

GENERAL FEDERATION
of WOMEN'S CLUBS



GFWC Treasurer's Report

GFWC 118th Annual International Convention | Cleveland, Ohio | Sunday, June 14, 2009

This officer attended the GFWC Retreat; four Executive Committee Meetings; all Board of Directors Meetings; the Long Range Planning Committee Meetings; The Holiday Reception at Headquarters and the Women's History and Resource Center Reception at Headquarters. She prepared an officer's report for all meetings and presented financial statements, when required. She served as Chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee and presented the Proposed Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Budget on behalf of the committee to the GFWC Board of Directors for approval in June.

This officer had the distinct pleasure and privilege to attend the GFWC Louisiana, Inc., State Convention in Lafayette in April; the GFWC-New York State Federation of Women's Clubs Convention in Albany in April; the GFWC-Washington State Convention in Spokane in April; and the GFWC of Arkansas Convention in Fort Smith in May. She appreciates the warm hospitality extended to her by the members of these states. These State Conventions afforded her an opportunity to meet many of the members, experience their enthusiasm for GFWC and celebrate their year's accomplishments with them. These wonderful State Conventions will always remain dear to her heart.

This officer thanks all of the States that have shared their newsletters and magazines with her. She has read every one, and is in awe of the new ideas and community projects reported within them. They have increased her pride in the membership of GFWC and their caring, diverse projects for those in need.

This officer met at GFWC Headquarters with the GFWC Director of Finance, and periodically conferred with her by telephone and email to familiarize this officer with investments, financial statements, and other pertinent financial information.

This officer has thoroughly enjoyed this past year as GFWC Treasurer-- it has been an amazing experience. She thanks International President Rose Ditto for her caring leadership, her fellow Officers on the Executive Committee for their friendship and guidance, and you the members for affording her the opportunity to serve as your Treasurer.

MARY ELLEN BROCK
GFWC Treasurer