

## CAROL GRIFFITH CANDIDATE-PUBLIC POLICY VP

Carol A. Griffith, of the Buffalo Branch, is the current NY state president of AAUW. Her term ends on June 30, 2024. She has served in multiple branch, state, and national positions, including NYS Development VP. While State President, she has also served on the National Advancement Committee, has participated in face-to-face meetings, and Zoom meetings with all twenty-three NYS branches, and attended State President meetings.

Carol has been employed by the Department of Veterans Affairs for the past 42 years and volunteered for the dedication of the WWII Memorial. She was co-chair of the 27<sup>th</sup> National Veterans Golden Age Games and volunteered for the 2017 National Veterans Art Festival. She has traveled with WNY female Veterans going to the Women in Military Service Memorial in Washington, D.C. and joined Navy Veterans on their Navy cruise. She was Federal Women's Program Manager at the Buffalo VA Medical Center for 18 years and Network Federal Women's Program Manager for a two-year term. She has been honored with the "Excellence in Federal Government Service Award" and "The Legion of Honor Humanitarian Award".

She has been active with the National Women's Hall of Fame and has been a board member of the Friends of the Women's Rights National Historical Park in Seneca Falls since 2001.

Carol enjoys European traveling and river cruising. In 2023 she completed one of her bucket list of dreams to see the site of the Normandy invasion.