

AAUW-NE 2016 Legislative Priorities
 Adopted by Board of Directors 1-23-16

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
GG (Good Government)	LB111	Larson	Chambers MO32 to bracket bill until June 5, 2015 prevailed on February 18, 2015; Indefinitely Postponed (IPP), April 20, 2016	Require identification to vote	Oppose
GG	LB121	Schumacher	Referred to Government, Military and Veterans Affairs (GMVA) Committee; Hearing scheduled for January 23, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Require identification to vote and secret-ballot envelopes	Oppose voter ID section; Monitor the rest
GG	LB580	Murante	Referred to Executive Board; Mello name added January 21, 2015; Hearing held on February 27, 2015; Passed on Final Reading, 29-15-5 April 13, 2016; Returned by Governor without approval on April 18, 2016	Adopt the Redistricting Act	Support
GG	LB682	Craighead	Referred to Government, Military and Veterans Affairs (GMVA) Committee; Hearing held January 20, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB682 amended into LB874 by AM2385, April 20, 2016	Change deadlines for ballots for early voting and special elections by mail	Oppose
GG	LB768	Garrett	Referred to Transportation and Telecommunications Committee; Hearing scheduled for February 22, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Provide for Choose Life License Plates	Oppose
GG	LB787	Morfeld	Referred to GMVA Committee; Hearing scheduled for January 28, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB787 amended into LB874 by AM2385, April 20, 2016	Allow a voter to photograph and reveal a marked ballot	Support
GG	LB792	Kuehn	Referred to GMVA Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Prohibit certain former officeholders and public employees from being lobbyists	Support

AAUW-NE 2016 Legislative Priorities
 Adopted by Board of Directors 1-23-16

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
GG	LB912	Smith	Referred to GMVA Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Change requirements for presentation of identification for purposes of voting	Monitor
GG	LR35	Ebke	Referred to GMVA Committee; Hearing held on January 25, 2015; Cosponsors: Friesen, Schnoor, Lindstrom, Groene, Watermeier; Placed on General File (GF) with AM2281, March 7, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Resolution to petition Congress to call a convention of the States to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United States	Oppose
GG	LR389CA	Harr	Referred to Judiciary Committee; Hearing scheduled for January 27, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Constitutional amendment to remove provisions regarding marriage from the Constitution of Nebraska	Support
HC/HI (Health Care/Health Insurance)	LB1032	McCollister	Referred to HHS Committee; Cosponsors: Baker, Bolz, Campbell, Chambers, Cook, Crawford, Haar, Hansen, Howard, Kolowski, Mello, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks, Schumacher, Sullivan; Gloor named added January 22, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Transitional Health Insurance Program Act and provide duties for the Department of Health and Human Services	Support
HC/HI	LB114	McCoy	Krist name added, February 6, 2015; Krist name withdrawn, February 17, 2015; Referred to Judiciary Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 18, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Redefine ambulatory surgical center and health clinic under the Health Care Facility Licensure Act	Oppose

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
HC/HI	LB187	Kintner	Referred to Judiciary Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 18, 2015; 26 Cosponsors: Bloomfield, Brasch, Craighead, Davis, Ebke, Friesen, Garrett, Gloor, Groene, Hilkemann, Hughes, Johnson, Krist, Kuehn, Larson, Lindstrom, McCoy, Murante, Riepe, Scheer, Schilz, Schnoor, Smith, Stinner, Watermeier, Williams; IPP April 20, 2016	Require the Department of Health and Human Services and health care facilities to provide information regarding abortion	Oppose
HC/HI	LB333	Gloor	Referred to Health and Human Services (HHS) Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 11, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Health Care Services Transformation Act	Support
HC/HI	LB472	Campbell	Cook name added, March 3, 2015; Referred to HHS Committee; Hearing held on February 25, 2015; HHS Committee priority bill, March 11, 2015; Placed on General file w/AM676, March 11, 2015; Chambers MO87 Bracket until June 5, 2015 prevailed, April 8, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Medicaid Redesign Act	Support
HC/HI	LB499	Krist	Referred to HHS Committee, Hearing Scheduled for March 4, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Provide duties for the Department of Health and Human Services relating to behavioral and mental health services	Support
HC/HI	LB767	Garrett	Referred to Judiciary Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Prohibit dismemberment abortion as prescribed and provide for civil and criminal penalties	Oppose

