



**The Council
of State
Governments**

Wisconsin

New Member Orientation

Madison, Wisconsin
November 29, 2022

The Council of State Governments

Promoting Excellence in State Government

Identification and tracking of emerging trends

Exchange of innovative solutions

Multi-state problem solving

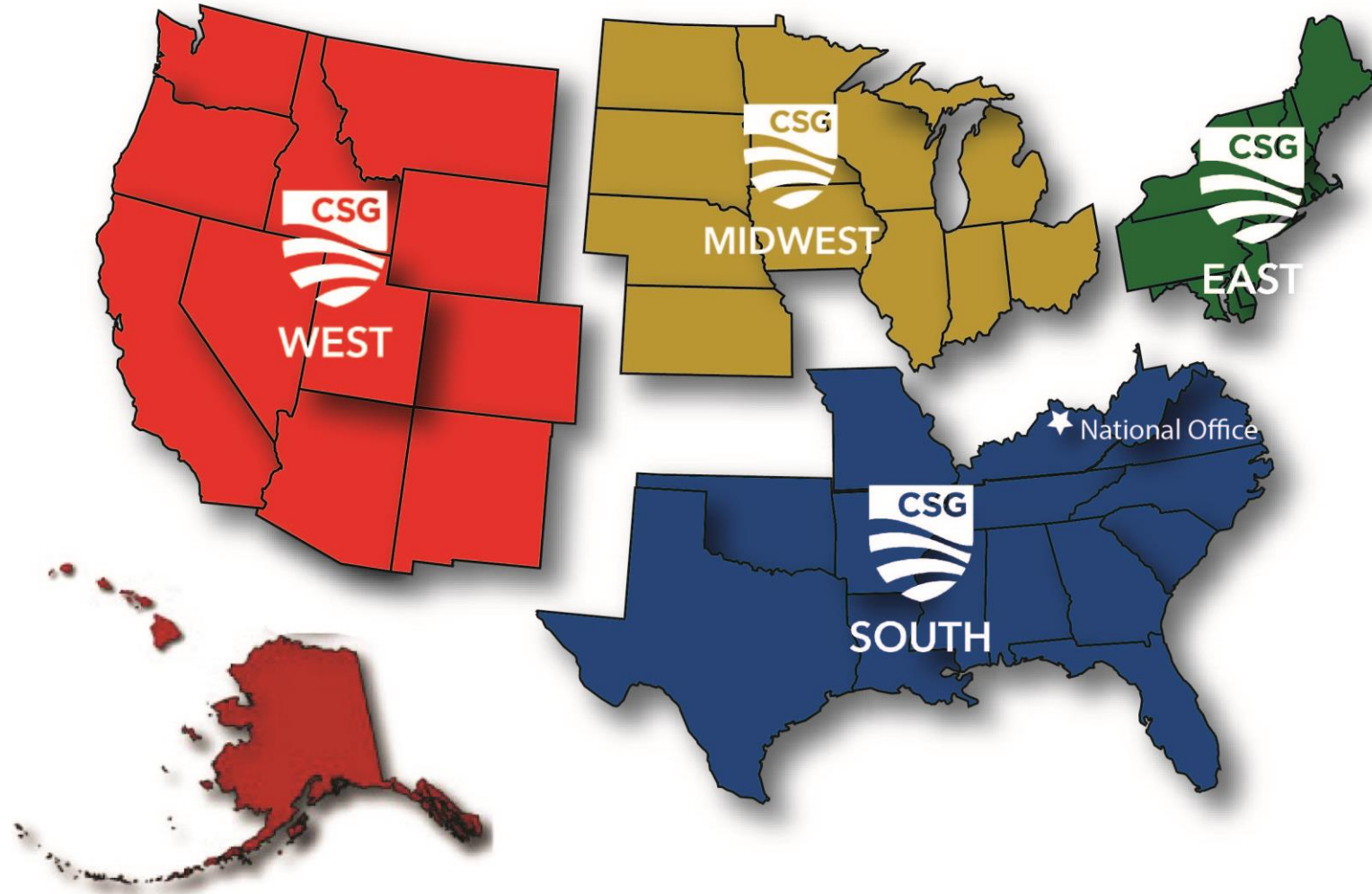
Leadership training

Advancing and protecting the role of states



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CSG's Regional Structure



CSG Midwest

Regional Groups of State Officials



**Midwestern Radioactive
Materials Transportation
Project
(DOE Grant)**



**Midwest Interstate
Passenger Rail Commission
(MIPRC)**



**Great Lakes-St. Lawrence
Legislative Caucus**



**Midwestern Legislative
Conference**

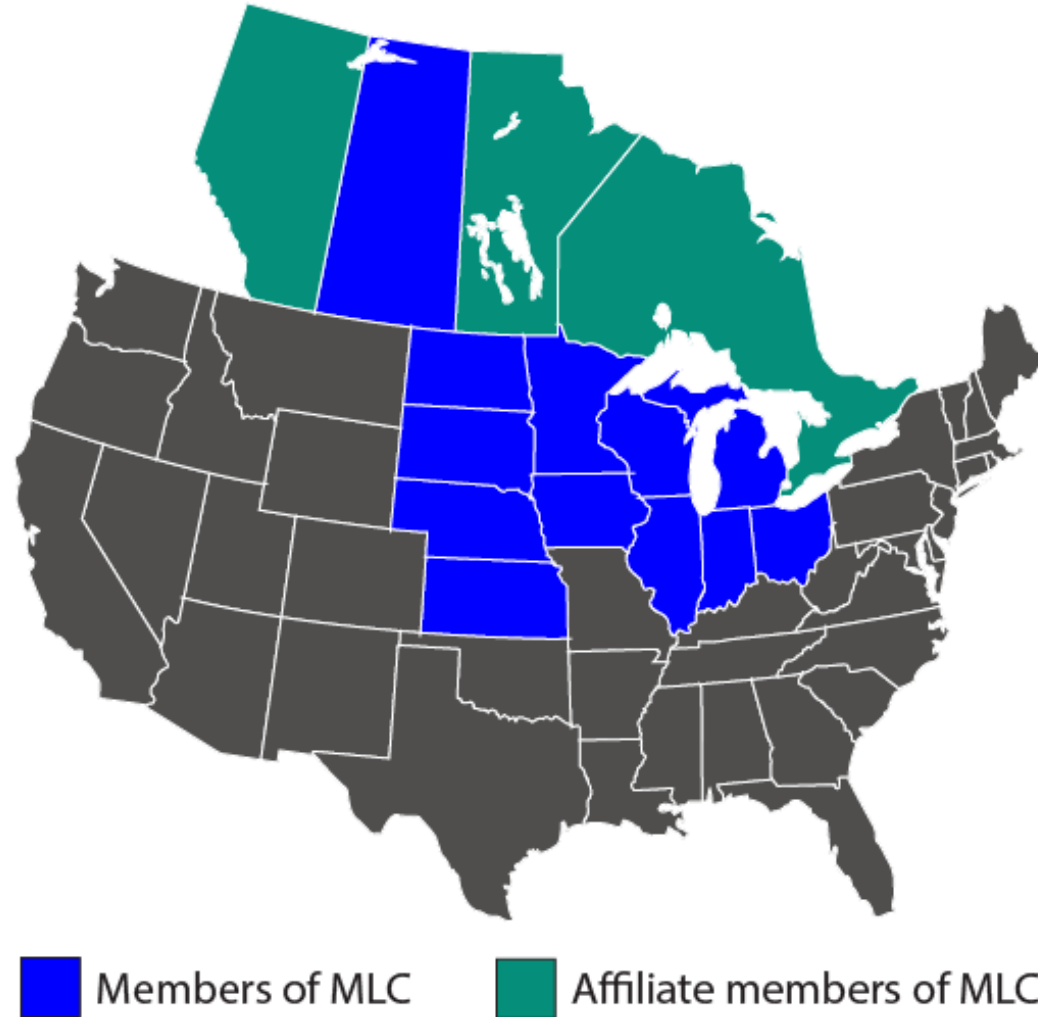


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The Midwestern Legislative Conference

11 States

4 Provinces



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2021-2022 MLC Policy Committees

