

Business Law Section

OCTOBER 1, 2021 – SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

The **BUSINESS LAW SECTION** is committed to providing services that its members value, operating in a fiscally responsible manner, and enhancing professional collegiality among all Washington business legal practitioners. Much of the substantive activity and the informal interaction with other business law practitioners occurs through the Section's broad variety subcommittees.

SECTION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1 Mini-CLE

1 CLE with non-WSBA entity

3 Receptions/Forums

22 Legislative Bills tracked

\$3,000 Scholarships/Donations/Grants

TOTAL MEMBERSHIPS **1,277**
as of Dec. 31, 2022

Young Lawyers 18.40%

WA COUNTY

King County 58.57%

Peninsula & Southern WA 9.71%

Central & Eastern WA 12.45%

Northern WA 6.34%

FIRM TYPE

Public Sector/Government 2.90%

In-House 17.78%

Solo 17.46%

Small Firm (2 - 10) 25.14%

Medium Firm (11 - 50) 19.34%

Large Firm (51+) 19.73%

SECTION FINANCIAL REVIEW

Dues \$25.00

Total Revenue (actual) \$34,247.46

Total Expenses (actual) \$27,856.92

Total Fund Balance (actual) \$56,142.14

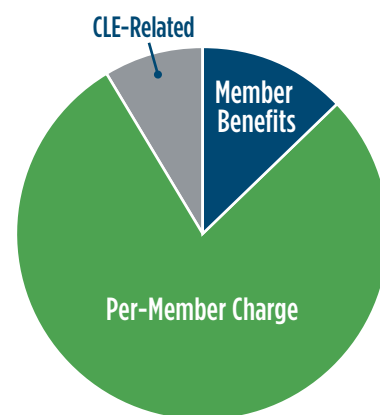
EXPENSES (ACTUAL)

Member Benefits \$3,594.35 12.90%

Per-Member Charge \$21,878.70 78.54%

CLE-Related \$2,383.87 8.56%

Executive Committee \$0.00 0.00%



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR

- Held the Securities Committee's annual program, the Northwest Securities Institute, in person and virtually.
- The Securities Committee held a dinner reception with Judge Robart in the fall.
- The Privacy and Data Security Committee held two events: a Career Paths in Privacy Law Panel in January, and a presentation on Top Privacy Issues for Washington Business Lawyers in September.
- Provided comments to the WSBA Board of Governors regarding the ETHOS Bar Structure Study.
- Continued tradition of strong legislative involvement with active review of numerous proposed bills—specifically supporting proposals by the Corporate Act Revisions Committee updating various provisions of the Washington Business Corporation Act.
- Donated \$3,000 to the nonprofit Communities Rise.