



**West**

THE COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS

## NOTICE OF 2019 OFFICER ELECTIONS

The CSG West Nominating Committee will convene on Wednesday, September 12 at 10:30 a.m. during the 71<sup>st</sup> Annual meeting in Snowbird, Utah to interview candidates for the following positions:

- **2019 CSG West Vice Chair** (*succeeding to chair position in 2021*)
- **2019 CSG National Vice Chair** (*succeeding to chair position in 2021*)

The Nominating Committee will submit a slate of CSG West officers, as well as a regional nominee to the CSG National vice chair position, for the consideration of the CSG West Executive Committee business meeting on the afternoon of Saturday, September 15.

### Eligibility Requirements

- As provided by the CSG West Rules, candidates must be legislators and **members of the CSG West Executive Committee**. This applies to both the CSG West vice chair and CSG National vice chair positions.
- **For CSG-West Vice Chair Position Only:** As provided by the CSG West Rules, the Nominating Committee will rotate officer selection among political parties and will seek balance in legislative chambers and sub-regions of the West. This year, the Nominating Committee will be interviewing **Democratic** legislators.
- Applicants must submit information as requested in the applicant information sheet attached no later than close of business on **Tuesday, August 28, 2018**.

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Sen. Stuart Adams, UT | *Chair, CSG West*  
Rep. Kimberly Dudik, MT | *Chair-Elect, CSG West*

Sen. Michael Von Flatern, WY | *Vice Chair, CSG West*  
Sen. Sam Hunt, WA | *Immediate Past Chair, CSG West*

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**APPLICATION DEADLINE:**

**Tuesday, August 28, 2018**

**APPLICATION INFORMATION**

For

**The Council of State Governments West (CSG West)**

**VICE CHAIR 2019**

*Succeeding to the Chair Position in 2021*

&

**The Council of State Governments (CSG National)**

**Vice Chair 2019**

*Succeeding to the Chair Position in 2021*

The CSG West Nominating Committee is accepting applications from Western legislators interested in serving as officers of CSG West or CSG National. The positions of Vice Chair of CSG West and CSG National will be open and the legislators elected by the Executive Committee will succeed to the positions of chair in 2021.

**Eligibility**

1. Applicants must be members of the **CSG West Executive Committee**. This applies to both the CSG West vice chair and the CSG National vice chair positions.
2. **For The CSG West Vice Chair Position Only:** To ensure political balance among the CSG West Officers, this year the Nominating Committee will be interviewing **Democratic** legislators.

**Instructions**

1. Please respond to the following questions/inquiries in a letter to the CSG West Nominating Committee:
  - Your interest in serving as an Officer of CSG West or CSG National.
  - Legislative experience, such as leadership roles, committee service and years in the legislature.
  - Engagement with CSG West, such as leadership roles, committee membership, participation in the Western Legislative Academy, Border Legislative Conference or other programs/events.

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- Engagement with CSG national programs and services, such as committee membership and participation in meetings and events, including the Toll Fellowship Program.
  - Your perspectives on what would be most useful for an association of western legislatures to provide to its membership.
  - Demonstration of support of your leadership to serve in this position.
  - Interest in hosting annual meeting in your respective state and commitment to raise necessary resources for the meeting (during chairmanship).
2. Submit a brief biography, no longer than three pages.
  3. Submit letter(s) of support from your legislative leadership.

**Applicant Interviews:**

All applicants will be scheduled for an interview with the CSG West Nominating Committee on Wednesday, September 12 during the CSG West Annual Meeting in Snowbird, Utah. Applicants will be advised of specific time and place for their interview in a subsequent communication.

**Applicant information must be received by mail, fax or email by end of business on Tuesday, August 28, 2018:**

Mail: CSG West, 1107 Ninth Street, Suite 730, Sacramento, CA 95814  
Attn: CSG West Nominating Committee

Fax: (916) 446-5760

email: [eruiz@csg.org](mailto:eruiz@csg.org)

For any questions about the Nominating Committee process, please contact Edgar Ruiz, CSG West Director, at (916) 553-4423 or via email at [eruiz@csg.org](mailto:eruiz@csg.org).



CSG WEST OFFICER SLATE

CSG West Officers 2018

|                      |                                   |            |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Chair                | Senator J. Stuart Adams (R)       | Utah       |
| Chair-Elect          | Representative Kimberly Dudik (D) | Montana    |
| Vice Chair           | Senator Michael Von Flatern (R)   | Wyoming    |
| Immediate Past Chair | Senator Sam Hunt (D)              | Washington |

CSG West Officers 2019

|                      |                                   |         |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Chair                | Representative Kimberly Dudik (D) | Montana |
| Chair-Elect          | Senator Michael Von Flatern (R)   | Wyoming |
| Vice Chair           | To be selected                    |         |
| Immediate Past Chair | Senator J. Stuart Adams (R)       | Utah    |

CSG NATIONAL OFFICER SLATE

CSG National Officers 2018

|                      |                                 |                     |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| Chair                | Senate President Robert Stivers | Kentucky (South)    |
| Chair-Elect          | Representative Helene Keeley    | Delaware (East)     |
| Vice Chair           | Representative Joan Ballweg     | Wisconsin (Midwest) |
| Immediate Past Chair | Senator Kelvin Atkinson         | Nevada (West)       |

CSG National Officers 2019

|                      |                              |                     |
|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Chair                | Representative Helene Keeley | Delaware (East)     |
| Chair-Elect          | Representative Joan Ballweg  | Wisconsin (Midwest) |
| Vice Chair           | To be selected               | Western Region      |
| Immediate Past Chair | Senate President Stivers     | Kentucky (South)    |

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