

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: Robert B. Stewart		
2. Your Title: Executive Director		
3. The Entity(ies) You are Representing: Rural Community Assistance Partnership		
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. A. EPA grant "Training/Technical Assistance to Improve Water Quality" May 1, 2014 – October 31, 2015; Grant Number 83560701, \$4,500,000 B. EPA grant "Training/Technical Assistance to Private Well Owners" May 1, 2014 – October 31, 2015; Grant Number 83560801, \$300,000 C. EPA Grant "T/TA to Improve Water Quality & Enable Small PWSs to Maintain Compliance with SDWA" August 1, 2015 – January 31, 2017; Grant Number 83580401, \$4,000,000 D. EPA Grant "Improving Water Quality Through Training and Technical Assistance to Private Well Owners" August 1, 2015 – January 31, 2017; Grant Number 83580501; \$1,700,000		
6. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.		

Signature: _____



Date: _____

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Robert has served as RCAP's Executive Director since January 2006. He has 30 years of experience in the rural utility field, including the provision of technical and training assistance to water and wastewater systems, water quality management, regulatory compliance, financial and managerial capacity development, training for managers and Boards of rural utilities, utility financing, contract management and consulting for local government entities. Formerly, Robert was the Executive Director for the Texas Water Utilities Association (TWUA), a 9,000-member professional association of water and wastewater operators. Prior to TWUA, he was employed at the Texas Rural Water Association (TRWA), where he served in several capacities including State Contract Manager, Professional Development and Training Director, and Associate Executive Director. Prior to his employment with TRWA, he served as Texas Director for Community Resource Group, the Southern RCAP, where he oversaw a statewide program that provided direct, on-site technical assistance and training for small, low-income rural communities in the areas of water and wastewater utilities and affordable housing. In addition, he has held positions with the Texas Public Utility Commission, the Texas Department of Agriculture and at the University of Texas. Robert also served in the U.S. Navy for six years as a Surface Warfare Officer. He holds a B.A. and a Master of Public Affairs from The University of Texas at Austin.