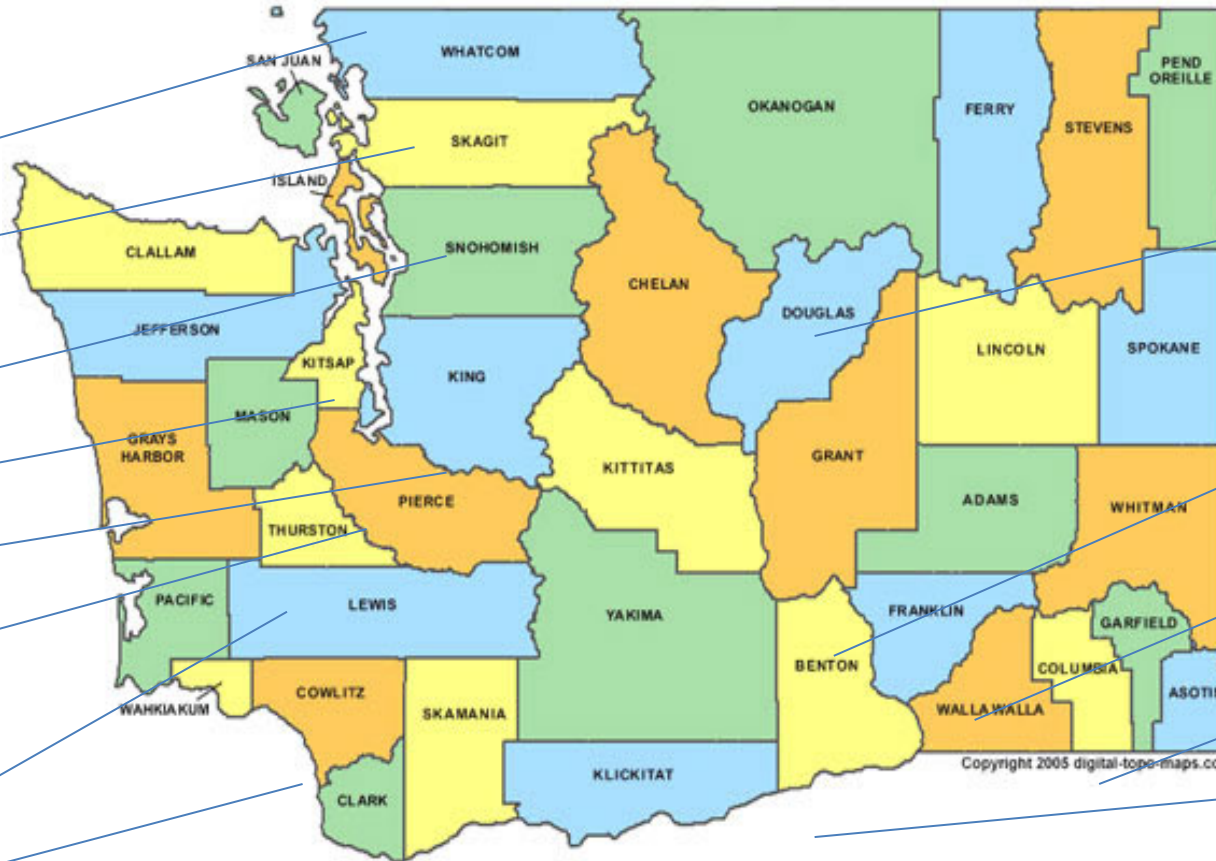


# WABC's Statewide Opportunity Network



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Klickitat  
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(statewide)



**WABC is a statewide association which advances policies and programs that help low- and moderate income families in Washington build, maintain and preserve financial assets through investing in education, personal savings, homeownership and entrepreneurship**

We are the only 501(c)3 organization in the state working exclusively on asset-building strategies for low-income families and communities. We focus on initiatives that result in positive, proactive systemic change through strategic partnerships with financial institutions, policymakers and other community-based organizations.

**Our network** is comprised of 16 chapters or “local asset-building coalitions” throughout the state.

**Our work** is focused on strategic initiatives that result in systemic change. Examples include:

- Ensuring financial education in K-12 schools (House Bill 1173)
- College / Child Savings Accounts (statewide)
- Increasing microenterprise in rural communities (Yakima & Klickitat counties)

We also provide skill development and educational opportunities for policy makers and our network through:

- Hosting a Statewide Conference (300+ attendees; next event is June, 2015)
- “Ideas for Impact” speaker series (next event: Child Savings Accounts, March 2015)
- Hosting workshops and meetings throughout the year
- Distribution of our quarterly newsletters

**Opportunities for banks to get involved:**

- Become a Member (\$1200 / annually) – includes logo placement in our newsletter, sent to 3000+
- Sponsor our 2015 Statewide Conference (levels vary)
- Sponsor Ideas to Impact series (levels vary)

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