

U.S. Department of the Interior – Office of the Secretary

Event Proposal Information Form

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Specific Request to the Secretary: Speaking request for the Secretary to provide keynote address to attendees at the annual meeting of the Texas Oil & Gas Association.

Title of the Event: Texas Oil & Gas Association Lone Star *Energy* Forum

Date of Event: Friday, October 20, 2017

We would also like to invite Secretary Zinke to attend our Distinguished Service Awards Reception & Dinner on October 19, 2017 from 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm at the Woodlands Resort & Conference Center if he plans to overnight the evening before.

Location: The Woodlands Resort & Conference Center, 2301 North Millbend Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77380

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Briefly describe the event in detail, and the desired outcome of the Secretary's participation:

TXOGA's annual Lone Star *Energy* Forum brings in industry leadership and employees to share and hear latest economic, legislative, market and political perspective on the oil & gas industry.

We have time available on Friday, October 20, 2017 from 8:00 am -2:30 pm, but our preference is for Secretary Zinke to be our Keynote Lunch speaker from 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm (30-40 minutes remarks with 10 min Q&A).

Audience (expected attendance and makeup of the attendees):

Approximately 250+ employees and supporters of the oil & gas industry

VIPs invited or known to be attending:

A significant portion of the TXOGA Board of Directors will be in attendance (current roster attached)

Tim Leach: Chairman and CEO of Concho Resources-Confirmed

Chancellor Kent Hance, Former Congressman, Former Texas Railroad Commissioner, Former Chancellor of Texas Tech University System-Confirmed

A.J. Teague: CEO of Enterprise Products Partners-Confirmed

Timothy L. Dove: President and CEO of Pioneer Natural Resources-Confirmed

Several Texas State Representatives and Texas State Senators will be invited.

Remarks (if applicable)

Desired length of time for remarks:

The keynote lunch will be from 12:00 pm- 1:00 pm. Secretary Zinke could speak for around 30-40 minutes during this time with Q&A.

Are there any particular individuals, groups or activities you would like the Secretary to recognize in his remarks?

None at this time.

Are there any specific comments you would like the Secretary to make?

We would be interested to hear from the Secretary about efforts by the Trump Administration and the Department of the Interior efforts to make the U.S. "energy dominant".

What is the desired format of his remarks (will he be sharing the stage, a panel, etc)?

Non-shared stage Podium with mic and/or handheld mic.

Communications

Is the event open to press? If yes, are you expecting local, trade, state, or national news coverage? If this is an annual event, which news outlets typically cover the event?

Yes, typically the Houston Chronicle covers the event and some trade press.

For remarks and press (if applicable), please check all that apply:

- ☐ **Podium available YES**
- ☐ **Microphone available YES**

Is there social media information for the event (hashtags, handles)?

Yes, @TXOGA is our twitter handle and #LoneStarEnergyForum is the hashtag.

Logistics/Other

Please supply all pertinent background information for the event (draft agendas, existing websites, confirmed and invited speaker etc.):

Basic agenda outline for the 2017 TXOGA Lone Star Energy Forum (times subject to change):

Thursday, October 19th

8:00am – 1:00pm	Golf Tournament – Panther Trail Golf Course at The Woodlands Resort
4:30pm	TXOGA Board of Directors Meeting
6:00pm	Distinguished Service Awards Reception
7:00pm	Distinguished Service Awards Dinner (featuring remarks by The Honorable Kent Hance)

Friday, October 20th

7:30am – 2:30pm	Lone Star Energy Forum Program
-	Legislative Panel
-	Panel on Technology and Innovation
-	Remarks by Pioneer Natural Resources President & CEO Tim Dove
-	Remarks by Enterprise Products Partners CEO A. J. Teague

www.txoga.org/lonestarenergyforum

Invited Speakers:

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Chancellor Kent Hance, Former Congressman, Former Texas Railroad Commissioner, Former Chancellor of Texas Tech University System-Confirmed

A.J. Teague: CEO of Enterprise Products Partners-Confirmed

Timothy L. Dove: President and CEO of Pioneer Natural Resources-Confirmed

Administrator Scott Pruitt: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency-Invited

Senator Ted Cruz: U.S. Senate, Texas-Invited

Congressman Kevin Brady: U.S. House of Representatives, Texas, District 8-Invited

Dr. Ken Morgan: Director of the Energy Institute for Texas Christian University-Invited

Khalid A. Al-Falih, Saudi Arabia Minister of Energy / Chairman of Saudi Aramco-Invited

Nolan and Reid Ryan: The Houston Astros Organization-Invited

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What is the attire of the event (business, casual)?

Business

If the Secretary is not able to attend, is a surrogate desired? If yes, who specifically?

No, thank you.

Any additional notes or information?