
B	San Gabriel Valley	Azusa Woman's Club	17	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	Baldwin Park Woman's Club	50	5	1	6
B	San Gabriel Valley	Charter Oak Woman's Club	20	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	Covina Woman's Club	95	9	1	10
B	San Gabriel Valley	Diamond Bar Woman's Club	41	4	1	5
B	San Gabriel Valley	Woman's Club of Downey	41	4	1	4
B	San Gabriel Valley	Duarte Woman's Club	26	3	1	4
B	San Gabriel Valley	El Monte Women's Club	28	3	1	4
B	San Gabriel Valley	GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club	12	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	GFWC La Puente Valley Woman's Club	9	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	Hacienda Heights Woman's Club	29	3	1	4
B	San Gabriel Valley	Highland Park Bell	47	5	1	6
B	San Gabriel Valley	La Crescent Woman's Club	56	6	1	7
B	San Gabriel Valley	GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club	35	4	1	5
B	San Gabriel Valley	Montebello Woman's Club	33	3	1	4
B	San Gabriel Valley	Monterey Park Woman's Club	41	4	1	5
B	San Gabriel Valley	Pasadena Woman's Club	19	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	Pio Pico Woman's Club	112	11	1	12
B	San Gabriel Valley	Rowland Heights Woman's Club	14	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	San Gabriel Valley District Alumnae	Affiliate	1	0	1
B	San Gabriel Valley	San Gabriel Valley District Past Presidents	Affiliate	1	0	1
Area	District	Club	Current	Dele-	Club Pres	Total

			Members	gates	or Alternate	
B	San Gabriel Valley	San Gabriel Valley Parliamentary Group	Affiliate	1	0	1
B	San Gabriel Valley	Santa Fe Springs Women's Club	18	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	Sierra Madre Woman's Club	76	8	1	9
B	San Gabriel Valley	Sunland Woman's Club	39	4	1	5
B	San Gabriel Valley	The Woman's Club of West Covina	52	5	1	6
B	San Gabriel Valley	Walnut Valley Women's Club	35	3	1	4
B	San Gabriel Valley	Whittier Women's Club	18	2	1	3
B	San Gabriel Valley	Woman's Club of South Pasadena	64	6	1	7
B	San Gabriel Valley	Women's Twentieth Century Club of Eagle Rock	65	7	1	8
B	San Joaquin Valley	Coalinga Woman's Club	17	2	1	3
B	San Joaquin Valley	Fig Garden Woman's Club	196	20	1	21
B	San Joaquin Valley	Fowler Improvement Association	55	6	1	7
B	San Joaquin Valley	Kern River Valley Woman's Club	76	8	1	9
B	San Joaquin Valley	Lamont Women's Club	39	4	1	5
B	San Joaquin Valley	Porterville Women's Club	12	2	1	3
B	San Joaquin Valley	Shafter Women's Club	35	4	1	5
B	San Joaquin Valley	South Fork Women's Club	58	6	1	7
B	San Joaquin Valley	Springville Women's Club	39	4	1	5
B	San Joaquin Valley	Wasco Junior Woman's Club	16	2	1	3
B	San Joaquin Valley	Wasco Woman's Club	34	3	1	4
B	San Joaquin Valley	Woman's Club North of the River	5	2	1	3
B	San Joaquin Valley	Woman's' Club of Bakersfield	120	12	1	13

Area	District	Club	Current Members	Delegates	Club Pres or Alternate	Total
B	Tierra Adorada	GFWC Estero Bay Women's Club	22	2	1	3
B	Tierra Adorada	Moorpark Women's Fortnightly Club	103	10	1	11
B	Tierra Adorada	Oak View Women's Club	30	3	1	4
B	Tierra Adorada	Ojai Valley Woman's Club	49	5	1	6
B	Tierra Adorada	San Buenaventura Women's Club	75	8	1	9
B	Tierra Adorada	Simi Valley Woman's Club	17	2	1	3
B	Tierra Adorada	Somis Thursday Club	35	3	1	4
B	Tierra Adorada	Town & Country Women's Club of Santa Barbara	21	2	1	3
B	Tierra Adorada	Woman's Service Club of Goleta	38	4	1	5
B	Yosemite	Aronos Research Women's Club	18	2	1	3
B	Yosemite	Dos Palos Women's Improvement Club	22	2	1	3
B	Yosemite	GFWC/CFWC Ceres Woman's Club, Inc	21	2	1	3
B	Yosemite	Madera Woman's Improvement Club	12	2	1	3
B	Yosemite	Riverbank Federated Women's Club	17	2	1	3



