

HONOREE'S NAME **Patricia A. Kelemen**
BRANCH NAME **Ferguson-Florissant**
BRANCH PRESIDENT'S NAME **Pam Meyer**

Write one sentence about how your honoree fulfills each purpose. The information will be used to prepare the IBC Barbara Lackritz AAUW Award program insert. Turn this sheet into the IBC Chair at the November IBC Meeting.

The purpose of the IBC Barbara Lackritz AAUW Award is to recognize the branch member who:

1. Upholds the mission to advance gender equity for women and girls through research, education, and advocacy.

Patricia spent thirty years as a junior high and high school English teacher at the Ferguson-Florissant and Hazelwood School Districts where she advocated for gender equity for her students.

2. Provides service to AAUW at any of the local, state, regional or national level(s).

Patricia was the branch newsletter editor for 11 years. She also worked with Fifth graders in several schools as a Robotics supervisor.

3. Provides leadership to AAUW at any of the local, state, regional or national level(s).

Patricia was Branch President for four years with Shirley Breeze. The dynamic duo lead the IBC during that time, too, even though it was not technically their turn.

4. Provides service and leadership in non-AAUW areas.

Patricia had an extensive thirty year career as a the public school teacher. Pat says that all her energy went into teaching responsibilities and her commitment to AAUW.