AAUW Secretary Report for Monday, October 23,2017

Marjie Johnson introduced the speaker, Mindy McCloughan. Mindy has been the President of the Loveland Chamber of Commerce since 2012. Mindy discussed the Chamber’s current vision and goals for our community. She also shared her personal story including highlights, hurdles and challenges that she and other women may experience as they seek leadership roles.

Thanks to Karen Danbom and Marji Johnson for refreshments.

Martha was asked to tell us about the circumstances concerning Averill Hauben. She also announced the speaker next month is from the Colorado Education Network and will be speaking about school financing.

Karen gave credit to our past president, Kristen Worner for her leadership in our Loveland Chapter. She has moved to Austin, TX, to begin a new job.

The treasurer’s report was given. It led to a discussion about our newly purchased banner. Kathleen suggested it could be used by realtors and Ellen proposed using it at the Loveland Connection. Karen reported we have two new members. It was suggested inviting former Scholarship winners to visit AAUW meetings and the May Luncheon. Another group of women who might be interested in visiting are those in their forties and fifties. Each of us were asked to bring one guest to our next meeting. Only a few more hostesses are needed for our monthly meetings. A greeter is needed for the May Luncheon.

 Ellen Thomerson, Chair of the Conversations with Authors Committee, gave a report of the CWA event. There were forty-one attendees and an income of $539. She thanked all who were involved in planning and carrying out the plans. Judy thanked the basket committee for their excellent job in finding so many sponsors.

Kathleen Wilson told us she had found six pages on our AAUW web site about possible fundraisers and encouraged us to check them out.

### Public Policy day is in Golden, CO, on February 3, 2018. The cost is $45. The program is about human trafficking. We are encouraged to invite college woman to attend with us.

### Judy Pitcher, Secretary, Pro Tem