

Environmental and Land Use Law Section

The **ENVIRONMENTAL AND LAND USE LAW SECTION** helps members keep up with this rapidly developing area of law. The Section represents a diverse membership with individuals who are often on different sides of an issue, but who are all committed to civil and professional cooperation for the protection and enhancement of shared communities. Accordingly, the Section endeavors to continually and regularly provide opportunities and forums for the interchange of ideas surrounding environmental and land use law.

SECTION ACCOMPLISHMENTS 10/1/22 – 9/30/23

6 Articles

2 Mini-CLEs

1 CLE Co-Sponsored with WSBA

4 Receptions/Forums

3 New Lawyer Outreach Events/Benefits

280 Legislative Bills Tracked

\$9,000 in Scholarships Given

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR 10/1/22 – 9/30/23

- Hosted successful 2023 ELUL Midyear conference, held over 3 days at Icicle Village Resort in Leavenworth, WA.
- Held heavily attended law school mixer in April.
- Provided summer scholarships to subsidize the incomes of law students working in government or nonprofit summer jobs.
- Held a law school writing competition providing awards to two authors who wrote articles about land use or environmental law issues.

OUR MEMBERS:

TOTAL MEMBERSHIPS as of 12/31/23 **760**

Young Lawyers 15.26%

MEMBER LOCATIONS

King County 57.76%

Peninsula & Southern WA 6.05%

Central & Eastern WA 4.08%

Northern WA 4.47%

EMPLOYMENT

Public Sector/Government 18.42%

In-House 7.37%

Solo 11.32%

Small Firm (2 – 10) 22.50%

Medium Firm (11 – 50) 20.79%

Large Firm (51+) 20.13%

SECTION FINANCIAL REVIEW

10/1/22 – 9/30/23

Dues \$40.00

Total Revenue (actual) \$35,885.80

Total Expenses (actual) \$36,688.36

Total Fund Balance (actual) \$64,064.89

EXPENSES (ACTUAL)

■ Member Benefits \$14,275.57 38.91%

■ Per-Member Charge \$13,264.33 36.15%

■ CLE-Related \$112.00 0.31%

■ Executive Committee \$9,036.46 24.63%

