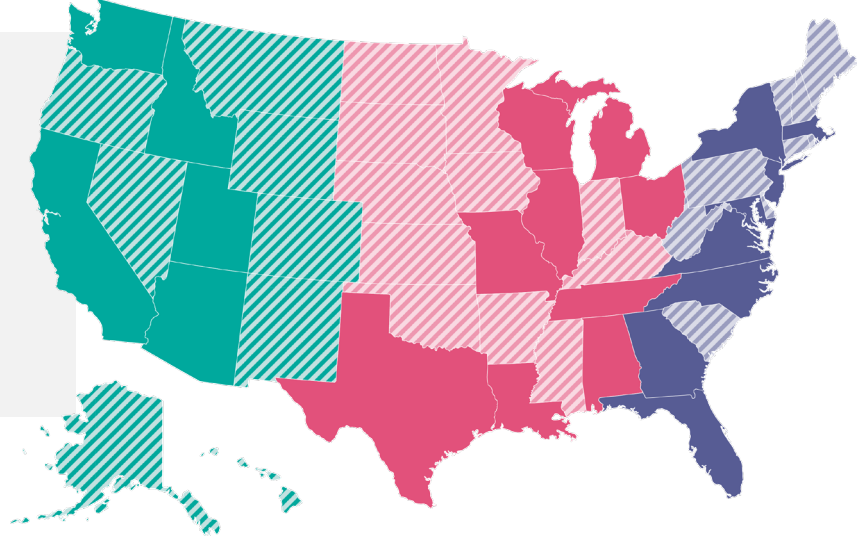


STATE AND NATIONAL LIAISONS:

The ties that bind the Women's Council Networks

NETWORK REGIONS

- Western Region with State Network
- Western Region No State Network
- Central Region with State Network
- Central Region No State Network
- Eastern Region with State Network
- Eastern Region No State Network



ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE GUIDE

National Liaison Support					
Level 2		State Liaison Support			
		Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	
National Liaison support in states where there are no Local Network but where there are members-at-large and/or where there is one Local Network. National Liaisons will focus on outreach to members-at-large to invite them as feasible to Local or State network programs in neighboring states. National Liaison will promote engagement in National to all members.		State Liaison support in states with two (2) Local Network and at least fifty (50) members. A mandatory State Liaison position will provide support (see State Liaison job duties below and full job description in State Network job description document).	State Liaison support and/or a State Network in states with three (3) to five (5) Local Network, a mandatory State Liaison can provide support as described in LEVEL 3. In addition, a State Network can be formed (optional) if it can meet and maintain minimum operating standards.	State Network in states with six (6) or more Local Network, the formation of a State Network is mandatory	
Alaska Arkansas Connecticut Delaware Hawaii Iowa Kansas Kentucky Maine Minnesota Mississippi Montana	Nebraska New Mexico North Dakota Oklahoma Pennsylvania Rhode Island South Carolina South Dakota Vermont West Virginia Wyoming	Nevada North Carolina Oregon	Alabama* Colorado Idaho* Indiana Louisiana* Massachusetts* New Hampshire Utah* Virginia* Washington* Wisconsin*	Arizona California Florida Georgia Illinois Maryland Michigan	Missouri New Jersey New York Ohio Tennessee Texas

*State Network

NATIONAL LIAISON

- ◆ Elected to oversee the work of the National Women's Council in their respective region
- ◆ A representative of the National Leadership Team; serves on National Executive Committee and nominating committee
- ◆ Chair the regional caucuses at National Meetings to conduct regional business affairs and exchange information
- ◆ Identify opportunities and/or challenges within the region and assist wherever possible

STATE LIAISON

- ◆ An information conduit between Local, State and National on network issues, trends and accomplishments.
- ◆ Monitor and support local Network and ensures operating standards.
- ◆ Leadership role model, creating an environment that fosters the development of leaders in Women's Council.
- ◆ Part of National Liaison team