

**WAC 30-01-040 Commission's purpose.** The Washington state arts commission is charged with the conservation and development of the state's artistic resources as described in RCW 43.46.005. It is authorized by RCW 43.46.050 to study, plan, and advise the governor, state departments, and the legislature regarding cultural development. Through the authority granted by RCW 43.46.055, the commission may administer any activity, and assist any person or agency in programs or projects related to the growth and development of the arts, humanities, and the creative economy. The conservation and development of the state's artistic resources is essential to the social, educational, and economic growth of the state of Washington.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 43.46.040. WSR 18-02-086, § 30-01-040, filed 1/2/18, effective 2/2/18. Statutory Authority: Chapter 43.46 RCW. WSR 10-23-102, § 30-01-040, filed 11/16/10, effective 12/17/10. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.46.040 and 43.46.081. WSR 10-02-089, § 30-01-040, filed 1/6/10, effective 2/6/10. Statutory Authority: RCW 43.46.040. WSR 95-15-040, § 30-01-040, filed 7/12/95, effective 8/12/95; WSR 86-08-072 (Order 1, Resolution No. 86-1), § 30-01-040, filed 4/1/86.]