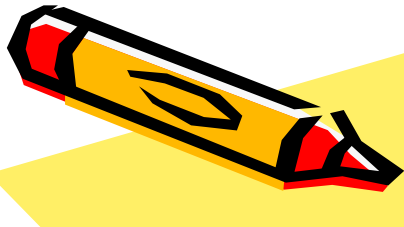


## Are you Smarter than the Steering Committee Qualifying Round

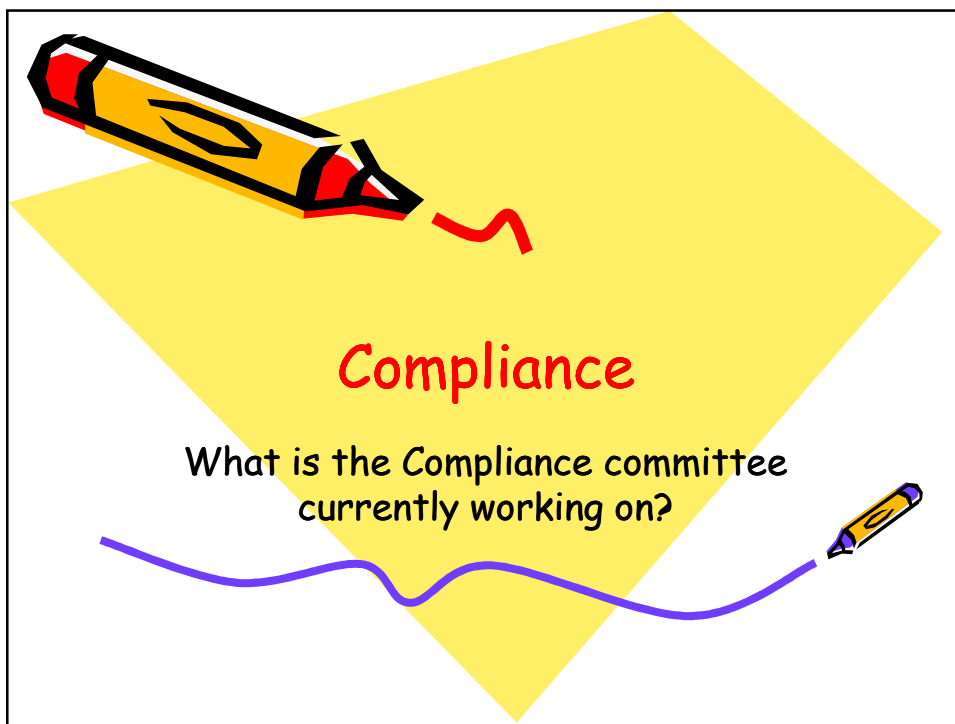
- Communication and Coordination
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- Forms Management
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### Communication and Coordination

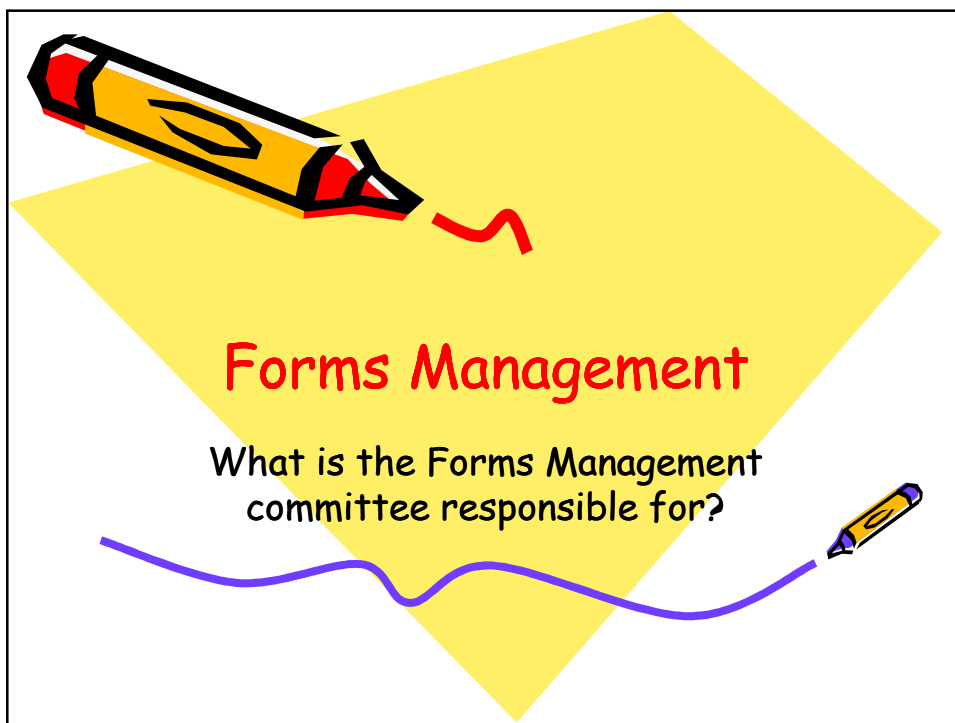
Name as many projects as you can that were completed last year by this committee?





