ReConnection Overview

Goals adopted October 26, 2002

I. Implement a plan to set goals for AAUW NC that are publicized to the branches and affect "programming" in a broad sense.

The organization will have a focus on a specific, common

outcome.

II. Make changes to the standard practices of the AAUW NC board to make it a more efficient and effective organization, one that people will want to join.

Members of the board will be accountable for their own responsibilities and will support each other in predictable ways.

- III. Improve the content at state meetings (convention and summer conference) to be more attractive to more branch members

 The organization will come together at least once a year to celebrate change, learn about issues, and plan for the future.
- IV. Provide more face-to-face contact between AAUW NC board members and branch members.

The board will not act in isolation – communication with branch members will be a priority.

- V. Implement a process to identify expertise among the branch members and disseminate that to AAUW NC board members.

 The board will not depend entirely on its own expertise, but will tap knowledge and skills in the branches.
- VI. Reevaluate the structure of AAUW NC to support changes that improve the capacity to address the mission.

Where necessary to implement the above changes, AAUW NC will change its structure to ensure that the "board" that is charged with developing and carrying out the AAUW NC programs is a group that is appropriate for the task.