

Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnerships Phase I Review Meeting



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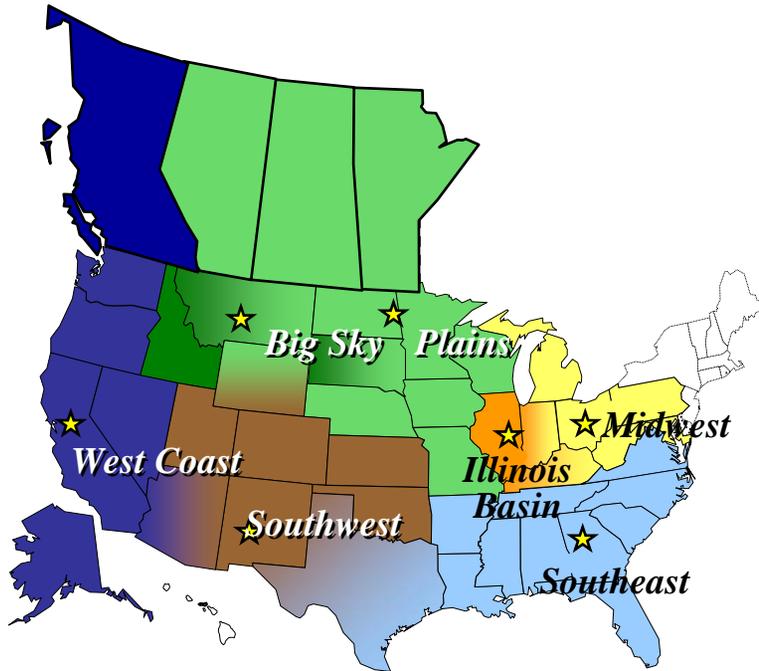
Infrastructure Development

Consists of facilities, capabilities, regulatory frameworks, and other assets peripheral to the core sequestration technology but needed for commercial success.

“Partnerships themselves are infrastructure, coalitions of professionals and companies, predominantly local to their regions, that will serve as a core driving force and advocacy group for future carbon sequestration projects.”



Cornerstone



One of the cornerstones of our carbon sequestration program, a national network of regional partnerships, will continue its important work in FY 2006. This Secretarial initiative has brought together the federal government, state agencies, universities, and private industry to determine which options for capturing and storing greenhouse gases are most practical for specific areas of the country.

Mark Maddox
Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for
Fossil Energy
March 16, 2005



Transitioning into Phase II

Announcement of Phase II Selections

By moving carbon sequestration technology from the laboratory to the field...we are another step closer to significantly reducing greenhouse gas emissions while maintaining the important role coal plays in America's energy mix.

Samuel W. Bodman
Secretary of Energy
June 9, 2005

