HEALDSBURG AAUW BRANCH MEETING

November 21, 2016 Healdsburg Junior High School 315 Grant Street

PRESENT: Ronnie Devitt, Violet Nelson, Linda Clark, Michele St. Clair, Sue Campbell, Andi Michelsen, Nancy Haiston, Janet Hoehn

The AAUW Branch meeting was called to order at 4:13 pm.

The minutes of the October 17, 2016 meeting were approved; Michele moved and Janet seconded.

Treasurer's Branch Report and Budget Report (see written report):

Approval of Amended Branch Policies & Guidelines (amended 11/21/16):

The Board approved the amended Branch Policies and Guidelines with one deletion — #27 referencing that the website will not be used as a trading post.

Title IX:

Sue Campbell suggested that the current Title IX efforts be integrated into the Public Policy Committee. Current Committee members, Sue and Janice Sceales, will join the Public Policy Committee.

Communications Report:

Linda and Joanne Johnston reviewed and updated AAUW Healdsburg website.

Public Policy Report:

Michele provided copies of the AAUW-CA's current Public Policy Priorities and asked for comments and suggested changes, additions, and deletions in order to establish priorities for 2017-2019. The Board decided that there were no revisions to be made. Also we were reminded that elected officials could join our Branch and national fees would be waived.

Membership Report (see written report):

Community Services Report: (see written report):

Speakers Series: (see written report):

Violet indicated that the Committee will be distributing a member survey during the second week of January soliciting feedback regarding the Speakers Series meetings, including whether or not they should be continued.

Assuming the meetings continue, Ronnie suggested that a sign-up sheet be distributed at the Speakers Series meetings for attendees to sign, indicating whether or not they are a member. This information could be used to identify potential Board members and/or volunteers in the future by determining who is active in the organization.

Social Activities (see written report):

The meeting was adjourned at 5:37 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Violet Nelson, Secretary November 21, 2016