



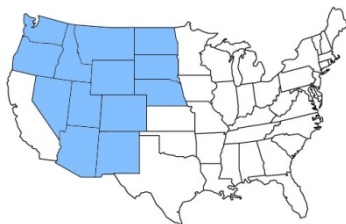
About Western Energy Alliance

Western Energy Alliance was originally formed as the Independent Petroleum Association of Mountain States (IPAMS) in 1974. Western Energy Alliance is a non-profit trade association representing more than 430 independent natural gas and oil producers, service and supply companies, banking and financial institutions and industry consultants committed to environmentally responsible oil and natural gas development in the Intermountain West.

Western Energy Alliance is an organization of men, women and companies united in a common cause to more efficiently explore, develop, and produce oil and natural gas in the thirteen state region of the Intermountain West. Western Energy Alliance is dedicated to representing, informing, educating, and assisting its members, the public and regulatory agencies on all issues affecting the natural gas and oil industry at the local, state, and federal level.

Quick Facts

- With over 430 member companies representing more than 480,000 employees, Western Energy Alliance is now one of the largest oil and natural gas trade associations in the country.
- Western Energy Alliance members operate in the states of Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.
- Western Energy Alliance meets continually with federal and state legislators and regulators to urge public policy that fosters the environmentally sound development of domestic resources, lessening the nation's dependence on unstable (and often unfriendly) foreign sources of supply.
- Western Energy Alliance provides its membership with a variety of services, including media and public relations, legislative and regulatory representation, community outreach, employee education and industry networking.
- Western Energy Alliance has a 124 member volunteer Board of Directors, which is elected annually. The board is comprised of CEOs and senior management from Western Energy Alliance membership. James Schroeder of Mesa Energy Partners, LLC has served as the president of Western Energy Alliance Board of Directors since June 25, 2010.



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