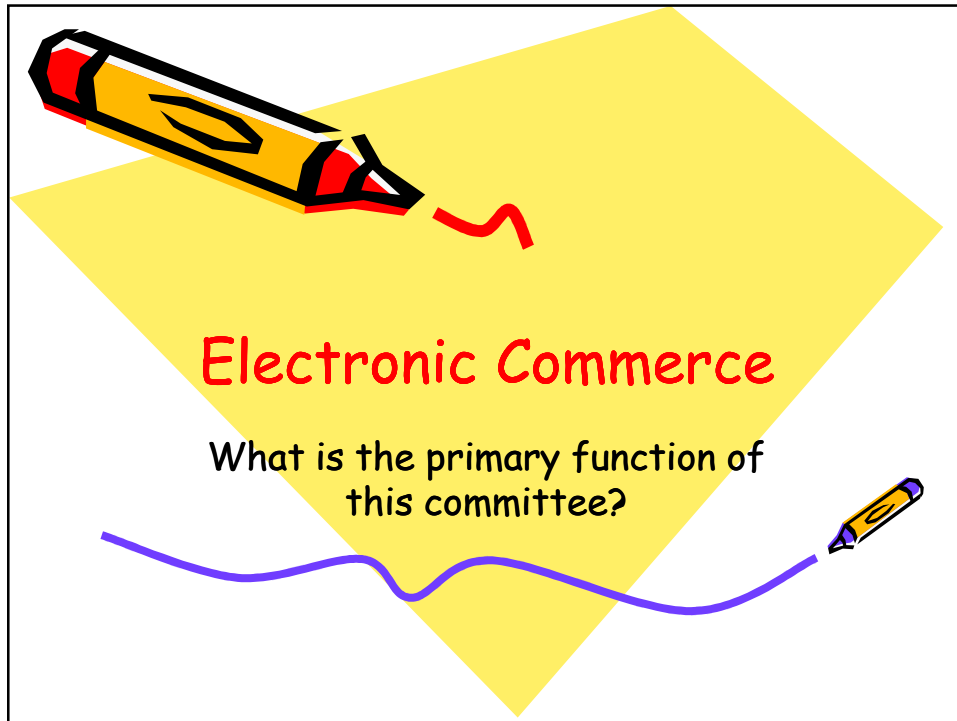
**Compliance**

What is the Compliance committee currently working on?



**Forms Management**

What is the Forms Management committee responsible for?

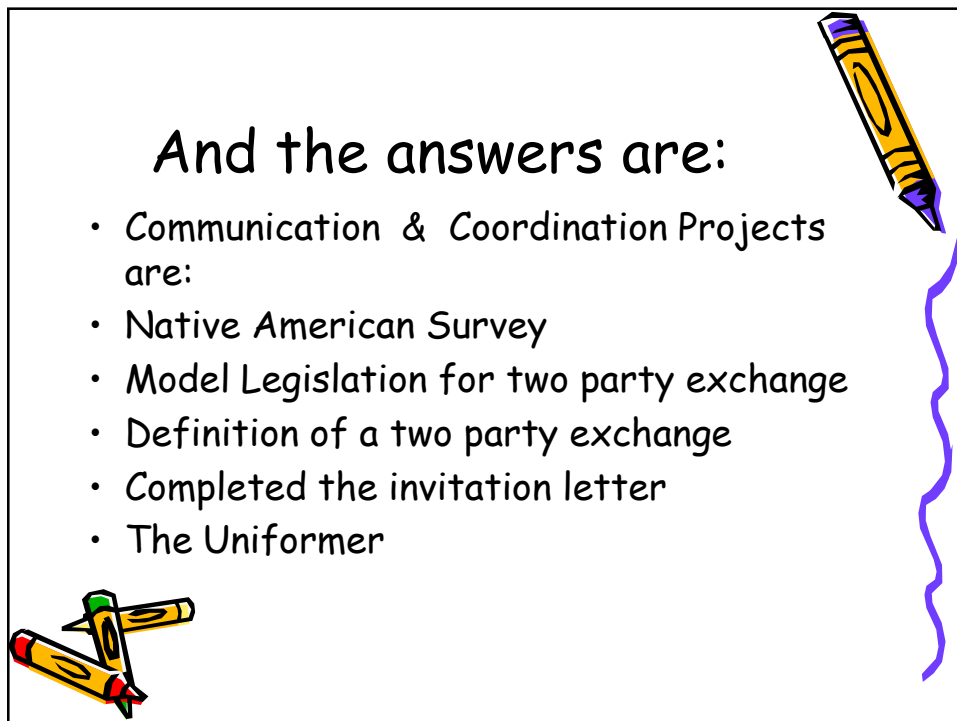


**Electronic Commerce**

What is the primary function of this committee?

**And the answers are:**

- Communication & Coordination Projects are:
- Native American Survey
- Model Legislation for two party exchange
- Definition of a two party exchange
- Completed the invitation letter
- The Uniformer



## And the answers are:

- Compliance working on:
- Training Classes
- Ethanol Issues
- Bio Diesel Issues
- Movement of fuel by barge and rail



## And the answers are:

- Forms Management responsible for:
- Reviewing Uniform Forms
- Product Codes
- Issuance of Schedules



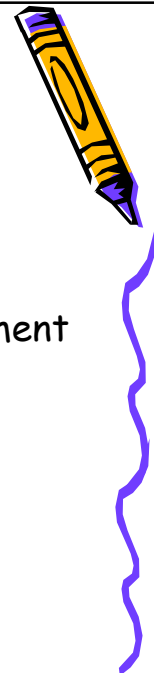
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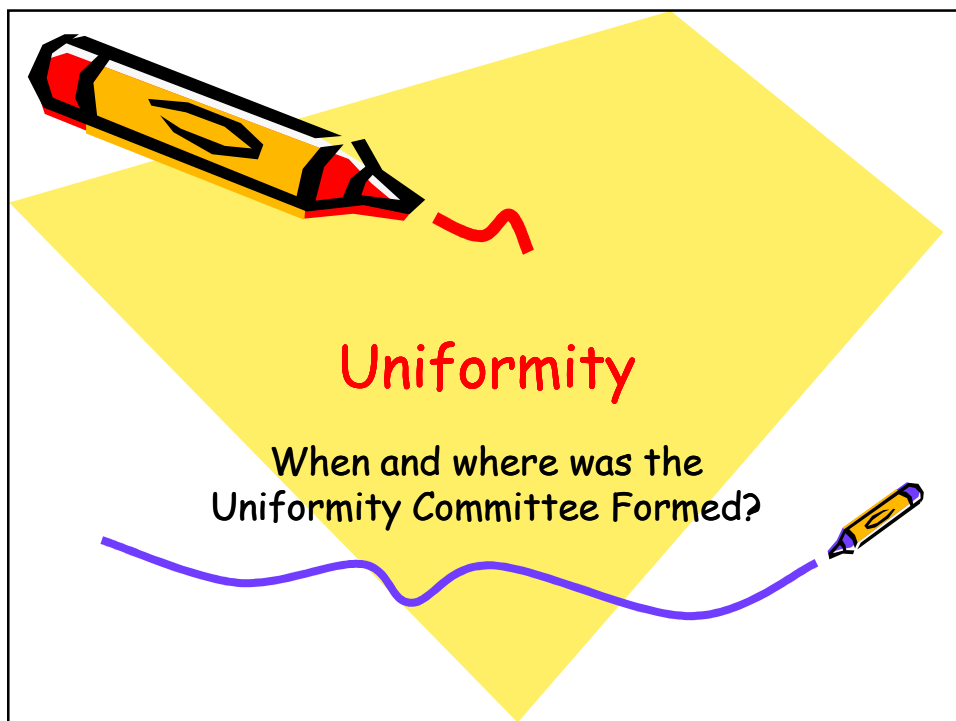
- E-Commerce Primary Functions:
- Annual EDI / EC Survey of States
- XML Schema
- Exstars user Groups
- EDI Implementation Guide



