



## Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc.

### Memorandum of Understanding between the Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc./ Southwest Florida Women Giving Together and Donors Participating in the Giving Circle

Southwest Florida Women Giving Together ("SWFL WGT" or "Giving Circle") is a fund of the Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation"), a public charity which promotes equity, education and development of opportunities for women and girls that enable them to realize their full potential by:

- Awarding academic scholarships to deserving local women;
- Supporting the AAUW Greater Naples Branch STEAM Girls Count Conference for fifth-grade girls enrolled in Collier County Public Schools, teaching them and their parents about opportunities in science, technology engineering, arts and mathematics;
- Supporting the AAUW Greater Naples Branch Reading is Fun program, giving new books to at-risk children in local public elementary schools; and
- Supporting the AAUW StartSmart and AAUW WorkSmart programs, teaching woman salary negotiation skills to help close the persistent gender wage gap.

#### Terms

This agreement comes into effect when it is signed by both parties and will renew automatically each year unless terminated by either party at any time.

Participants in the SWFL WGT are not required to remain in the group year after year, though the fund would be most successful supporting multi-year programming commitments through donors' continuous participation. A donor may drop out of SWFL WGT at any time and rejoin at a later date; however, dues are not refunded if participation is discontinued.

#### The Donor

The Donor will contribute non-refundable annual dues of \$250 to Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc./SWFL WGT. By doing so, the donor will join other Giving Circle members to support the community service programs described above. Dues shall be paid by check made payable to Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc., marked "Giving Circle" or "SWFL WGT," and mailed to the address above.

The Donor will review the documents and information regarding the Foundation available at <https://greaternaples-fl.aauw.net/greater-naples-aauw-charitable-foundation/>, including:

- The Foundation's Bylaws;
- The Foundation's Five-year Strategic Plan;
- The Foundation's Policies, Procedures and Code of Ethics;
- The Foundation's Scholarship policies and procedures; and
- Answers to frequently asked questions.

If you are unable to view the documents online, you may request copies to inspect by writing to the Foundation at the address above, attention: "Giving Circle." By signing, you affirm that you have read the Foundation documents listed above.

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- 80% of the revenue collected as dues from Giving Circle participants will be used to support the community service programs described above.
- 20% of the revenue collected as dues will be used for events and administrative expenses.

This agreement, effective on the date last signed below, is by and between the Donor and the Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc./Southwest Florida Women Giving Together Giving Circle.

Signed on behalf of the Greater Naples AAUW Charitable Foundation, Inc./SWFL WGT:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name and title)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Donor:

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Printed name)

\_\_\_\_\_ (email address) \_\_\_\_\_ (phone)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Your dues donation is an investment in the future of women and girls in our community. Thank you!**

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