AAUW-NE 2016 Legislative Priorities
 Adopted by Board of Directors 1-23-16

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
HC/HI	LB77	Nordquist	Gloor name added, February 9, 2015; Placed on General File w/AM109, February 10, 2015; Failed to advance to Enrollment and Review Initial, February 26, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Require a Medicaid state plan amendment for family planning services and state intent relating to appropriations for the Every Woman Matters program	Support
HC/HI	LB782	Schumacher	Referred to Health and Human Services (HHS) Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Provide for a Medicaid state plan amendment relating to coverage for family planning services	Support
HC/HI	LB849	Crawford	Referred to HHS Committee; Hearing scheduled for January 22, 2016; Cosponsors: Campbell, Cook, Haar, Hansen, Hilkemann, Howard, Kolowski, McCollister, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks; IPP April 20, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB849 amended into LB698 by AM1994, April 20, 2016	Adopt the Assisting Caregiver Transitions Act	Support
HC/HI	LB850	Crawford	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Mello name added January 8, 2016; Cosponsors: Campbell, Cook, Haar, Hansen, Howard, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks; IPP March 9, 2016	Adopt the Paid Family Medical Leave Insurance Act	Support
HC/HI	LB990	Davis	Referred to Judiciary Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Fetal Dignity Protection Act	Oppose
PE (Public Education)	LB1027	Morfeld	Referred to Judiciary Committee; Pansing Brooks name added January 20, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Create and provide funding for the Campus Sexual Assault Prevention Grant Program and provide duties for the Attorney General	Support
PE	LB1067	Sullivan	Referred to Education Committee; Passed on Final Reading 40-7-2 April 13, 2016; Approved by Governor April 19, 2016	Change provisions relating to learning communities	Monitor

AAUW-NE 2016 Legislative Priorities
 Adopted by Board of Directors 1-23-16

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
PE	LB26	Krist	Referred to Revenue Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 4, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Choice for the Advancement of Nebraska Children in Education Act and provide for tax credits	Oppose
PE	LB438	Morfeld	Referred to Revenue Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 6, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Change distribution of sales and use tax revenue and create and provide for a fund	Support
PE	LB565	Kuehn	Referred to Appropriations Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 2, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	State intent relating to appropriations for education and training in high-need fields	Support
PE	LB617	Larson	Referred to Education Committee; Hearing scheduled for February 24, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Working to Improve Schools Act	Oppose
PE	LB685	Bolz	Referred to Revenue Committee; Hearing scheduled for January 27, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Student Loan Repayment Tax Credit Act	Support
PE	LB691	Morfeld	Referred to Education Committee; Kolterman name added January 12, 2016; Hearing scheduled January 25, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Teacher Education and Health Care Professions Student Grant Program Act	Support
PE	LB773	Stinner	Referred to Education Committee; Campbell name added January 15, 2016; Hearing held January 19, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Create the Early Childhood Workforce Development Task Force	Support
PE	LB868	Krist	Referred to Education Committee; Kintner name added on January 12, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Require successful completion of a civics examination as a prerequisite to high school graduation	Oppose
PE	LB903	Baker	Referred to Educaiton Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Change and eliminate provisions relating to learning communities	Monitor
PE	LB939	Mello	Referred to HHS Committee; IPP April 20, 2016	Adopt the Nebraska Early Childhood Advantage Act	Support

