



GIVING WoMN 2020-2021 Board

Mary Weber will be continuing her role as **President**. This is her sixth year with GIVING WoMN and she has previously served on the Grants Committee including Grants Co-Chair. Mary is passionate about giving back to the community and loves the idea of GIVING WoMN - powerful women coming together to make a difference. She enjoys learning more about both the compelling needs of our community and the great work done by the local non-profits. Mary has a Bachelor's in Business from the University of Minnesota and her Masters in Organization Leadership from the University of St. Catherine. She spent 35 years working in human resources leadership / talent management roles for a variety of organizations. In spring of 2016 she 'escaped' from corporate life to start her own consulting business – E2 Leadership Consulting – supporting organizations with their human capital and leadership development needs. She is also an adjunct professor with Concordia University in Saint Paul. Mary serves on the Board of the Opus Foundation and on the Board of Trustees for the Jeremiah Program. She and her husband have five children and two beautiful grandchildren. Her spare time is largely spent at their second home in Puerto Rico.

Susan Dowd is continuing as **Vice President** for GIVING WoMN. She has been a member of GIVING WoMN for eight years. She served on the Grants Committee during her second year. An Atlanta native, Susan earned her B.A. in Art from Agnes Scott College and an MLS in Library Science from Emory University. Retired, she worked in nonprofit development for 12 years, nine of those at The Friends of the Saint Paul Public Library, where she coordinated a successful capital campaign. Susan and her husband Bryan, Minneapolis residents for 37 years now, enjoy getting back to Georgia and being grandparents.

Diane Slayton will be moving into the role of **Treasurer**. She joined GIVING WoMN in 2016 and has served on the Grants Committee for the past two years. Diane has a bachelor's degree in Business from the University of Minnesota. She spent nearly four decades as a marketing professional working in Consumer Package Goods and Health Care. Since retiring three years ago, Diane has been involved in non-profit work and is passionate about lifting up those living on the margins. A Twin Cities native, Diane and her husband have three grown children and one adorable granddaughter. She is active in two book clubs, plays competitive bridge and loves to walk/hike whenever possible.

Lorri Anderson is continuing in her role as **Secretary**. She joined GIVING WoMN in 2017 and served on the Grants Committee that year. Lorri has a bachelor's degree from the University of North Dakota and received her MBA from the University of Minnesota, Carlson School of Management. She has been an HR executive for most of her career, currently serving as Vice President of Human Resources for Logic PD and Compass Electronics Solutions. A North Dakota native, Lorri and her husband own and operate a dairy farm near Princeton, MN, have two grown children and two beautiful granddaughters. An avid reader, Lorri keeps up with two book clubs by taking advantage of Audible.com during her long



commute. She also loves gardening, canoeing, feeding the birds, traveling, and exercising her hands and creativity at almost any form of craft.

Maureen Monchamp will continue as **Grants Co-Chair**. She joined GIVING WoMN in 2015 and has been on the Grants committee the last 3 years. Maureen received her bachelor's degree from the University of Minnesota. She has worked for Northwest Airlines/Delta Airlines for 33 years as a flight attendant. She lives in St. Louis Park with her husband and 2 children.

Jana Aune Deach will be taking a role of **Grants Co-Chair**. This is Jana's fourth year with GIVING WoMN and also her fourth year on the Grants Committee. Jana grew up on the family farm outside of Underwood, MN. Jana earned her B.A. from the University of North Dakota and her Juris Doctor from the University of North Dakota School of Law. Jana has practiced law for 20 years and is a Shareholder with the firm of Moss & Barnett in Minneapolis, where she chairs the M&B Cares Committee. Jana lives in Eagan with her husband and two dogs, Rufus and Oskar. She has two children and one grandson, who she will readily admit is the apple of her eye. Jana serves on her church's council and volunteers with various organizations in her free time. Jana is active in her book club and travels whenever she can.

Kaari Miller is continuing as the **Co-Chair of the Engage and Educate Committee** focused on events. She is excited to continue helping lead E&E's efforts for excellent, informative events. Kaari grew up in Ellsworth, WI and graduated from UW Eau Claire in 1992. She has worked in the employee benefits arena, specializing in the administration of nonqualified deferred compensation plans since 1996. Currently she is the Vice President of Client Solutions - Domestic Plans for NFP Executive Benefits of Atlanta, GA. Kaari has lived in Red Wing, MN, St. Louis Park, MN and Lawrenceville, GA before returning to Minnesota in 2005. She now lives in Plymouth with her husband Craig, her two boys (Nolan (15) and Dane (11)) and their beagle Ahsoka. She is active in two book clubs, cheering on her boys in various sports and spending time with family and friends at the family cabin in Alexandria, MN.

Jody O'Neil is continuing as the **Co-Chair of the Engage and Educate Committee** focused on new membership and small group gatherings. She has been a member of GIVING WoMN since 2017. Jody received her Bachelor's in Organizational Management from Concordia University, St. Paul and her MBA from the University of Minnesota, Carlson School of Management. Jody has been in the Human Resources field for 25+ years and currently leads the Human Resources function for Cretex Companies, a locally owned family of manufacturing businesses primarily in the medical device manufacturing space. Jody lives in Chaska on Lake Bavaria with her husband Tom. In her free time, she enjoys bonfires by the lake, paddle boarding, kayaking and exercising. Jody has two children, Cassy and Mathew, a granddaughter and two grandsons!

Tiffany Anderson joined GIVING WoMN in 2016 and is continuing in the **Co-Chair of Communications** role. She attended the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis where she received her B.A in Theater. However, her career took her into the financial services industry where she currently spends her time



innovating new products that support consultative services for global freight payment customers. Tiffany also has an MBA from Augsburg College and has completed three marathons.

Roseanne Cheng is continuing as **Co-Chair of Communications**. Roseanne has been a member of GIVING WoMN for three years. She is a writer, small business owner, wife, and mother of two elementary school children. As communications co-chair, she focuses on social media content and spreading the word in our local communities about all the great work GIVING WoMN does.