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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN OF MICHIGAN BOARD

SUPPORTS THREE PETITION PROPOSALS, OPPOSES ONE.

The AAUW of Michigan Board at its meeting Saturday, February 19 voted unanimously to support petition drives to raise the minimum wage, strengthen voting rights, and guarantee reproductive rights in Michigan. It also voted to discourage voters from signing the petition to require a forensic audit of the 2020 election.

Supported were the petitions sponsored by Raise Michigan, Promote the Vote 2022, and Reproductive Freedom for All. Opposed was the petition sponsored by Audit Michigan.

Support means that AAUW members and voters are encouraged to sign the petition, volunteer their time to help the organizations promoting the proposals gather voter signatures, and/or donate to the campaigns.

Last fall, the AAUW of Michigan Board opposed four petition proposals: Unlock Michigan 2, Secure MI Vote, and both the Let MI Kids Learn proposals.

The AAUW is a non-partisan organization that does not support or oppose candidates or parties but does take positions on political issues, including petition drives on public policy issues related to its national Public Policy Priorities statement at www.aauw.org.

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