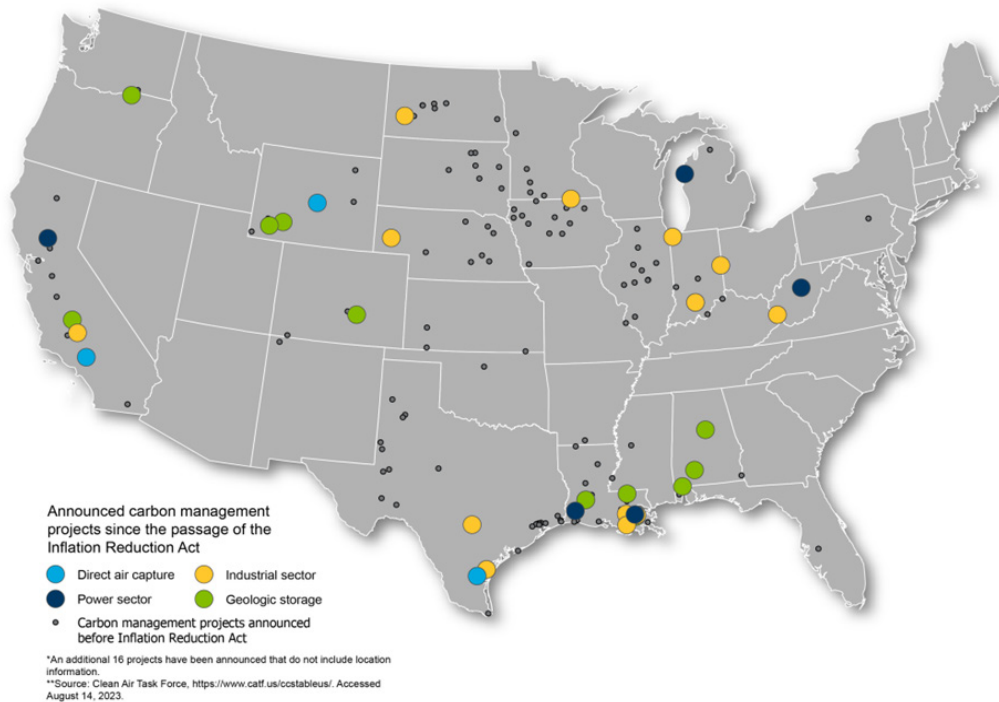


2023 Accomplishments, Impacts, And Goals

In 2023 the Coalition has continued to grow our impact, work, and staff to reflect the diverse and rapidly changing industries and stakeholders that make up the carbon management sector. The foundation of the Coalition's work is our joint advocacy, convening and education on the critical role that economywide adoption of carbon management technologies must play in meeting net-zero emissions, strengthening and decarbonizing domestic industrial production and manufacturing, and retaining and expanding a high wage jobs base. In 2023, this work continued alongside significant new work on tax, regulatory matters, and congressional affairs.



“A huge thank you that we did this [Inflation Reduction Act] while keeping a united front, and especially for this Coalition in particular, making sure that industry, and labor, and nonprofit partners were all part of the same team and having real candid conversations, and true partnership.” – U.S. Department of Energy Deputy Secretary David Turk

2023 POLICY BLUEPRINT & CONGRESSIONAL EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

Building off the historic policy support for carbon management enacted in the previous Congress, the Coalition released its landmark, consensus-based [2023 Federal Policy Blueprint](#). The blueprint outlines a roadmap of essential policy, regulatory, and implementation-related activities for Congress and the administration to consider as they support the scale-up of the carbon management industry.

In the spring, the Coalition hosted its first-ever Capitol Hill fly-in, which officially launched our Congressional Education Campaign. Coalition staff and member organizations met with staff from across the political spectrum on the essential role carbon management will play in meeting shared objectives, and outlined Coalition [top priorities](#) for the 118th Congress.