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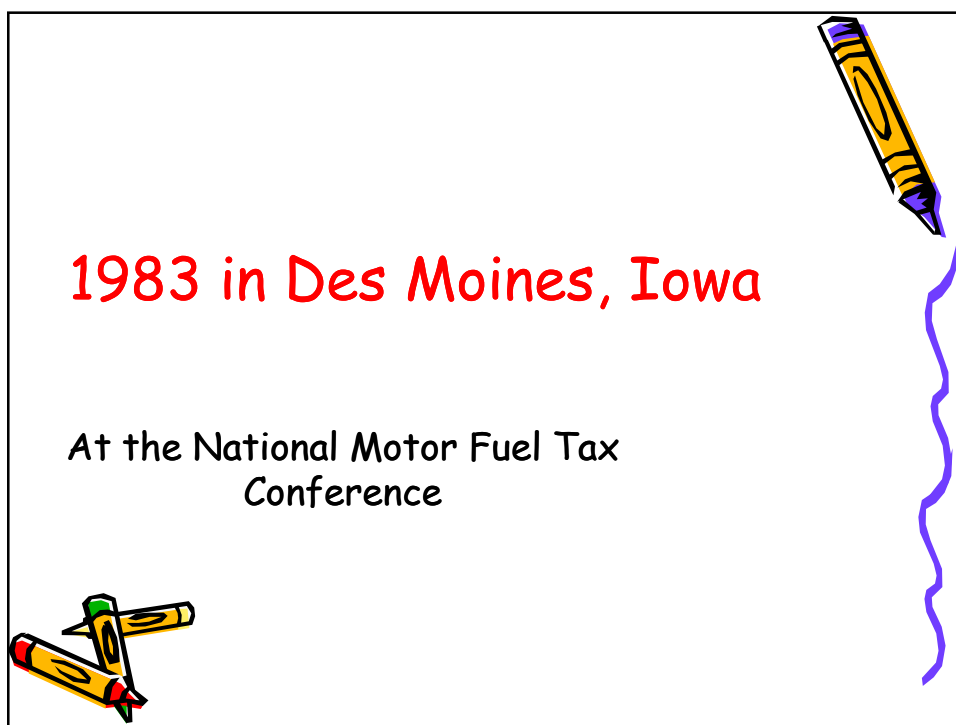
- FTA
- Compliance
- Uniformity
- Forms Management
- Communication and Coordination
- Electronic Commerce





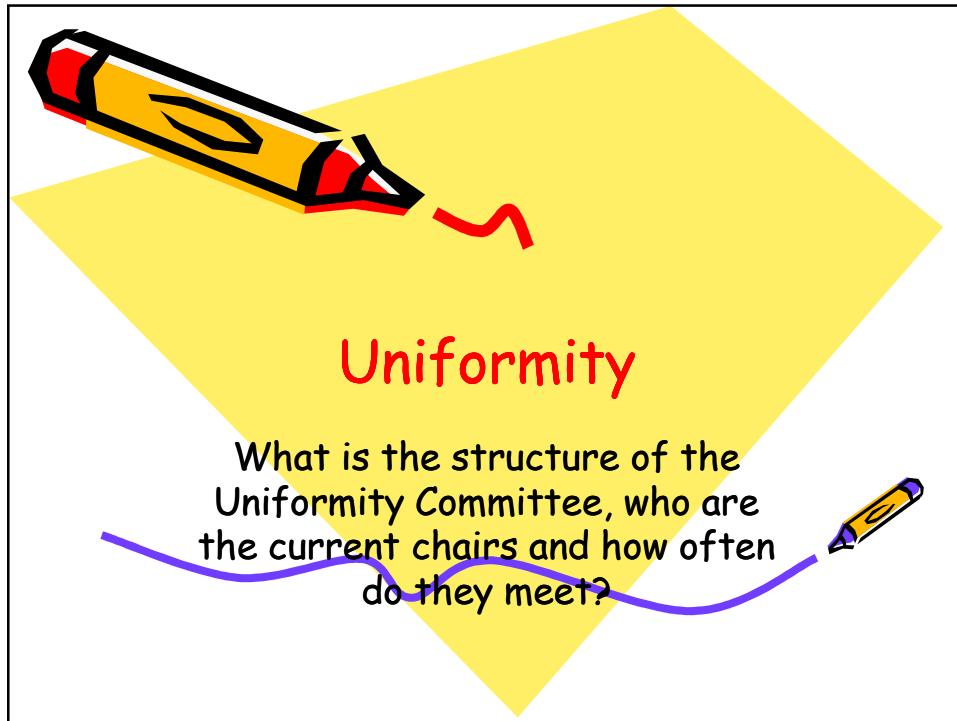
**Uniformity**

When and where was the  
Uniformity Committee Formed?



**1983 in Des Moines, Iowa**

At the National Motor Fuel Tax  
Conference




**Uniformity**

What is the structure of the Uniformity Committee, who are the current chairs and how often do they meet?

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**Communication & Coordination**

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**Compliance**

**State Co-Chair – Wilda Ice**  
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**Industry Co-Chair – Sharon Templin**  
**Shell Oil**



## **Forms Management**

**State Co-Chair – Lee Gonzales  
Florida**

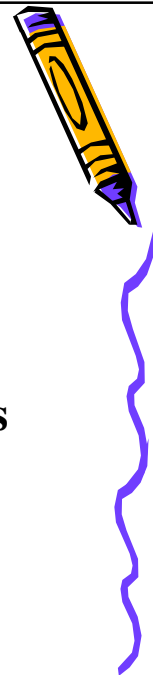
**Industry Co-Chair – Brian Serafino  
ChevronTexaco**



## **E-Commerce**

**State Co-Chair – Traci Bullock  
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**Industry C-Chair – Gene Holland  
ConocoPhillips**



**The Uniformity Committee and sub-committees meet three times a year.**

**Schedule**

**May 29 & 30, 2009 – Dana Point, CA**

**September 18 & 19, 2009, Oklahoma City, OK.**

**January 13 & 14, 2010 in Austin, TX**



When uniformity was created how many sub committees were there?

