

PACIFIC NORTHWEST SECTION AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION

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PNWS-AWWA FUNDRAISING POLICY

PURPOSE OF FUNDRAISING POLICY:

PNWS receives significant financial support for Section activities from members. The Section Conference, Subsections and various Committees provide training opportunities for the membership and have used various fundraising mechanisms to defray costs. PNWS is governed by a Board of Trustees who have a fiduciary responsibility as a not for profit organization and to comply with the Association requirements for affiliated Sections. This policy provides direction and expectations for fundraising activities by the Section for the following purposes:

- 1. Implement consistently applied policies for fundraising
- 2. Ensure Board knowledge and approval of fundraising events being conducted
- 3. Ensure fundraising activities support the goals of PNWS-AWWA

FUND RAISING POLICY

Fundraising activities shall be in accordance with the following:

- 1. PNWS Board approval is required and can be based upon a specific request or as part of the work plan in the annual budget.
- 2. Fundraising related to the Section Conference shall be coordinated with the Local Arrangement Committee and the Manufacturers, Suppliers and Consultants Committee.
- 3. The activity itself must provide benefit to the members of the PNWS-AWWA.
- 4. The goals of the event must be consistent and in accordance with the intention of the Articles of Incorporation, Bylaws, and Rules of Procedure of the PNWS-AWWA.