COALITION COMMUNICATIONS & EARNED MEDIA

Issued 22 media statements on Coalition priorities

Hosted three media briefings attracting nearly 60 reporters

Grew the Coalition's social media presence

Secured coverage in a range of national and trade publications

Targeted messaging and talking points for members

Expanded relationships with new reporters

LEGISLATIVE, REGULATORY AND IMPLEMENTATION MILESTONES

2023 has seen significant activities from the Coalition on the legislative, implementation, tax, and regulatory front, building on the historic slate of enacted laws in the 117th Congress. Significant activities this year include:

Legislation:

- **Permitting:** Convened conversations over the course of 2023 to formulate a set of [guiding principles](#) for Congress to consider to catalyze the deployment of carbon management projects in a responsible, efficient and effective manner.
- **CCU Parity Act:** Supported the introduction of the bipartisan, bicameral [Captured Carbon Utilization Parity Act](#) (S.542/H.R.1262), which addresses a key gap in tax-based carbon management policy for carbon reuse projects. In the fall, the Coalition worked with member organizations to organize a CCU Parity Act advocacy day.
- **Appropriations:** Submitted FY24 appropriations requests for increased topline funding for the office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management (FECM), along with subsequent report language to increase funding for targeted Coalition priorities.
- **Congressional Education Campaign:** Executed a robust congressional education campaign to broaden the bench of bipartisan supportive offices.

DOE Requests for Information:

- Responded to the Department of Energy's proposed [Responsible Carbon Management Deployment Initiative](#).

Workgroups:

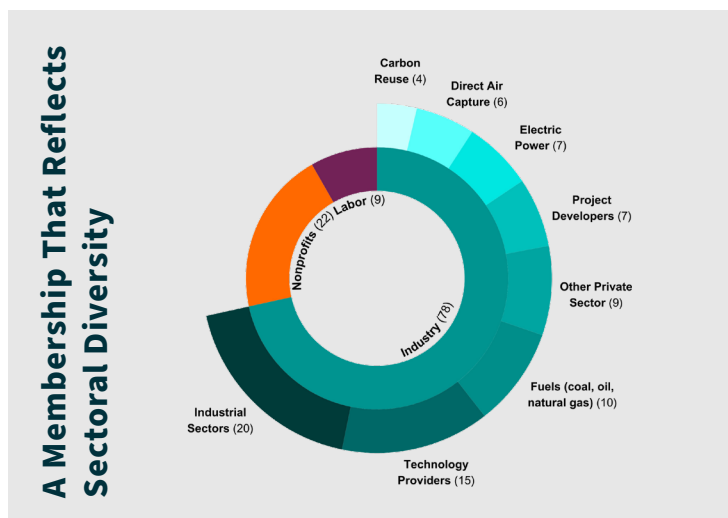
- The Coalition formed a new carbon reuse workgroup.

Tax:

- Submitted comments to [Treasury and IRS on implementing the recent 45Q enhancements](#).
- Submitted comments to [IRS proposed guidance on direct pay and transferability](#).

EPA Regulations:

- Submitted comments to EPA on the [proposed rule](#) regulating greenhouse gas emissions from new and existing fossil fuel-fired electric generating units.



Looking forward, the Coalition plans to make progress on several legislative, regulatory and tax priorities, including:



Indexing 45Q for inflation sooner than the statute allows,



Creating parity between carbon utilization credit levels and those associated with geologic storage through the enactment of the CCU Parity Act of 2023,



Providing clarity for CO₂ storage projects on federal lands and in the outer continental shelf, and;



Ensuring the proper framework for the continued safe permitting and citing CO₂ transport and storage.

These priorities are in addition to our foundational joint advocacy, convening and education work, which is even more important given the unprecedented interest in carbon management from project developers, policymakers and the public.

COALITION STAFF & CONSULTANTS

Coalition staff continues to grow and 2023 has been marked by several exciting hires and promotions. The Coalition is now fully staffed, with five full-time employees and a number of consultants:

- Patrice Lahlum, Interim Vice President of Carbon Management, Great Plains Institute
- Jessie Stolark, Executive Director, Carbon Capture Coalition
- Madelyn Morrison, Director of Government Affairs, Carbon Capture Coalition
- Christian Flinn, Public Policy Manager, Carbon Capture Coalition
- Leo Duke, Communications & Member Relations Specialist, Carbon Capture Coalition
- Sangeet Nepal, Carbon Removal & Reuse Specialist, Carbon Capture Coalition
- Ben Finzel, Coalition Communications Consultant, RENEWPR
- MJ Kenny, Coalition Government Relations Consultant, KDCR Partners
- Hunter Johnston, Coalition Tax Consultant, Steptoe & Johnson LLP