

Proposed Western States/Provinces Petroleum Emergency Training/Exercise

Purposes

- Educate participants about petroleum markets and distribution.
- Practice implementation of selected elements of state energy contingency plans as applied to petroleum emergencies.
- Identify issues to feed into WIEB Petroleum Adequacy Study.

Logistics

- Spring, 2006
- Two day meeting
- Central western location - Las Vegas?
- Combined **training** and selected **tabletop exercises**
- Estimated \$75,000 cost (upscale requirements – e.g. internet connections, multimedia presentations – would increase cost).

Primary Participants

1. State Energy Office/Provincial representatives: directors and energy emergency staff
2. Governors/Premiers energy policy advisors
3. SEO and Governors'/Premiers Public Information Officers
4. State/Provincial Pipeline Safety directors and policy staff
5. State/Provincial AG Antitrust Division directors and staff

Observers and Resource Participants

- Oil company representatives, refiners and marketers
- State DOT policy staff
- State Patrol policy staff
- Others?

Conference Staff and Presenters (lecture, panel, multi-media, roll play)

- Conference Design Team: Washington state lead, other states, USDOE, selected petroleum industry representatives
- Conference MC and Assistants
- Petroleum company, industry association, and consultant representatives
- NYMEX and Futures Markets representatives and consultants
- Government representatives