AAUW-NE 2016 Legislative Priorities
 Adopted by Board of Directors 1-23-16

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
PE	LB958	Gloor	Introduced by Gloor at request of Governor; Referred to Revenue Committee; Passed on Final Reading 47-1-1 April 13, 2016; Approved by Governor April 19, 2016	Change provisions relating to budgets, the valuation of agricultural land, and levy limitations	Oppose
PE	LB959	Sullivan	Introduced by Sullivan at request of Governor; Referred to Education Committee; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 47-0-2 April 12, 2016; Approved by Governor April 18, 2016	Change and eliminate provisions relating to school funding, budgets, and levy authority	Oppose
SEJ (Social Economic Justice)	LB1044	Ebke	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Cosponsor: Groene; IPP March 9, 2016	Terminate the Commission of Industrial Relations	Oppose
SEJ	LB1089	Hansen	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Cosponsors: Bolz, Cook, Crawford, Haar, Harr, Howard, Kolowski, Mello, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks; IPP March 9, 2016	Change the minimum wage for persons compensated by way of gratuities	Support
SEJ	LB1095	Kintner	Referred to Judiciary Committee; Cosponsor: Scheer; IPP April 20, 2016	Require employer identification numbers and the use of the federal immigration verification system	Monitor
SEJ	LB288	Ebke	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Garrett name added, February 3, 2015; Hearing scheduled for March 9, 2015; IPP March 9, 2016	Prohibit public employees from making certain deductions from wages	Oppose
SEJ	LB411	Cook	Referred to HHS Committee; Hearing scheduled for March 11, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Change provisions relating to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	Support

AAUW-NE 2016 Legislative Priorities
 Adopted by Board of Directors 1-23-16

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
SEJ	LB493	Nordquist	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Hearing scheduled for February 9, 2015; IPP March 9, 2016	Adopt the Healthy and Safe Families and Workplaces Act	Support
SEJ	LB494	Nordquist	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Hearing scheduled for February 2, 2015; Hansen priority bill, March 12, 2015; Placed on General File w/AM647, March 17, 2015; Failed to advance to Enrollment and Review Initial, April 14, 2015; IPP April 20, 2016	Change minimum wage for persons compensated by way of gratuities	Support
SEJ	LB746	Campbell	Referred to HHS Committee; Hearing held January 21, 2016; Campbell priority bill, January 12, 2016; Cosponsors: Bolz, Coash, Howard, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks; Passed on Final Reading with Emergency Clause 48-0-1 April 12, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB1034 amended into LB746 by AM2381 April 20, 2016; Approved by Governor April 18, 2016	Adopt the Nebraska Strengthening Families Act, change provisions for guardians ad litem and services for children, and create the Normalcy Task Force	Support
SEJ	LB749	Lindstrom	Referred to Revenue Committee; Hearing held January 20, 2016; Howard name added January 21, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Change an income tax exemption relating to social security benefits	Support

Category	Document	Primary Introducer	Status	Description	AAUW-NE Position
SEJ	LB83	Cook	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Pansing Brooks name added, January 23, 2015; Hearing scheduled for January 26, 2015; Cook priority bill, February 17, 2016; Passed on Final Reading 32-11-6 March 24, 2016; Approved by Governor March 30, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB928 amended into LB83 by AM2191 April 20, 2016	Provide provisions for employees relating to wage disclosure	Support
SEJ	LB843	Pansing Brooks	Referred to Judiciary Committee; Scheer name added January 8, 2016; Passed on Final Reading 42-0-7 April 7, 2016; Approved by Governor April 13, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB1097 amended into LB843 by AM2335 April 20, 2016	Change provisions relating to prostitution	Support
SEJ	LB928	Mello	Referred to Business and Labor Committee; Hearing scheduled for February 1, 2016; IPP March 9, 2016; Provisions/Portions of LB928 amended into LB83 by AM2191, April 20, 2016	Change provisions relating to discriminatory wage practices based on sex	Support
SEJ	LB1036	Campbell	Referred to Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee; Hearing scheduled for February 9, 2016; IPP April 20, 2016	Change provisions of the Credit Services Organization Act, the Delayed Deposit Services Licensing Act, and the Nebraska Installment Loan Act	Support