



#### About Our Express Network

For more information about WGTEN, Contact our President Carole Arnold or our VP Membership, Sandra DeLaGarza at <u>abwa.wgten@gmail.com</u> or visit our Website at <u>womengrowingtogether.abwa.org</u>

Be sure to go to our Facebook page and "Like" us at ABWA - Women Growing Together Express Network

# **Our Vision Statement**

To shape, support and encourage women of diverse occupations and backgrounds to gain personal and career developmental skills, education and leadership opportunities through mentorship and national resources. WGTEN promotes and supports businesswomen and our community in a fun environment while building relationships with one another.



## ABWA's Mission Statement

The mission of the American Business Women's Association is to bring together business women of diverse occupations and to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow personally and professionally through leadership, education, networking support and national recognition.

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Reimagine Your Future in the American Business Women's Association

Women Growing

**Together Express** 

Network

ractice

## Why Join ABWA? Here's What Our Members Say...

"ABWA has provided me with the tools necessary to grow personally and professionally. My selfconfidence has grown exponentially. I have not only served on the Executive Board since I joined in 2016, but I have also served in the position of President three times."

> -Carole Arnold, President ABWA member since 2016

"I joined ABWA to network with other business women to foster relationships with other business minded professionals and to sharpen my business skills. What I recieved was that and a sisterhood, and circle of friends to cheer you on and support your ides and growth every step of the way."

> -Gail Rice, President Elect ABWA member since 2020

## Local and National Membership Benefits

- Developing professionally through informative programming at monthly meetings.
- Gaining leadership skills while working on committees, managing projects, and speaking at league functions.
- Serving in leadership positions within a local league and/or the national Association.
- Increasing community visibility through the networking opportunities presented at monthly meetings of the local league.
- Networking with local professional, expanding both your personal and professional networks.

# **Executive Board**

	President	Carole Arnold
	Vice President Elect	Gail Rice
	Vice President of Administration	Cindy Vecera
	Vice President of Advancement	Denise Hartman
	Vice President of Communications	Debbie Perales
	Vice President of Finance	Tracy Morgan
	Vice President of Marketing/PR	Sande Bilton
	Vice President of Membership Sar	ndra DeLaGarza
	Vice President of Programing	Amanda Wendel

Carola Arnold

#### ABWA, Women Growing Together Express Network, and You A Winning Combination ABWA Membership Fees

National Dues: Annual membership fee Is \$115 payable each year on the month of your membership anniversary.

Local Dues: The annual dues for Women Growing Together Express Network are \$30 annually. Express Network dues offset costs associated with securing great speakers, recognizing our members for their achievements, and other costs associated with Association management. Local dues are payable each year on the month of your membership anniversary.

### Women Growing Together Express Network Meeting Schedule

- DATE: Monthly, 2nd Tuesday
- TIME: 6:00 p.m. Networking 6:30 p.m. — Dinner and Meeting 7:00 p.m. — Keynote Speaker
- PLACE: Sky Restaurant

236 Foster Field Dr., Victoria, TX 77904

Alternative(s):

The Club at Colony Creek 301 Colony Creek Dr. Victoria, TX 77904

#### Virtual via ZOOM

Member:	\$20.00
Non-Member:	\$25.00
Zoom:	\$10.00 (Invoiced)

Join ABWA to connect, learn, and grow! Membership opens many professional growth opportunities while keeping you connected to the largest network of working women in the country.

You'll benefit from leadership training, professional development, networking opportunities, and more.