

**North Carolina** 

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## Notes since Spring 2004

- 1. The 04-05 state/branch officer directory has had pretty good compliance with 19 of the 22 branches reporting changes to their boards. There seemed to be a technical problem with Gaston Regional, and I haven't heard anything from Franklin County or Bryson City. Counterparts lists are being distributed to the board members at this meeting giving the new contacts, and updates will be at http://members.aaunc.org.
- 2. We did use the online form for AAUW NC at-large membership to handle the dues for a Raleigh/Wake County member who was converting from MOB to MAL status. I haven't had information from Millie that the dues have been posted to the AAUW NC account and exactly what fee was charged by PayPal.
- 3. I served as a judge in the AAUW TX web site evaluation leading up to their convention. Their criteria was an interesting checklist for any branches who may be considering web sites.
- 4. I've been consulting with the Younger Members Caucus on their electronic communication needs. Their Yahoo! List is up and running. The Women of Color caucus collected \$150 to support its own web site, but current information is that since they don't have a long range plan, that money is being returned. This may be a discussion at the 2005 convention.
- 5. My work with NC Women United led to a test of the web conferencing software that we'll be using at that meeting. On July 1, I started a two-year term as their secretary.
- 6. I've got the best of intentions to get with Marty and use the "Communications" counterparts list (see #1) to provide better support for the branches.
- 7. Reminder: The web brochure is available at the web site, and I'd be glad to visit branches to do a "web tour" as a program.