



**Workshop on Integrity
Assessment of Pipeline Inside
Casings
NAPSR Remarks**

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National Association of Pipeline Safety Representatives

- An association of 52 State pipeline safety agencies (2 agencies cover liquids only)
- Covers all states except AK and HI
- States have over 325 qualified inspectors
- Inspecting 78% of 2.3 million miles of pipelines
- Average 5,500 miles / inspector
- Also inspect pipelines as interstate agents



Our Goal

To strengthen states' pipeline safety programs through promotion of improved pipeline safety standards, education, training, and technology.

Applies to pipelines inside casings

- Improved pipeline safety standards – self-explanatory
- Education – The present workshop, FAQs
- Training – The present workshop, training of attendees
- Technology – New ways for assessing segments of cased pipe and of ensuring their integrity



Path Forward for NAPSIR Members

- **NAPSIR subscribes to risk-based, data driven approaches that make sense**
- **Work with operators to identify cased pipeline segments and ensure proper assessment**
- **Different conditions in the states may give rise to differences in compliance approaches**
- **State inspectors will need training**

