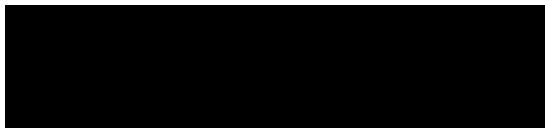


**Committee on Energy and Commerce
U.S. House of Representatives**

Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony"
Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)(5)

1. Your Name: Carl M Weimer		
2. Your Title: Executive Director		
3. The Entity(ies) You are Representing: Pipeline Safety Trust		
4. Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local government entity?	Yes	No x
5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts, or contracts or payments originating with a foreign government, that you or the entity(ies) you represent have received on or after January 1, 2013. Only grants, contracts, or payments related to the subject matter of the hearing must be listed. \$73,624.00 PHMSA Community Technical Assistance Grant Awarded 9/30/15 \$28,416.25 Alamo Improvement Association, CA subgrant from a PHMSA Community Technical Assistance Grant Awarded to them 9/30/14 \$49,882.00 PHMSA Community Technical Assistance Grant Awarded 9/30/14 \$50,000.00 PHMSA Community Technical Assistance Grant Awarded 9/30/13		
5. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.		



Signature: _____ Date: 2/25/16

Curriculum Vitae

Carl M. Weimer

EDUCATION

B.S., Natural Resources, University of Michigan School of Natural Resources & Environment, 1976. Concentration in Environmental Education.

Teaching Certificate, Environmental Educ. & Social Science, University of Michigan School of Education, 1976

A.A.S., Industrial Electronics Technology, Peninsula College, 1984

PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Executive Director, Pipeline Safety Trust, Bellingham, WA, 2004 – Present

- Provides administration and directs policy initiatives for the only national public interest organization that focuses on pipeline safety.
- Honored by the White House in 2015 as a Champion of Change for efforts to improve pipeline safety at the local, state and national level.
- Has testified to both the U.S. House of Representatives and Senate on pipeline safety issues multiple times, and has been called as a witness by the National Transportation Safety Board.
- Organized ten national pipeline safety conferences, and runs the national Safe Pipelines and LNG Safety listservs that include over 900 people from around the country.
- Works with local government, citizen organizations, the media, regulators, and the pipeline industry on a wide variety of initiatives to further pipeline safety.
- Operate the largest non-governmental pipeline safety website – www.pstrust.org

Whatcom County Council, Elected Member, 2006 – Present

- Elected by the citizens of Whatcom County, WA to three 4-year terms on the County Council.
- Served as chairman of the Council for 4 years, and also chairman of the county-wide Health Board and Flood Control Board of Supervisors.
- Spearheaded various county efforts to improve water quality, incarceration prevention, transparency in government, and pipeline safety

Executive Director of RE Sources for Sustainable Communities, Bellingham, WA, 1991 to 2004.

- Started the North Sound Baykeeper Program.
- Started the RE Stores in Bellingham and Seattle to collect and sell used building materials.
- Started the SAFE Bellingham program in 1999 in response to the Olympic Pipeline tragedy.
- Grew the organization from 6 employees to 40, and increased the budget by 700%

General Manager of Vangard Northwest, Ferndale, WA, 1986-1991, a non-profit manufacturing and assembly business whose mission was to provide employment to people with the most severe disabilities.

Natural Resource Agencies, 1976 – 1986. Included various positions with the National Park Service, the Bureau of Land Management, the National Forest Service, and Clallam County Parks.

MAJOR PIPELINE SAFETY ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Drafted parts of the federal pipeline safety statutes that Congress eventually incorporated into law, including: Residential Excess Flow Valve requirements, Whistleblower Protections, Community Technical Assistance Grants, Reporting of Over pressurization Events, and various transparency requirements.
- Successfully worked with PHMSA and state regulators to increase access to pipeline safety information to help rebuild trust in pipeline safety.
- Trained citizens throughout the country to better understand pipeline safety issues and then serve as safety advocates in their communities.
- Bringing the pipeline industry, local government, safety advocates, and regulators together each year for ten years now to discuss our shared responsibility to find ways to improve pipeline safety.
- Providing a long term fact-based public interest voice that the media, local government, regulators, and the industry can turn to for independent pipeline safety information and comment.
- Successfully advocated for the U.S. Justice Department to use a portion of the settlement of the 1999 Olympic Pipeline Tragedy to create the Pipeline Safety Trust.
- Recognized by the White House in 2015 as a Champion of Change for pipeline safety efforts.