Area	District	Club	Current Members	Delegates	Club Pres or Alternate	Total
C	Los Cerritos	El Dorado Woman's Club	40	4	1	5
C	Los Cerritos	GFWC Long Beach Women's Club, Inc.	12	2	1	3
C	Los Cerritos	GFWC Women's Club of Huntington Park	28	3	1	4
C	Los Cerritos	Lakewood Women's Club	43	4	1	5
C	Los Cerritos	Norwalk Woman's Club	46	5	1	6
C	Los Cerritos	Paramount Women's Club	33	3	1	4
C	Los Cerritos	South Gate Multi-Cultural Women's Club	13	2	1	3
C	Los Cerritos	South Gate Women's Club	22	2	1	3
C	Los Cerritos	The Los Angeles Philippine Women's Club	42	4	1	5
C	Los Cerritos	Woman's Club of Artesia-Cerritos	75	8	1	9
C	Los Cerritos	Woman's Club of Bellflower	53	5	1	6
C	Marina District	California Past Presidents' Club	Affiliate	1	0	1
C	Marina District	Culver City Woman's Club	73	7	1	8
C	Marina District	El Segundo Woman's Club	51	5	1	6
C	Marina District	GFWC/CFWC Woman's Club of Redondo Beach	43	4	1	5
C	Marina District	GFWC Silicon Beach Social	19	2	1	3
C	Marina District	GFWC/South Bay Junior Woman's Club	43	4	1	5
C	Marina District	GFWC Woman's Club of Hollywood	3	2	1	3
C	Marina District	Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club	71	7	1	7
C	Marina District	The Torrance Woman's Club	116	12	1	13
C	Marina District	Woman's Club of Hermosa Beach	100	10	1	11
C	Marina District	Woman's Club of Playa Del Rey	78	8	1	9
C	Orange	Barber City Women's Club	40	4	1	5
C	Orange	Dana Point Woman's Club	36	4	1	5
C	Orange	Ebell Club of Anaheim	50	5	1	6
C	Orange	Ebell Club of Canyon Hills	65	7	1	8
C	Orange	Ebell Club of Fullerton	29	3	1	4
C	Orange	Fountain Valley Woman's Club	97	10	1	11
C	Orange	GFWC Ebell Club of Irvine	19	2	1	3
C	Orange	Laguna Niguel Woman's Club	72	7	1	8
C	Orange	La Habra Woman's Club	44	4	1	5
C	Orange	Orange District Emeritus	Affiliate	1	0	1
C	Orange	Placentia Round Table Women's Club	135	13	1	14
C	Orange	Rossmoor Woman's Club	96	10	1	11
C	Orange	San Clemente Junior Woman's Club	22	2	1	3
C	Orange	San Clemente Woman's Club	47	5	1	6

Are	District	Club	Current Members	Delegates	Club Pres or Alternate	Total
C	Orange	Tustin Area Woman's Club	72	7	1	8
C	Orange	Woman's Civic Club of Garden Grove	47	5	1	6
C	Orange	Woman's Club of Cypress	82	8	1	9
C	Orange	Woman's Club of Fullerton	66	7	1	8
C	Orange	Woman's Club of Laguna Beach	148	15	1	16
C	Orange	Woman's Club of Orange	187	19	1	20
C	Orange	Yorba Linda Woman's Club	113	11	1	12
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Canoga Park Women's Club	56	6	1	7
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Chatsworth Women's Club	31	3	1	4
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Granada Hills Woman's Club	93	9	1	10
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Hughes-Elizabeth Lakes Woman's Club	16	2	1	3
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Lancaster Woman's Club	12	2	1	3
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Mammoth Lakes Women's Club	11	2	1	3
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Palmdale Woman's Club	29	3	1	3
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Postscripts Federated Club	Affiliate	1	0	1
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Quartz Hill Woman's Club	34	3	1	4
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Reseda Woman's /Club	20	2	1	3
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Sherman Oaks Woman's Club	23	2	1	3
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Sierra Cahuenga Parliamentary Law Club	Affiliate	1	0	1
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Westlake Village Junior Women's Club	-	-	0	0
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Westlake Women's Club	51	5	1	6
C	Sierra Cahuenga	Woodland Hills Woman's Club	61	6	1	7



