



SLATE

State and Local Advisory Team for Energy



What Is SLATE?

- A proposed Non Profit Organization (501C3) focused on providing energy policy & program assistance to state and local governments
- Assistance will be provided by former directors of state and local energy agencies, and also other key experts
- Assistance will lead to greater energy efficiency, more use of renewable energy, and a cleaner environment



SLATE & NASEO

- SLATE is a strategy discussed with David Terry and Jeff Genzer
- SLATE complements NASEO's proposed committee of former directors
- SLATE recognizes the value of former directors, and will utilize their skills
- SLATE ultimately provides a value added service to NASEO's members



Preliminary Market Analysis

- SLATE can augment outreach/assistance provided to SEO's by US DOE's PMC, post RSO's
- NASEO can always improve its outreach to member SEO's
- Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program (EECBG) will present new opportunities and challenges, as will carbon allowance auctions, etc.



Potential SLATE Services

- Strategic planning, emergency planning
- Financing approaches, e.g. ESCO's
- Electric utility policy
- Transportation policy
- Clean energy resource development
- Program design and implementation
- Climate change strategies



Examples of Services

- Strategic Program Assessment, including a concise analysis of a program's achieved and potential effectiveness over key metrics
- Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Trend Assessment, providing objective view of resources, technologies, and opportunities in a jurisdiction



NASEO Opportunities with SLATE

- Potential aligning with other groups on the local level: NARC, NLC, NACo, USCM, PTI
- Potential partnership with US DOE, TAP, also with EPA, DHS, other federal agencies
- Enhanced recognition, utilization of NASEO leadership, i.e., former directors
- Mentoring, peer matching at its finest



What's Next?

- Your input & support, making SLATE work in the best possible way
- Strong support from NASEO is critical
- A survey of needs by NASEO to help guide the formation of this venture?
- Goal is simple: a win for NASEO, SEO's, and greater energy efficiency throughout the USA