

National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association

Olympic Peninsula Chapter 1006 Spring 2025

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We have opportunities for new officers
and committee chairs.

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MEETING. Wed. May 14 at the Big Elk Restaurant 707 E Washington St, Sequim, WA 98382-3815. The "no host" lunch will be at 11:30 a.m. and the meeting will start at noon. You do not have to have lunch to attend the meeting.

WORKING TOGETHER TODAY TO PROTECT OUR EARNED BENEFITS TOMORROW

The Association, since July 1970, has been classified by the IRS as a 501c (5) tax exempt labor organization [not a union]; however, dues, gifts, or contributions to the Association are not tax deductible as charitable contributions.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

With the resignation of Bill Harrington, Sequim Chapter 1006 is in danger of closing. Chapters are required to have at minimum a president and treasurer. As a result, a special meeting will be held at the Big Elk Restaurant meeting room, 707 E Washington St, Sequim, Wednesday, August 20, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., to discuss closing the chapter if no one steps up to take the treasurer's position.

To begin the closure process, a motion is required to be made and seconded at the meeting by a Chapter 1006 member in good standing (all dues are paid). A discussion would follow. Chapter members in good standing would then vote FOR or AGAINST closing the chapter. To pass, the motion would require a 2/3 majority vote of the voting members AT THE MEETING. Please plan to attend this meeting; if you can't please contact me with your comments.

If the vote to close the chapter passes, a letter will be sent to all members asking which chapter they wish to be transferred to. The local chapter options will be provided in the letter; becoming a National-only member will be one of the options. Members who don't respond will be transferred to a chapter based on their ZIP code.

About one month later, the transfer process will begin. Once the transfers are processed by the NARFE National Office, you will receive another letter notifying you of your new chapter or transfer to National-only membership if you elected that option. This process can take several weeks.

Western Washington District VP Bea Bull will assist with the closure process and can be contacted at 360-286-7798 or tbkbull@gmail.com.

Thank you for your membership in NARFE and I hope to see you at the meeting in August.

Bob Rust, President, Sequim Chapter 1006

USEFUL INFORMATION for CHAPTER 1006

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NARFE Website-----www.narfe.org
NARFE Member Records-----800-456-8410
Legislative Hotline-----877-217-8234 [free]
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Senator Patty Murray-----206-553-5545
Senator Maria Cantwell-----206-220-6400
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NARFE Service Officer - www.narfewadistiv.org
WA State Federation – www.narfe.org/wa

RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS FOR NARFE

Membership: Currently we have 80 chapter members. Welcome to Stephen [REDACTED], Philip [REDACTED], Michael [REDACTED], and Diane [REDACTED]. Sadly, Wade [REDACTED], David [REDACTED], and Hazel [REDACTED] have passed.

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Balance as of 3/31/2025 was \$3,345.40

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Meeting Notice

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**From Bea Bull, Western Washington
District VP**

I need to know what would entice you to attend an in-person federation conference in the Lynnwood area in September 2026. Who would you like to hear speak? What activities would you enjoy? Please reach out to me with your ideas.

E-MAIL and MAILING ADDRESS. This makes it easier for us to provide you with current information. Go to the “members portal” on the NARFE website [www.narfe.org]. Your membership number is on your magazine mailing label