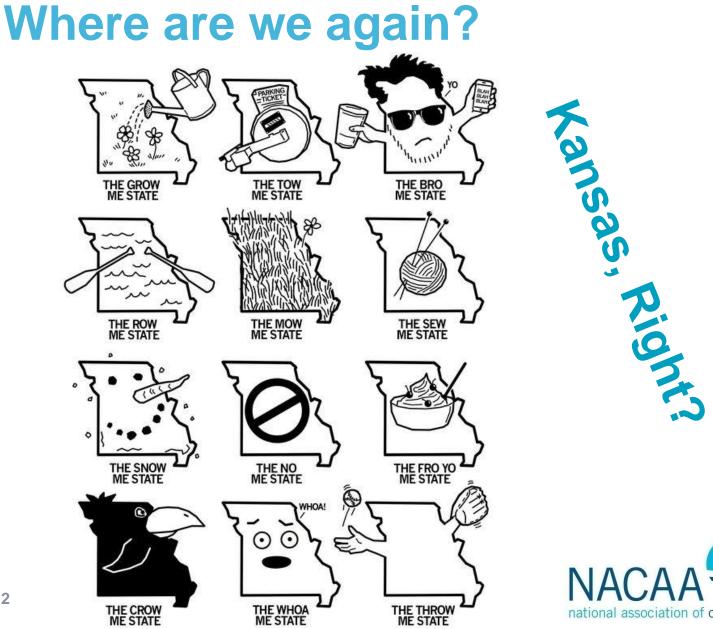


**Executive Director Update** 

NACAA Spring Membership Meeting Kansas City, Missouri April 29, 2019

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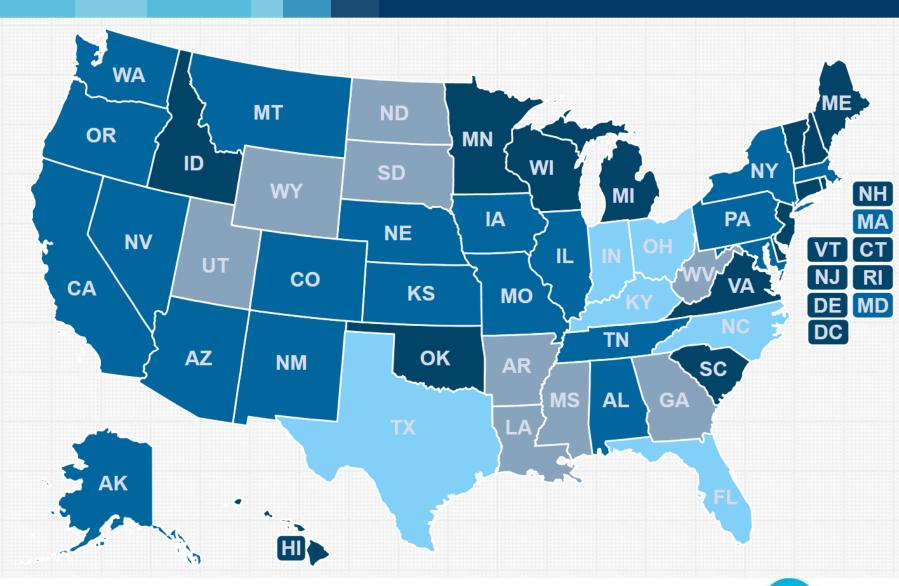


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- Local agencies
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### **Strategic Goals**

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# What's working, what we're working on

- Old reliables are still strong: committee work, Washington Update, Funding Update, VW Clearinghouse
- □ Air Web use is up & @weare4cleanair is growing
- Legal matrix is a hit
- Ad-hoc committee on sustainability & resilience
- Training committee re-boot includes webcasts & trainings
- New strategy for Public Outreach
- More Hill influence, allies in industry, ECOS
- Remain well-connected with media





#### **Our comments**

- New comments process is in use, but, it's a tight turn radius
- □ Comments since Cleveland, 10/18:
  - Clay Ceramics Toxics Standards (10/18)
  - SAFE rule Light Duty Vehicles (10/18)
  - Affordable Clean Energy Rule (10/18)
  - Participated in Cleaner Trucks announcement w South Coast (12/18)
  - Wood Heating Device NPRM (1/19)
  - Residential Wood Heaters ANPRM (2/19)
  - Two DERA letters to the Hill (3/19)
  - NACAA testimony for 30% increase in STAG appropriations (2/19 and 3/19)
  - National Compliance Initiatives (3/19)

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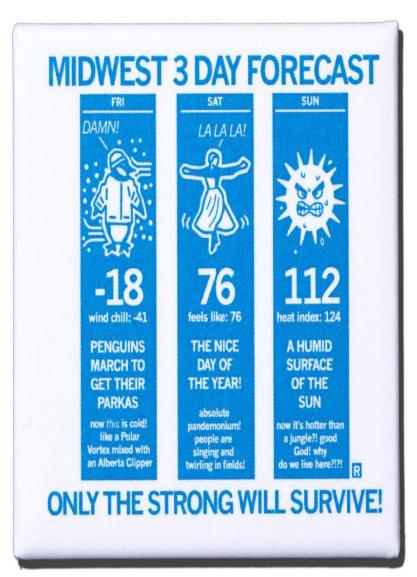
- Hydrochloric Acid Production RTR (3/19)
- MATS Appropriate & Necc Finding & RTR (4/19)





### **The Money**

- Since 2017 we've cut costs by more than 20% and added many services.
- 2018 budget had modest approved deficit budget; ended about even with cuts
- Our 2019 & 2020 budget deficits were larger (8% ish), but
- in 2019: permitting work under contract
- In 2020: 8% dues increase, and our lease is up!



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#### Where to next? Washington DC, Week of October 20



## **Bring Your Questions Or Magnets**



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