

## **NWLERC Cabinet Report January 11, 2025**

Happy New Year to everyone! Here is a recap of the business from Northwest Lions Eyeglass Recycling Center through 2024.

History: Founded in 2004 in Olympia/Lacey, Washington

All volunteer staff

6 officers and one or two Directors from each of the 5 districts in our Lions MD19-Washington

Mission: "Changing lives one pair of eyeglasses at a time"

Eyeglasses received: 3.7 million pair

Missions where eyeglasses were supplied: 384

Income is from donations made by Lions Clubs and others, no government subsidies

I have served as the director of the Wenatchee satellite since it was founded in 2007. I have served as the LERC Director and District D/I cabinet chairperson representing LERC since 2017. I house the sorting and storage location in my warehouse/garage.

Attached is a list of drop-off locations for used eyeglasses in our area.

This is a great organization doing great things!

*PDG Patti Sparks, LERC Director*