

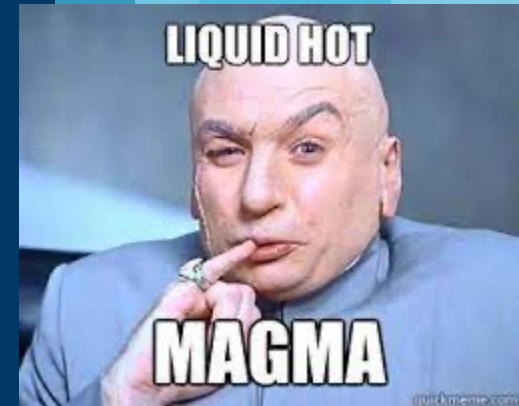


# Executive Director's Report

NACAA Spring Membership Meeting

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Denver Colorado



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# Our Agenda Today

- ❑ Membership and Community
- ❑ Looking outward
  - ◆ Clean Air Developments
  - ◆ Comments & letters since our last meeting
  - ◆ Talking to the Hill & the Administration
- ❑ Changes in the Job
- ❑ An invitation for further input
- ❑ The rest of the meeting
- ❑ Plenty of time for questions



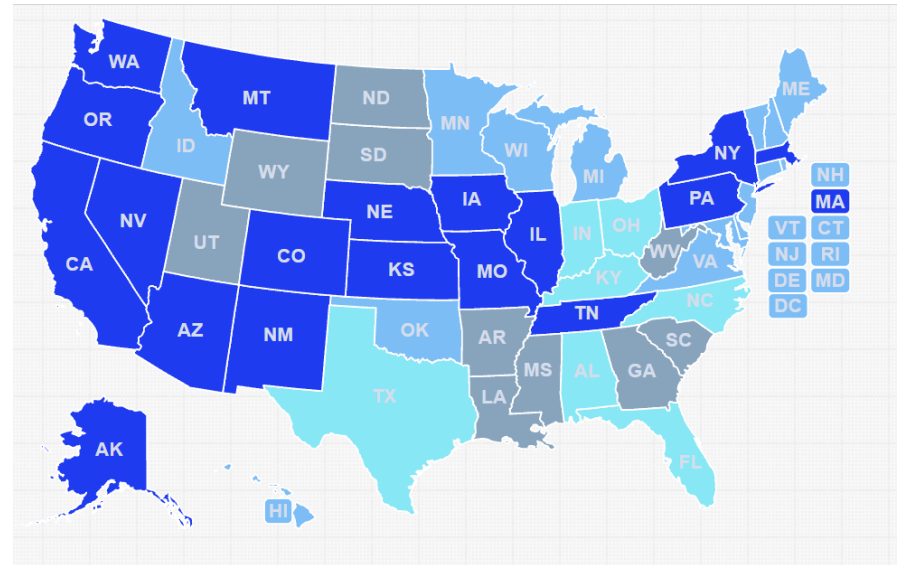
# Our Family in 2023

**NO**



**YES**

**Local and State Agencies**  
State Agencies  
Local Agencies



Also: Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa,  
US Virgin Islands, Commonwealth of  
Northern Marianas Islands

# Clean Air Developments

- ❑ The Inflation Reduction Act – CPRG, GHGRF, funding for air pollution (including a quiet \$25M boost)
- ❑ Change in congress and implications
- ❑ Permitting
- ❑ The power plant rules – MATS, Good Neighbor, 111 b&d, implications of *West Virginia*
- ❑ Mobile source rules galore
- ❑ Changes in the NAAQS
- ❑ Climate impacts no longer abstract
- ❑ EJ, Title VI, and EPA's New Office
- ❑ Optimizing and Clarifying Permitting
- ❑ Advancing engagement on Enforcement

# Comments & testimony since last time (1)

- ❑ Phase 3 HD GHG Standards testimony at EPA Public Hearing (May 2, 2023)
- ❑ Letter to Senate Appropriations Committee Calling for State/Local Grant Increases (May 2, 2023)
- ❑ Letter to U.S. Senate Regarding S.J. Res. 11, CRA Disapproval of the EPA's Heavy Duty NOx Rule (April 26, 2023)
- ❑ Comments on EPA's March 17, 2023 Contingency Measures Draft Guidance for Ozone and Particulate Matter (April 24, 2023)
- ❑ Comments on Proposed PM NAAQS Reconsideration (March 28, 2023)
- ❑ Testimony to House on FY 2024 Interior & Environment Appropriations (March 16, 2023)
- ❑ Comments on EPA's Proposed Section 111(d) Implementing Regulations (February 27, 2023)
- ❑ Letter to EPA on Community Outreach Effort for Ethylene Oxide from Commercial Sterilizers (February 22, 2023)
- ❑ Comments on EPA's Reconsideration of Fugitive Emissions Rule (February 14, 2023)

# Comments & testimony since last time (2)

- ❑ Comments on EPA's Oil and Natural Gas Sector Proposal (February 13, 2023)
- ❑ Two letters about the implementation of the IRA (January 18, 2023)
- ❑ Comments on EPA's Endangerment Finding for Aircraft Lead Emissions (January 17, 2023)
- ❑ Letter Seeking Comment Period Extension for Oil and Gas Supplemental (November 29, 2022)
- ❑ Pre-Proposal Comments On EPA's Power Sector Strategy (Including Excerpted Chapters from Implementing EPA's Clean Power Plan: A Menu of Options) (Nov 22, 2022)
- ❑ Letter to EPA Recommending Funding Increases in FY 2024 (Nov 8, 2022)
- ❑ Written Comments and Testimony to the CARB on Advanced Clean Fleets (ACF) Regulation (October 26, 2022)
- ❑ NACAA letter to EPA Administrator Regan on the Inflation Reduction Act (October 5, 2022)



# Action on Capitol Hill

- ❑ Appropriations in 2023-2024
- ❑ ARP – monitoring investments
- ❑ IRA – everything from ports to green banks, and the CPRG
- ❑ Divided government: defaults, CRAs, Appointments, Permitting
- 7 Reform



# Our Work and Workforce

- ❑ Hiring: how will things like CPRG and BIL raise new needs?
- ❑ Turnover in NACAA membership, leadership
- ❑ Improved job board, social media efforts
- ❑ Changes in how everyone works
  - ◆ Hybrid meetings, regional workshops, other approaches on the table
  - ◆ Many “old reliables” are still working well





# Always trying to get better

- ❑ Are we driving value to the members?
- ❑ Are we meeting the right priorities?
- ❑ Are we delivering the right services?
- ❑ What else would help?
- ❑ How has work changed for you?
- ❑ What do you need from an (our) association?
- ❑ What will you need next?
  - ◆ Policy
  - ◆ Technical assistance
  - ◆ Connections

# A preview of this meeting's agenda



If you've got questions...

I'll try to answer them!

