

Attachment to Form 801
NASEO Direct Air Carbon and Storage Workshop
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Section 2: Describe the entity's business activity or its nature and interests.

The National Association of State Energy Officials (NASEO) is the only national non-profit association for the governor-designated energy officials from each of the 56 states and territories. Formed by the states in 1986, NASEO facilitates peer learning among state energy officials, serves as a resource for and about State Energy Offices, and advocates the interests of the State Energy Offices to Congress and federal agencies.

Section 3.2: Specific description of the payment and its agency purpose and use.

Commissioner Andrew McAllister represents California on the Executive Committee as the former chair of the NASEO Board of Directors (Board). Accountable to the membership, the Board shapes the organization's mission and direction and ensures that NASEO has the appropriate leadership and resources available to help achieve its strategic aims. The Board plays a vital role in the decision-making process of the organization and ensures that all other states and affiliate members' voices are heard. NASEO is a strong ally for developing and sustaining ties with federal agencies and funding opportunities. With the new federal administration, there are new opportunities for collaboration on building and appliance standards. NASEO is critical for renewing funding of the State Energy Program and Weatherization Assistance Program which send approximately \$55M to California. NASEO is a conduit to discussions around new potential funding for recovery and infrastructure.