What were they named?



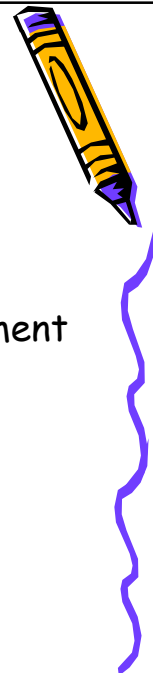
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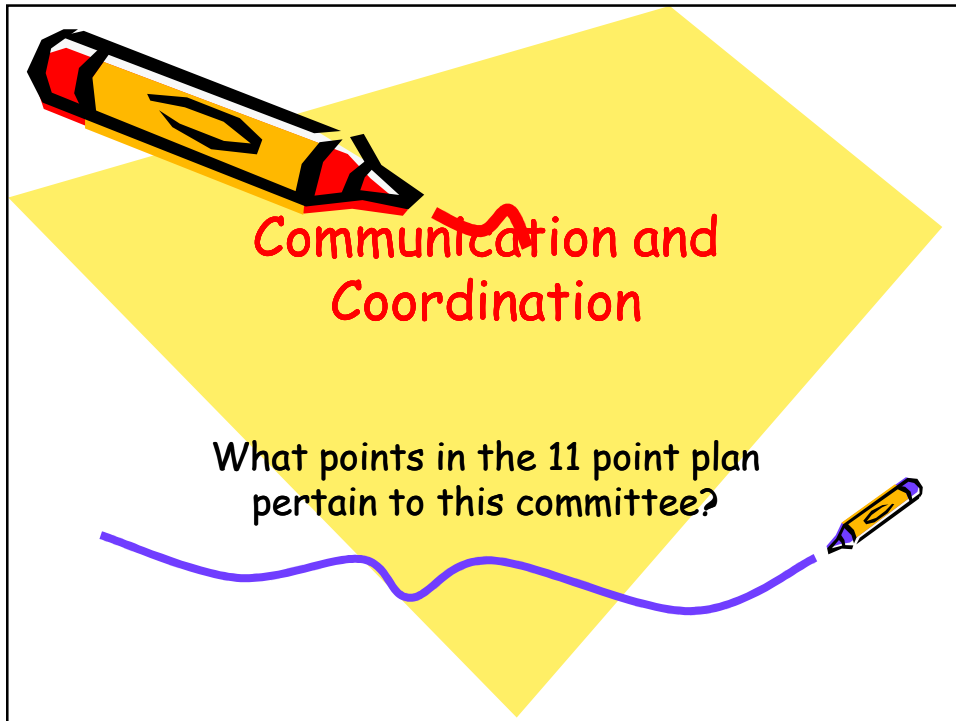
- Advisory
- E-Commerce
- Forms (Fuel Accountability)
- Enforcement (Compliance)
- Model Legislation
- Information Sharing (Communication)



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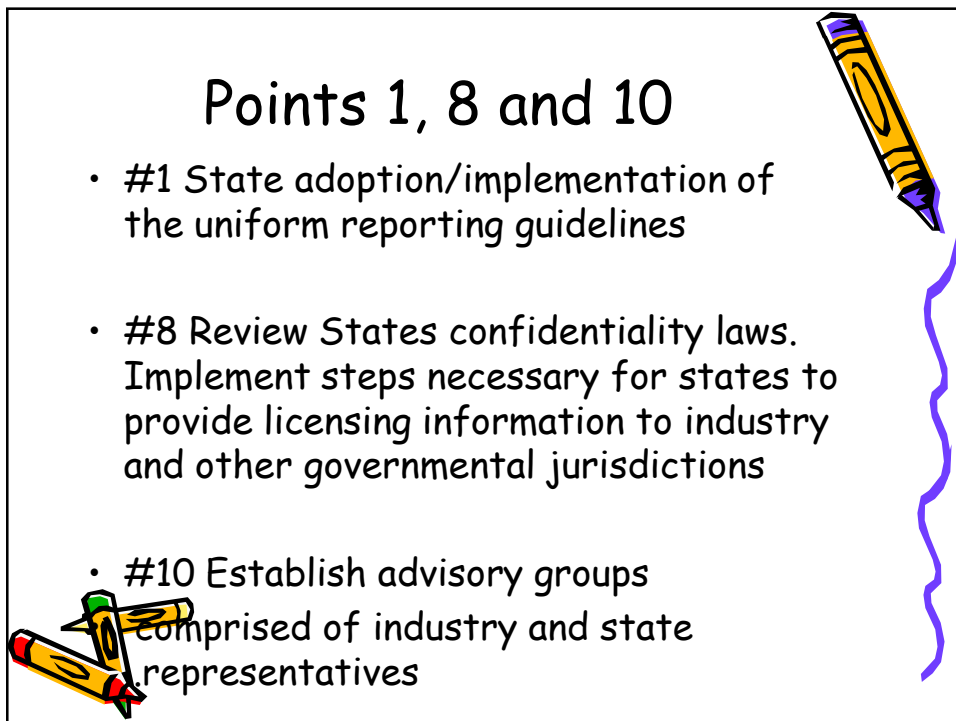
- FTA
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**Communication and Coordination**

What points in the 11 point plan pertain to this committee?



**Points 1, 8 and 10**

- #1 State adoption/implementation of the uniform reporting guidelines
- #8 Review States confidentiality laws. Implement steps necessary for states to provide licensing information to industry and other governmental jurisdictions
- #10 Establish advisory groups comprised of industry and state representatives



**What is our newsletter  
titled ?**

What committee is responsible for  
it?



**The Uniformer**

**Communication and Coordination**



## Are you Smarter than the Steering Committee?

- FTA
- Compliance
- Forms Management
- Electronic Commerce



**Compliance**

What points in the 11 point plan pertain to this committee?

