

# MEMBERSHIP

Membership provides access to industry information and raises the effectiveness of the Northwest hydropower industry to present issues from a strong, unified base to both regional and national policymakers.

By supporting issues that impact local hydropower development and operation, NWHA provides a unique service that complements participation in national associations. Through our publications, conferences, regional workshops, and other activities, we provide members with pertinent regional information to enhance our commitment to the hydropower industry.

Benefits include:

- Sharing of expertise on industry legislative, regulatory and technical issues
- Litigation updates and white papers on industry topics
- Directory of membership, services and industry contacts
- Opportunity for networking, education and training through annual conference and regional forums

## JOIN US

Visit [www.nwhydro.org](http://www.nwhydro.org) to apply for your annual membership to NWA.



## A REGIONAL VOICE FOR THE HYDROPOWER INDUSTRY

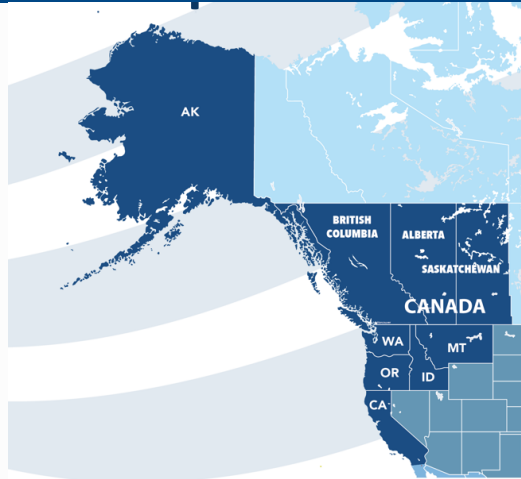
NWHA is dedicated to the promotion of the region's waterpower as a clean, efficient energy while protecting the fisheries and environmental quality which characterize our Northwest region.

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# WHO WE ARE

NWHA was founded in 1981 to support small hydro developers and has since grown into a 140-member strong collective of hydropower developers, utilities, manufacturers, consultants, and researchers. Our membership territory is shown below.



# COMMITTEES

Committees are the cornerstone of NWHA where members collectively decide on how to best advocate for hydropower. Each committee coordinates on a specific area to provide the industry a cohesive and loud voice to advance the industry in the Pacific Northwest.

Committees include:

- Technical Operations
- Natural Resources
- Small Hydro
- Pumped Storage Hydro
- Legislative/Regulatory Affairs
- Communications
- Young Professionals Chapters- Portland, Seattle, & Boise
- Women in Hydro Chapters- Portland & Seattle

# ACTIVITIES

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The go-to conference to discuss regulatory, legislative, engineering, and scientific issues relating to hydropower with a focus on our region. This is where we share our experiences for the benefit of all.

## REGIONAL WORKSHOPS

Training and topical workshops to facilitate relevant discussions among members. Workshops focus on technical, pumped storage, regulatory, small hydro as well as a fall conference that is a cross-section of issues covered at the annual conference in a more intimate regional setting.

## SPECIAL FORUMS

NWHA members have a space within NWHA to host topical or special issue forums to support hydropower and member companies. These have included, total dissolved oxygen, pumped storage hydropower, compliance, and legislative/regulatory forums.

# HYDRO IN THE NW

# 90%

Of our clean energy in the Northwest comes from hydropower. We need to be a loud voice for our members.