

Real Property, Probate and Trust Section

FY2021

WSBA SECTIONS YEAR IN REVIEW
OCTOBER 1, 2020 – SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

The **REAL PROPERTY, PROBATE AND TRUST SECTION** assists members in achieving the highest standards of competence, professionalism, and ethics in their practices. The Section is composed of legal professionals whose practices span the areas of real property, trusts, and estates. The Section's governance structure includes two separate councils: the Real Property Council and the Probate and Trust Council.

TOTAL MEMBERS
AS OF DEC. 31, 2021 **2,330**

Young Lawyers 10.69%

MEMBER LOCATIONS

King County	42.79%
Peninsula & Southern WA	13.39%
Central & Eastern WA	17.34%
Northern WA	7.94%

EMPLOYMENT

Public Sector/Government	2.88%
In-House	6.27%
Solo	27.25%
Small Firm (2 – 10)	37.12%
Medium Firm (11 – 50)	16.65%
Large Firm (51+)	9.79%

SECTION ACCOMPLISHMENTS

4 Co-sponsored CLE Seminars with WSBA

4 Newsletters

MANY Legislative Bills Tracked/Reviewed

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR

- Hosted, virtually, its Annual Fall Probate and Trust seminar and Real Property seminar both in December 2020, and its annual Midyear Meetings in June 2021.
- Worked together with WSBA leaders and legislators on multiple legislative subcommittees to assist with the review, commenting, and drafting of the Omnibus Bill that was passed in 2021.
- Published four high-quality newsletters produced by the dedicated group of lawyers who sit on the Newsletter Committee.
- Continued to engage new and young lawyers through the Fellow Program and fosters those relationships and mentors the newer practitioners who frequently serve as Executive Committee members for the Section following completion of their service as Fellows.

SECTION FINANCIAL REVIEW

Dues	\$25.00
Total Revenue (actual)	\$129,242.64
Total Expenses (actual)	\$40,901.93
Total Fund Balance (actual)	\$154,641.24

EXPENSES (actual)

Member Benefits	\$4,931.25	12.06%
Per-Member Charge	\$31,605.93	77.27%
CLE-Related	\$962.50	2.35%
Executive Committee	\$3,402.25	8.32%

