



NOTICE OF OPEN 2018 VICE CHAIR POSITION

*Candidates for the Position of 2018 Vice Chair
Must Submit Required Information by Tuesday, August 1, 2017*

Dear CSG West Executive Committee Members,

The CSG West Nominating Committee is accepting applications from Western legislators interested in serving as an Officer of CSG West. The position of 2018 Vice Chair will be open and the legislator that is elected by the Executive Committee will succeed to the position of chair in 2020.

All applicants will be scheduled for an interview with the CSG West Nominating Committee on Wednesday, August 16 during the 70th CSG West Annual Meeting in Tacoma, Washington. The CSG West Rules specify that only legislators that are members of the **Executive Committee** are eligible for election as Officers. Moreover, as required by the Rules, in order to maintain party balance among the Officers, this year the nominating committee will be interviewing **Republican** legislators who are interested in serving as an Officer of CSG West.

The Nominating Committee, upon finalizing its process, will recommend a slate of 2018 Officers to the CSG West Executive Committee. The deadline for receiving applications from all interested and eligible legislators is **Tuesday, August 1, 2017**. If you have any questions about the process or require additional information, please contact Edgar Ruiz, CSG West Executive Director, at (916) 553-4423 or via email at eruiz@csge.org.

Below, please find links to the application information, notice of officer election and the CSG West Rules. Prospective applicants are encouraged to discuss officer duties and responsibilities with current CSG West officers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Sam Hunt'.

Senator Sam Hunt
Washington State Senate
Chair, CSG West

CSG West Election Eligibility Requirements and Guidelines

- As provided by the CSG West Rules, candidates must be legislators and must be **members of the CSG West Executive Committee**.

- As provided by the CSG West Rules, the Nominating Committee will rotate officer selection among political parties and will seek balance of by legislative chambers, geographic region and population diversity among member jurisdictions. This year the Nominating Committee will be interviewing **Republican** legislators.

CSG West Officers 2017

Chair	Senator Sam Hunt (D)	Washington
Chair-Elect	Senator Ralph Okerlund (R)	Utah
Vice Chair	Representative Kimberly Dudik (D)	Montana
Immediate Past Chair	Representative Jeff Thompson (R)	Idaho

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