State Scholarship Application for AAUW National Convention June 14-17, Washington, D.C. DUE: March 24, 2017 Email to: Theresa Leiphon at tleiphon@yahoo.com

AAUW ND has set aside \$700 to be pooled with the ND Foundation grant monies (expected to be \$1200 by June 1) to provide funding toward branch members who wish to attend the AAUW National Convention in Washington, D.C., June 14-17, 2017. Preference will be given to first time attendees and emerging leaders. Monies will be used to offset the cost of transportation (app. \$450 airfare), lodging (\$300 per night) and registration fees \$575 if sent before March 31, 2017. Food is not included. Room sharing will be expected. Funds are reimbursed to those attending after showing receipts. This scholarship is open only to members who are in good standing in both the state and branch organization.

Application Form:

Name: Member of: (Branch Name) Is this your first time attending a AAUW National Convention? Yes or No If No – How many National Conventions have you attended? Years of Membership: Are you currently a state or branch officer? Are you a past State or Branch Officer? If so what position(s)?

Write a brief summary (500 words or less) of why you want to attend the National Convention and how you will share the information and training you receive with branch or state members? (- i.e. written report, article for the Branch Newsletter, in-person presentation at a 2017-2019 meeting on a topic from the Convention, etc.)

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Note: Information on the types of leadership training workshops that will be available at the Convention can be found at: http://convention.aauw.org/agenda/workshops/

Please look at the AAUW 2017 National Convention page for registration and cancellation information: http://convention.aauw.org/register/

The Branch Member partial scholarships are to reward and to invest in the future of AAUW of North Dakota. The AAUW National Convention provides an unparalleled opportunity to network, connect, re-commit to AAUW's Mission and to empower one's self as well as others. With that in mind, we are pleased to support a member's attendance at the AAUW National Convention.