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Mary Jane Kearns is a retired Librarian with degrees from the University of Windsor (BA, Geography) and Western University (MLIS) (Ontario, Canada) and a Graduate Diploma in Library Science from The Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology. She has held various positions in libraries of different types, and as an HR recruiter and office manager.

Having been a member of CFUW (Canadian Federation of University Women), she immediately looked for a Branch of AAUW to join when she and her husband moved to the US several years ago. She was happy to find one in Northville/Novi where she lives and has been an active member ever since. During those years she has been president (3x), Secretary, International Chair, and has chaired various other committees, fundraising events, and Interest groups. She has twice been her Branch's 'Named Honoree.'

Mary Jane is passionate about the work of AAUW promoting equality for girls and women. Other concerns include climate change and international affairs. For fun she gardens, needlepoints, reads, plays Mah Jongg and enjoys movies.

She is very much looking forward to serving on the Michigan State Board with so many talented and accomplished women