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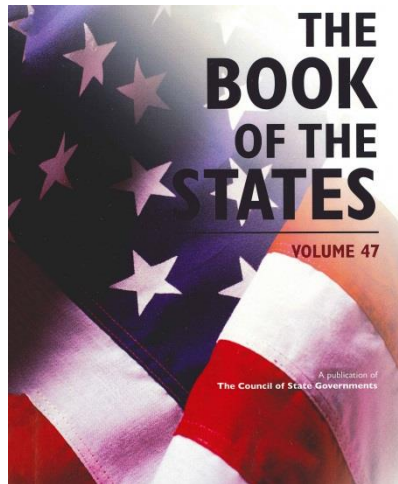
Health & Human Services

Midwest-Canada Relations



MIDWEST

Products and Services



- Website: csgmidwest.org
- Research Assistance
- Policy Academies/Webinars

- Publications
- Center of Innovation
- In-State Training

77th MLC Annual Meeting

Detroit, Michigan | July 9-12, 2023



Leadership Training for New Members

Bowhay Institute for Legislative Leadership Development (BILLD)

2023 BILLD: August 18-22 | Madison, Wisconsin

Midwest legislators in first four years of service

Leadership and skills development training

Competitive application process

Application due: April 17



Parting Words

Illinois Sen. Don Harmon

Senate President & 2005 BILLD Alumnus

“The wonderful thing about the legislature is that you almost never lose ... forever.



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Thank You!

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