

**Preliminary announcement from the Committee of Management of the Sylvia Gelman AM MBE
Bequest**

Grants available for the NCWA AGM and Conference. 21st/22nd November 2024

Dear Sisters

The Committee of Management for the Sylvia Gelman AM MBE Bequest is pleased to announce that it is able to offer two grants worth \$700 each to enable two members of NCWV to attend the NCWA AGM and Conference in Adelaide on 21st/22nd November 2024.

The Grant is intended for any member of NCWV, whether Delegate or Individual Member, wishing to learn more about the Council and its link to NCWA and onto ICW-CIF. It is an excellent opportunity for the successful applicant to take an interest in the running of NCWV by becoming a member of the Committee of Management or a Standing Committee Member.

Any member of NCWV, whether Delegate or Individual Member, may apply for a grant which is designed to cover the registration fee for the Conference and to assist with a return airfare and accommodation.

Applicants are requested to send, via email, a brief synopsis of their involvement in NCWV and why they wish to attend the NCWA AGM and Conference; how attendance will benefit their understanding of NCWV, also of NCWA; how they envisage it will assist them in becoming an active, participating NCWV member.

The successful applicants will be expected to submit a written report of their experience.

Applications, and/or queries, are to be sent to the Committee of Management, the Sylvia Gelman AM MBE Bequest c/o the Convener, Elisabeth Newman AM elisabeth_mn@hotmail.com with a copy to the Treasurer, Hean Bee Wee AM hbwee@bigpond.net.au

Applications close Friday 30th September 2024.

Kind regards

Elisabeth Newman AM, Convener, and Members of the Committee of Management Sylvia Gelman AM MBE Bequest: Haen Bee Wee AM, Gracia Baylor AM, Leonie Christopherson AM, Pam Hammond and Ex-officio Member NCWV President, Elida Brereton.