For more than 150 years, the oil and natural gas industry has been a vital and vibrant part of Colorado’s way of life. At COGA, our goal is to help ensure the oil and gas industry thrives well into the future.

Founded in 1984, COGA’s purpose is to foster and promote the beneficial, efficient, responsible, and environmentally sound development, production, and use of Colorado’s oil and natural gas resources.

This means that every day COGA is proactively and effectively working to create a more stable and predictable regulatory and political environment for our members. We do that through rigorous regulatory engagement at the state and local level. We’re also committed to being a positive, credible, and proactive voice for industry, promoting respectful public dialogue, outreach and education, while pursuing an ambitious strategy to promote oil and gas interests across the state.

We would love to have you join us in 2019.

With hundreds of member companies, representing tens of thousands of employees in Colorado, COGA is the state’s premier oil and gas trade association. Your membership dues would support COGA’s vision of maintaining a stable political and regulatory environment, authentic community partnerships, and a thriving oil and gas industry in Colorado.

In 2018, we fulfilled our mission in many positive ways, including:

- **Legislative Success** – No anti-oil and gas bills were approved by the Colorado General Assembly, helping create a more stable political environment.
- **Community Engagement and Outreach** – Innovative and authentic outreach in local communities across the state through various functions, social events and meetings. COGA staff routinely holds hundreds of stakeholder meetings each year.
- **Groundbreaking Legal Victories** – Using the favorable 2016 Colorado Supreme Court rulings as a guide, COGA continued its advocacy in the courts, successfully representing industry concerns in critical areas across the state.
- **Leadership, Education and Development (LEAD)** – Continued our investment in programming to provide local and state elected leaders access to the latest credible information, scientific studies, white papers and innovative programs about industry while also offering up-close operation tours of rigs and facilities and one-on-one interaction with industry leaders.
- **Positive Messaging** – COGA is a leading voice for industry in Colorado, proactively reaching out to journalists across the state to serve as a resource, placing op-eds in leading publications, and creating innovative social media campaigns to educate the public and journalists alike.
- **Building Stronger Communities** – Our Community Outreach & Investment Committee unites industry’s corporate social responsibility efforts to build stronger communities. At its signature philanthropic event, COGA and its members donated over $300,000 to the Tennyson Center.
I encourage you to review the included membership materials for additional details on COGA’s efforts and how you can benefit by becoming a member. Your support will allow us to proactively engage in communities across the state, aggressively defend our legal rights to operate, maintain a high level of regulatory engagement, and be politically active in key areas of Colorado.

COGA is an investment in our energy future, and we take our charge, our mission, seriously.

Sincerely,

Dan Haley
President & CEO
Colorado Oil & Gas Association