## Point 7 and 11

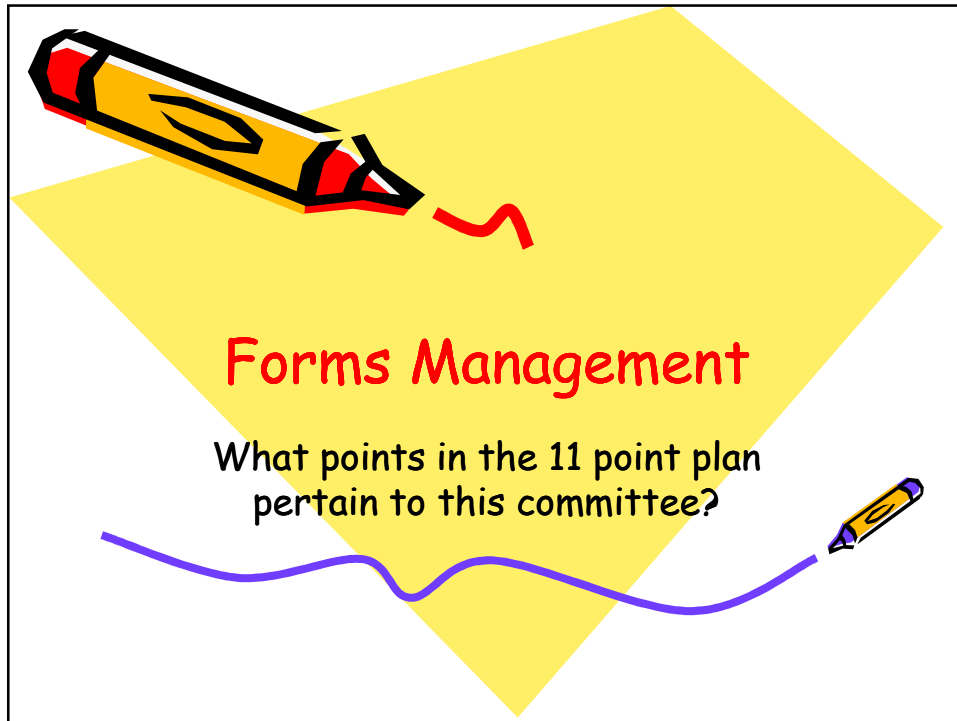
- Regional workshops for auditing and investigative techniques to identify tax evasion
- Encourage States to establish and adequately maintain a compliance staff dedicated to fuel tax enforcement



## Are you Smarter than the Steering Committee?

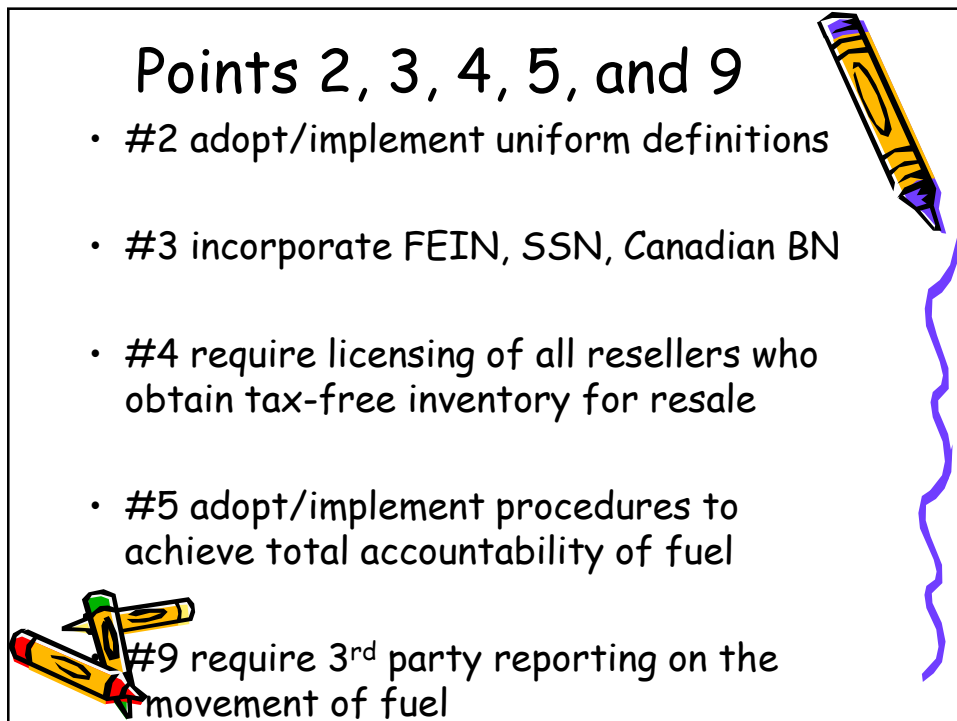
- FTA
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  - Form Management





## Forms Management

What points in the 11 point plan pertain to this committee?



## Points 2, 3, 4, 5, and 9

- #2 adopt/implement uniform definitions
- #3 incorporate FEIN, SSN, Canadian BN
- #4 require licensing of all resellers who obtain tax-free inventory for resale
- #5 adopt/implement procedures to achieve total accountability of fuel
- #9 require 3<sup>rd</sup> party reporting on the movement of fuel