Area	District	Club Name	Current Year Members	Delegates	Club Pres or Alternate	Total
D	De Anza	Beaumont Woman's Club	18	2	1	3
D	De Anza	Elsinore Woman's Club	91	9	1	10
D	De Anza	GFWC Meniffee Woman's Club	19	2	1	3
D	De Anza	GFWC The Woman's Club of Indio	113	11	1	12
D	De Anza	Hemet Woman's Club	43	4	1	5
D	De Anza	Jacumba Community Woman's Club, Inc	11	2	1	3
D	De Anza	Perris Valley Woman's Club	20	2	1	3
D	De Anza	Riverside Woman's Club	73	7	1	8
D	De Anza	Temecula Valley Woman's Club	105	10	1	11
D	De Anza	Woman's Club of Holtville	79	8	1	9
D	De Anza	Woman's Improvement Club of Calexico	23	2	1	3
D	De Anza	Woman's Improvement Club of Corona	80	8	1	9
D	Palomar	Bonsall Woman's Club	100	10	1	11
D	Palomar	Fallbrook Woman's Club	62	6	1	7
D	Palomar	GFWC Contemporary Women of North County	45	5	1	6
D	Palomar	GFWC Inland Valley Federated Women's Club	9	2	1	3
D	Palomar	Julian Woman's Club	47	5	1	6
D	Palomar	Poway Woman's Club	14	2	1	3
D	Palomar	Stars of Palomar	Affiliate	1	0	1
D	Palomar	Valley Center Women' Club	3	2	1	3
D	Palomar	Woman's Club of Carlsbad	92	9	1	10
D	Palomar	Woman's Club of Oceanside	28	3	1	4
D	Palomar	Woman's Club of Vista	34	3	1	4
D	San Bernardino	Barstow Women's Club	42	4	1	5
D	San Bernardino	Colton Woman's Club	87	9	1	10
D	San Bernardino	Fontana Women's Club	15	2	1	3
D	San Bernardino	GFWC Montclair-Ontario Women's Club	7	2	1	3
D	San Bernardino	Grand Terrace Woman's Club	42	4	1	5
D	San Bernardino	Hi-Desert Junior Women's Club	18	2	1	3
D	San Bernardino	Junior Woman's Club of San Bernardino	11	2	1	3
D	San Bernardino	Ontario Woman's Club	12	2	1	3
D	San Bernardino	Rancho Cucamonga Woman's Club	23	2	1	3
D	San Bernardino	The Contemporary Club of Redlands	57	6	1	7
D	San Bernardino	Upland Woman's Club	65	7	1	8

D	San Bernardino	Victor Valley Women's Club	35	4	1	5
Area	District	Club	Current year members	Delegates	Club Pres or Alternate	Total
D	San Bernardino	We Been There Club	Affiliate	1	0	1
D	San Bernardino	Woman's Club of Big Bear Lake	28	3	1	4
D	San Bernardino	Woman's Club of Rialto	62	6	1	7
D	San Bernardino	Women's Club of Needles	25	3	1	4
D	San Bernardino	Women's Club of San Bernardino	74	7	1	8
D	San Bernardino	Yucaipa Woman's Club	73	7	1	8
D	Southern	Clairmont Woman's Club	33	3	1	4
D	Southern	GFWC Past Presidents' Association	11	2	1	3
D	Southern	Mira Mesa Women's Club	30	3	1	4
D	Southern	Pacific Beach Woman's Club	55	6	1	7
D	Southern	San Diego Women's Club	27	3	1	4
D	Southern	Bostonia Woman's Club	26	3	1	4
D	Southern	Chula Vista Woman's Club	30	3	1	4
D	Southern	Coronado Junior Women's Club	50	5	1	6
D	Southern	Coronado Woman's Club	29	3	1	4
D	Southern	Friday Club of National City	10	2	1	3
D	Southern	GFWC East County Junior Woman's Club	8	2	1	3
D	Southern	Imperial Beach Woman's Club	54	5	1	6
D	Southern	La Mesa Woman's Club	37	4	1	5
D	Southern	Las Donas Past Presidents' Club	18	2	1	3
D	Southern	San Ysidro Woman's Club	37	4	1	5
D	Southern	Sweetwater Woman's Club	61	6	1	7
D	Southern	Woman's Club of Lakeside	65	7	1	8

