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VALUE PROPOSITION
Premier training & education, best practices and networking: a Western voice for federal legislative and regulatory advocacy, and timely value added communication.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE
Who We Are: NWPPA is an international association representing and serving consumer-owned, locally driven utilities in the Western U.S. and Canada.

What We Do: NWPPA exists to enhance the success of its members through training, education, public information, governmental relations, and value-added services.

Where We Want to Go: The Association shall be a leader in promoting the value and benefits of consumer-owned, locally controlled utilities.

What’s Important to Us: NWPPA values local control, member needs, integrity, quality of products and services, effective representation and accountability.

MAJOR CONFERENCES
NWPPA puts on three major conferences each year and one other every other year:
   Engineering & Operations Conf. and Trade Show (April)
   Annual Conference & Membership Meeting (May)
   Northwest Communications & Energy Innovations Conference (September)
   NWPPA/APA Alaska Electric Utility Conference & Trade Show (In the fall in odd years)

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS - Bulletin (monthly industry magazine); Northwest Electric Utility Directory (annual reference directory); eBulletin (weekly e-mail newsletter)

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