

# 2025 Lobby Days

# Information for Team Sacramento - April 8, 2025

Hello Wonderful AAUW California Advocates! We are so excited that you are planning to come to the Capitol. Meeting in person with legislators and/or their staff is the most effective way to advocate on behalf of AAUW California.

Below is some information that will be helpful for your time in Sacramento. We will continue updating this page, so please check back!

#### Home Base Location:

- MVM Strategy Group, 1121 L Street, 7th floor, Sacramento CA 95814
  - Kathy Van Osten, our Legislative Advocate, has graciously offered the use of the conference room in her office suite from 9am to 4pm
- This home base is where we will congregate for the Launch Meeting, for lunch, and to hang out between meetings.
- The security guard on the ground floor will give you access to the elevator. Go up to the 7th floor, go to the left through the double doors and straight back. You will see the large conference room.

#### Launch Meeting:

- We will start the day at **9:00am** with a launch meeting at which we will be addressed by a member of the legislature.
  - Coffee and pastries will be served.

#### Lunch:

- We will meet between 11:30am and 1:30pm for lunch and community.
  - Please join as your meeting schedule allows
  - We will take group photos during our time together

#### Food expenses:

- We are requesting \$26 per person to cover the cost of lunch, or \$32 per person to cover the cost of lunch and coffee/pastries.
  - Please complete this <u>FORM</u> no later than March 29, 2025 to tell us your plans, and whether you will have lunch only or lunch and coffee/pastries.
  - Please send a check no later than March 29, 2025 made out to "AAUW California"
    - Write "Lobby Day food" on the memo line

# Send your check to: AAUW California Attn: Lobby Days PO Box 160067 Sacramento, CA 95816-0067

 $\circ$   $\,$  The last day to cancel a food request is April 4, 2025  $\,$ 

### Attire:

• Business or business casual. If you have an AAUW T-shirt, please wear it. You can dress it up with a blazer if you like.

# Legislative Office Meetings Location:

- Capitol Annex "Swing Space" located at 1021 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
- You will go through security, and then to the back of the lobby on the right hand side to the elevators.

# Parking/Transportation:

- Parking is not good near the Capitol Annex "Swing Space"
- There is a big public parking garage catty-corner from the "Swing Space" at 10th and O St. The garage is cash only and often fills before 9:00 am
- There is paid parking at 10th and L street (access on 10th street) which is around the corner from our home base location
- There is paid parking at the Hyatt at 12th and L street which is across the street from our home base location
- It is 4 blocks from the home base location to the swing space. If you want to avoid walking, you may use Uber. Request pickup on 12th street.

#### Hotels:

- If you plan to spend a night in Sacramento, here are a few hotel options (Note AAUW California is not able to cover any expenses.)
  - Quality Inn: 818 15th Street <u>Hotel in Sacramento, CA | Quality Inn® Official Site |</u> <u>Quality Inn Sacramento Convention Center</u>
  - Delta King Hotel: 1000 Front Street <u>Delta King Hotel in Sacramento, California -</u> <u>ReservationCounter.com</u>
  - Home2 Suites by Hilton: <u>Home2 Suites by Hilton West Sacramento Google</u> <u>hotels</u>
  - The Hyatt House: 2719 K Street Extended Stay Hotel Near Sacramento CA Old Town | Hyatt House Sacramento / Midtown
  - HI Sacramento Hostel: 925 H Street <u>HI Sacramento, Sacramento Online Hostel</u> <u>Bookings, Ratings and Reviews</u>

#### In case you have any issues during the event, text or call:

• Amy Hom 650-823-9661 or Kathy Van Osten 916-605-9293