## Are you Smarter than the Steering Committee?

- FTA
- E - Commerce



## Electronic Commerce

What points in the 11 point plan  
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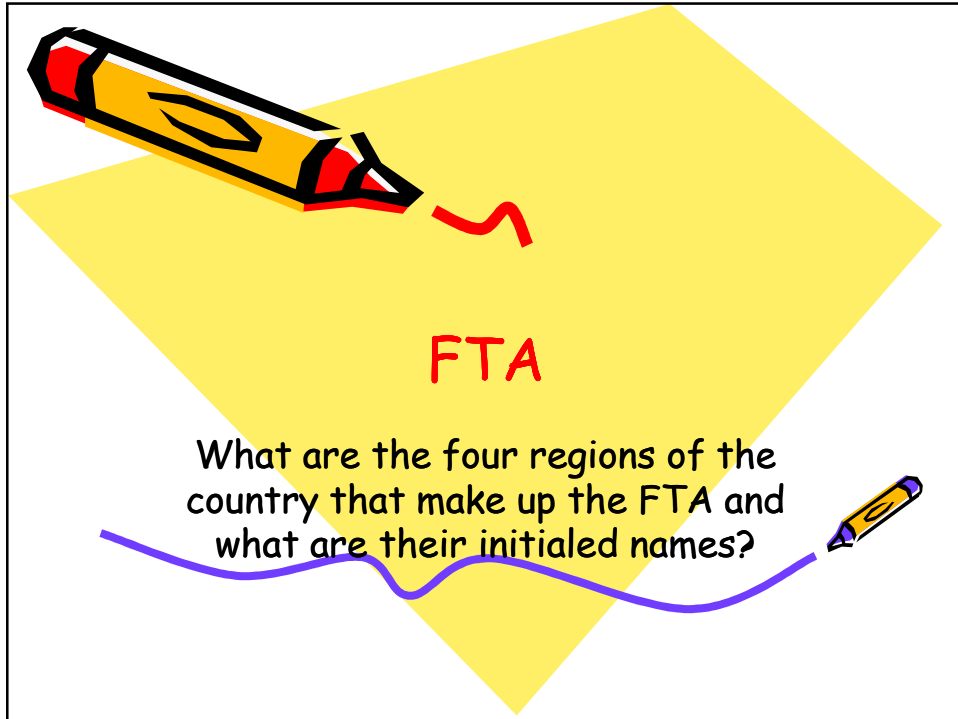
## Point 6

- Allow for uniform electronic reporting systems by adopting the FTA Motor Fuel Electronic Commerce Committee standards for all electronic data exchange  
"Substantially Compliant" State implementation guides