PIPELINE SAFETY COMMITTEES SERVED ON

- U.S. Department of Transportation's Technical Hazardous Liquid Pipeline Safety Standards Committee, 2004 to present
- Washington State Citizen Committee on Pipeline Safety, Governor Appointed, 2003 to present.
- Pipelines and Informed Planning Alliance, Steering and Implementation Committees, 2007 to present.
- Canadian Energy Pipeline Association's External Advisory Panel, 2014 – present
- PHMSA's Data Quality Analysis Teams, 2013 to present
- PHMSA's Subcommittee to help draft the Secretary's Report to America on Pipeline Safety, 2011

MAJOR PIPELINE SAFETY SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- White House Champions of Change Event, 2015
- National Assoc. of Pipeline Safety Representatives, Annual Conference, Keynote, 2015 & 2011
- Canadian Energy Pipeline Association, External Advisory Panel & Board, 2015
- Minnesota Office of Pipeline Safety, Annual Educational Conference, 2015
- Great Lakes Water Conference, 2015
- Washington State Local Emergency Planning Councils/Tribal Conference, 2015
- PHMSA Meetings & Workshops, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2011
- Michigan Petroleum Task Force, 2015
- National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, Annual Conference, 2014
- Inter-Union Gas Conference, 2014
- University of Houston, Energy Symposium, 2014
- Interstate Natural Gas Association of America, Annual Meeting, 2014 & 2011
- National Energy Board of Canada, Pipeline Safety Forum, Keynote, 2013

- American Petroleum Association, Annual Pipeline Conference, 2013, 2012, 2007, 2005
- Bold Nebraska, Community Meetings, 2013
- Northwest Natural Gas Association, Annual Meeting, 2012
- University of Michigan, Environmental Law & Policy Program, 2012
- Legislative Energy Horizons Institute, 2012
- International Right of Way Association, Annual Conference, 2012
- Salt Lake City, Mayor's Pipeline Safety Initiative, 2012
- Fort Worth City Council & Neighborhood Association, 2011
- Iowa Utilities Board, Annual Pipeline Safety Conference, 2010

MEDIA CONTRIBUTIONS

Has been regularly quoted in major media outlets, including: NY Times, Washington Post, LA Times, USA Today, San Francisco Chronicle, Seattle Times, NPR, NBC World News, Good Morning America, Politico, The Hill, AP, FOX, InsideClimate News, Wall Street Journal, Oil & Gas Journal, ABC News, Al Jazeera, CBC, C-Span, Bloomberg, Business Week, Newsweek, Globe & Mail, Salt Lake Tribune, Detroit Free Press, Vancouver Sun, Houston Chronicle, Philadelphia Inquirer, etc.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- The Opportunity Council, Board Member
- Drayton Harbor Shellfish Protection District, Board Member
- Northwest Clean Air Agency, Board Member
- Portage & Birch Bay Shellfish Protection Districts, Board Member
- Whatcom County Marine Resource Committee, Board Member
- Whatcom County Developmental Disabilities, Past Board Member
- Local Emergency Planning Committee, Past Member
- People for Puget Sound, Past Board Member
- Selection Committee for the Governor's Pollution Prevention and Sustainability Award
- ReUse Works, Past Board Member
- Evergreen Intensive Tenant Support, Past Board Member
- Cascadia Pacific Center, Past Board Member
- WRIA 1 Watershed Planning Unit, Environmental Representative
- North Bellingham Neighborhood Association, Past Board Member