 Mapping/mapping from paper to EDI  
all returns/reports

## Are you Smarter than the Steering Committee?

- FTA



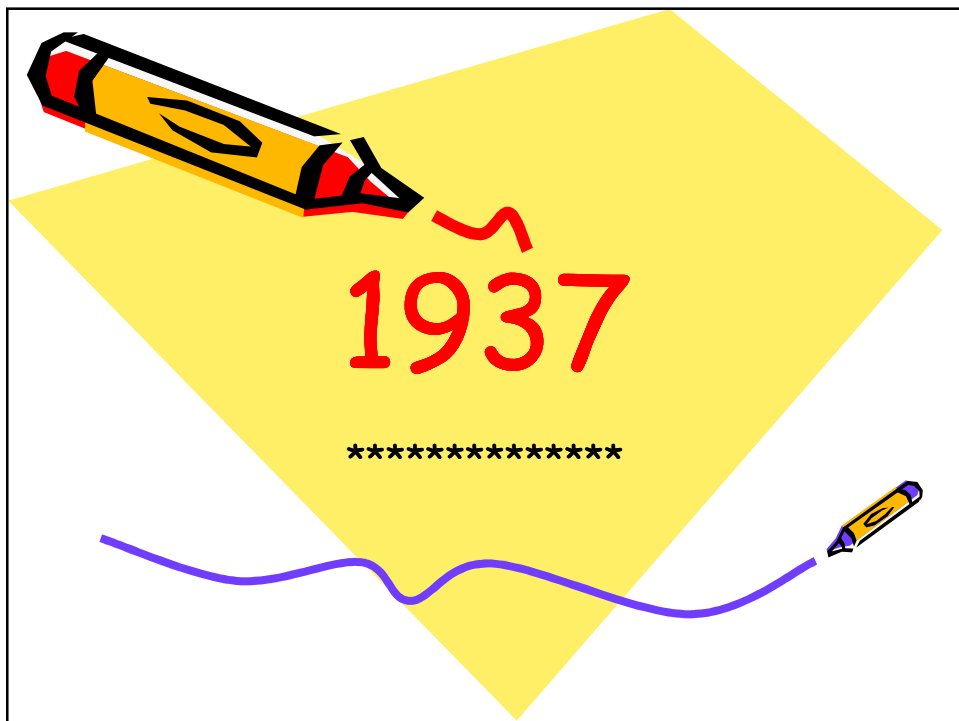
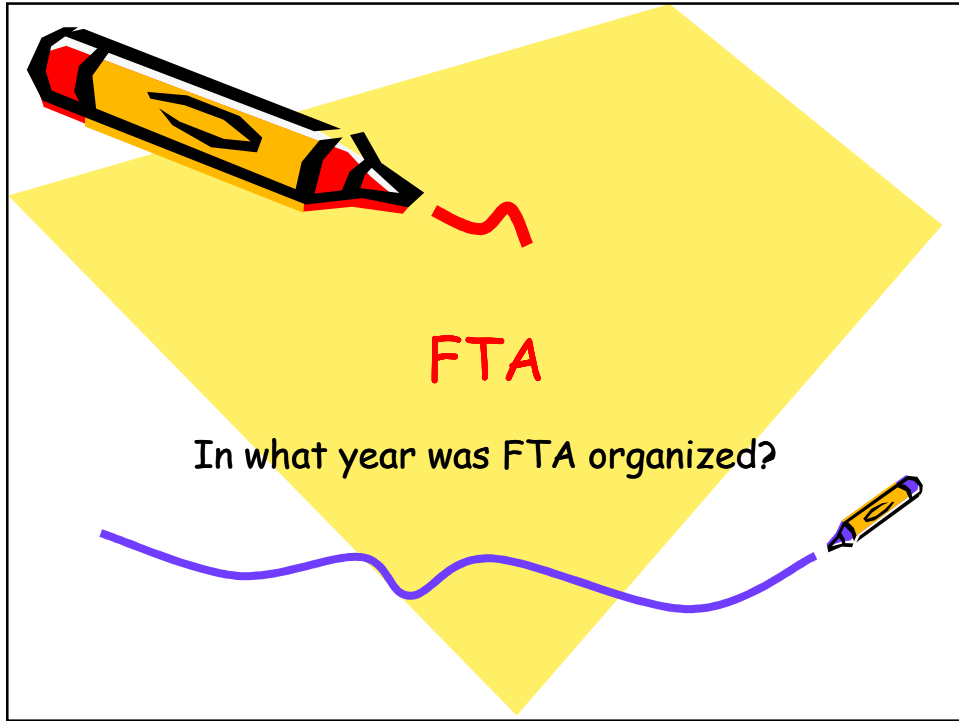
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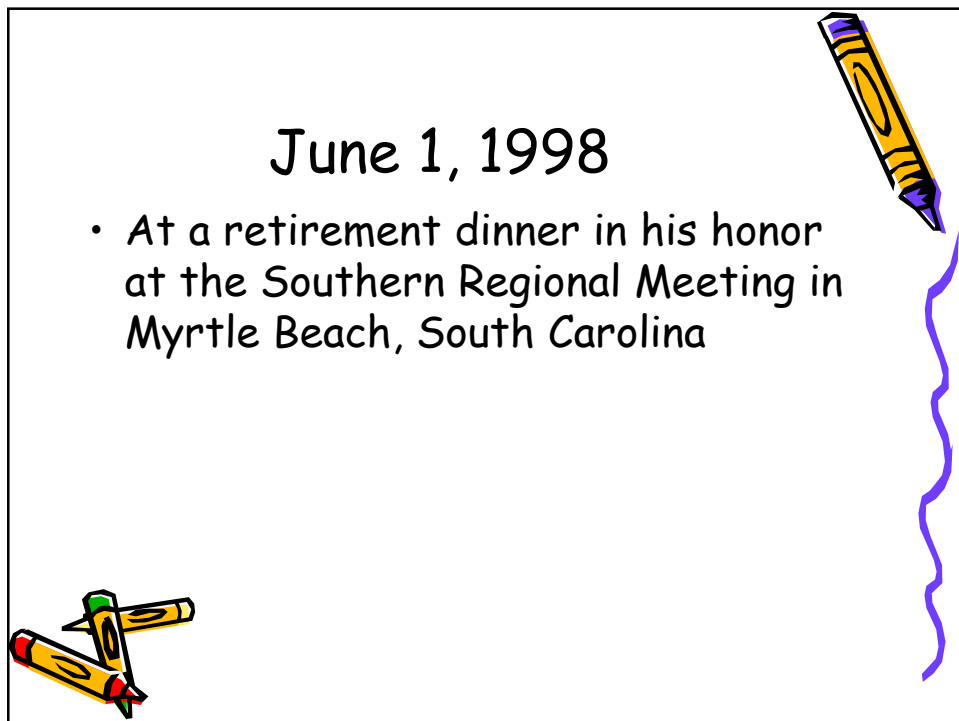
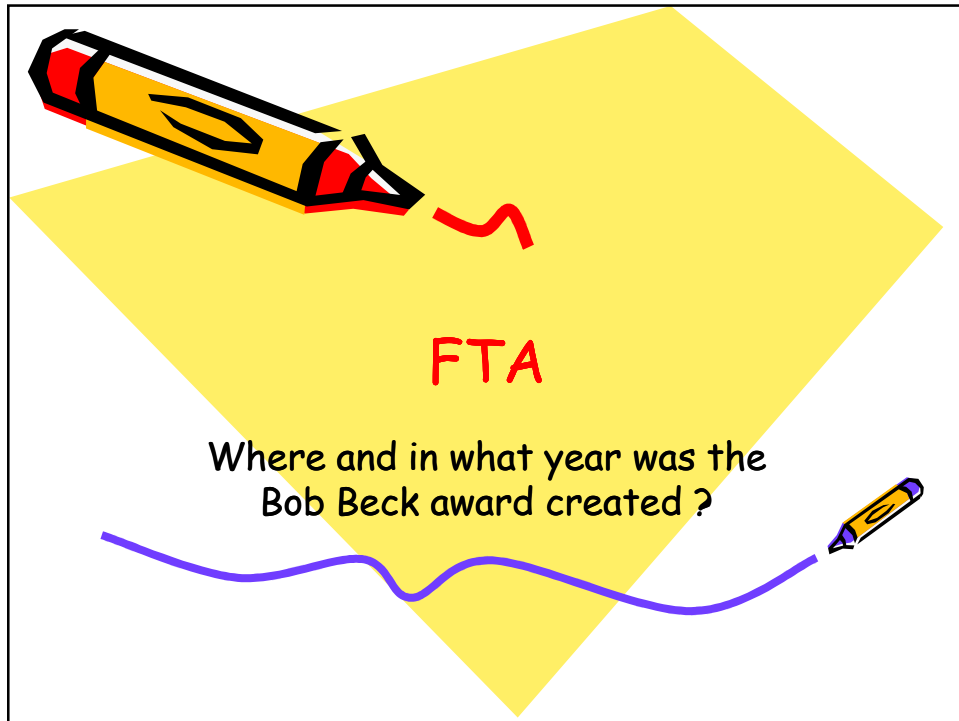
What are the four regions of the country that make up the FTA and what are their initialed names?

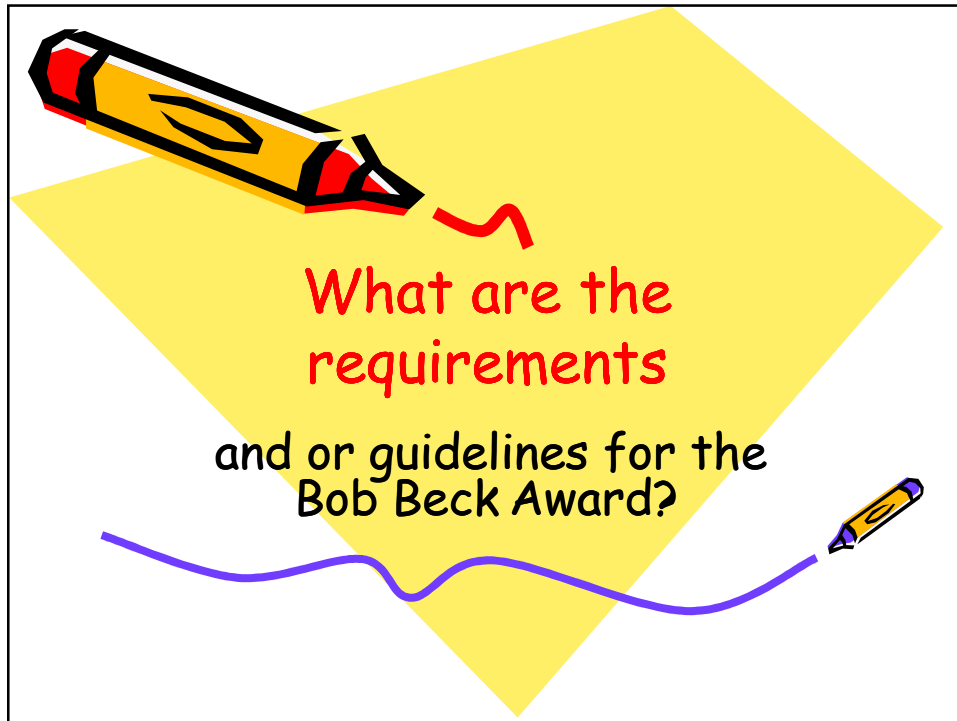
The 4 Regions are:

- The Northeast (NESTOA)
- The Southern (SEATA)
- The Pacific (WSATA)
- The Midwestern (MSATA)

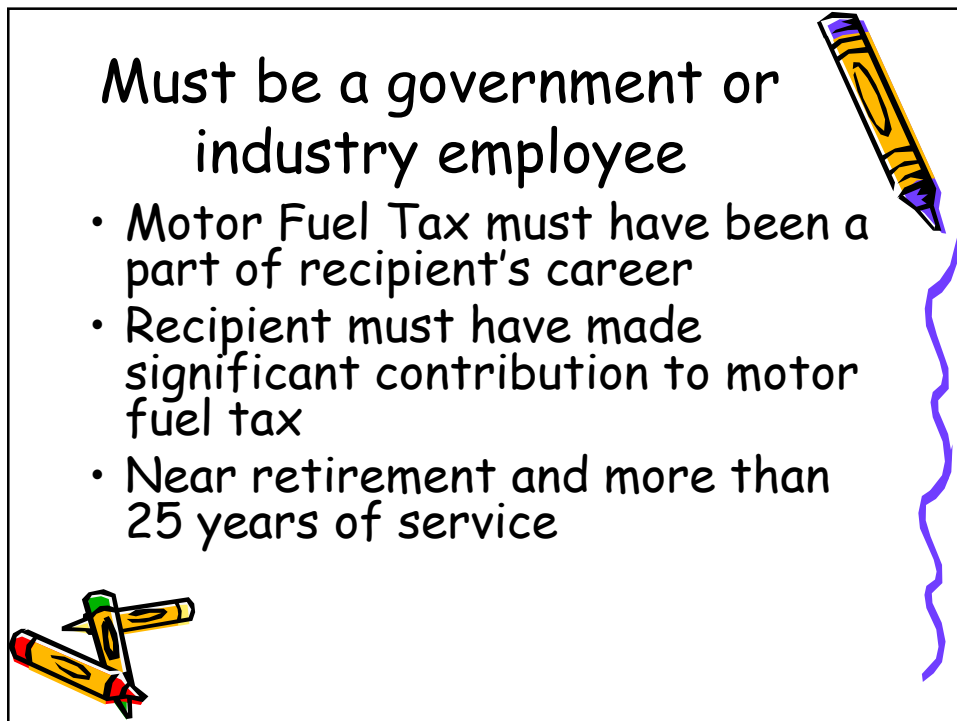






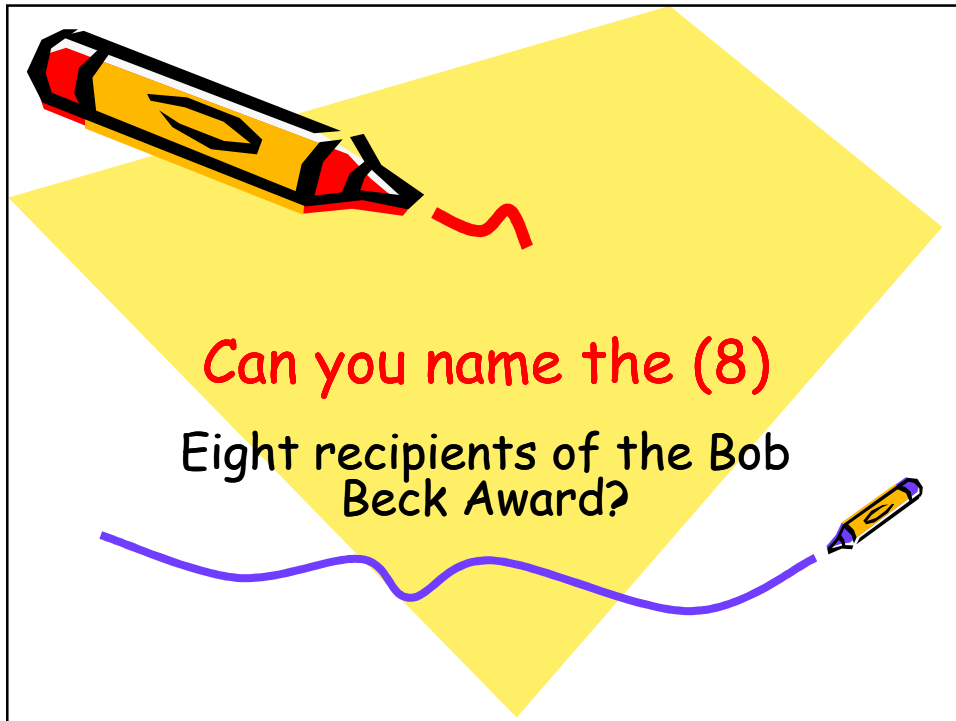


What are the requirements  
and or guidelines for the  
Bob Beck Award?



Must be a government or  
industry employee

- Motor Fuel Tax must have been a part of recipient's career
- Recipient must have made significant contribution to motor fuel tax
- Near retirement and more than 25 years of service



Can you name the (8)  
Eight recipients of the Bob  
Beck Award?



### Robert E. Beck (NC)

- Donald Paswater (MD)
- Ronald Miller (Marathon Ashland LLC)
- Eddie McCormack (TN)
- Dave Skinner (FLA)
- Michael Robb (WY)
- Mary Tamplin-Collier (GA)
- Robert Crawford (MD)
- Janet Lake (NE)

