

# Standards Committee Nomination Form

2012-2013 Term

The [Standards Committee](#) (SC) has two representatives from each of the ten industry segments. (If the regular election of Standards Committee members does not result in at least two Canadian members being elected, the Canadian nominees receiving the next highest percentage of votes within their respective Segment(s) will be designated as members, as needed to achieve a total of two Canadian members.) The SC representatives are elected by the segment they represent. The SC reports to the NERC Board of Trustees and oversees the development of NERC Reliability Standards by performing the following tasks governed by the [Standard Processes Manual](#) and the [Standards Committee Charter](#):

- Manages standard development
- Manages the standards process
- Reviews the effectiveness of the balloting process
- Coordinates with the compliance program
- Coordinates with NAESB
- Coordinates with the NERC Board of Trustees, regulators and industry groups, and stakeholders

Any person may nominate any other person to serve on the SC, with the limitation that the nominee must be employed by or an agent of an entity that is registered in that segment of the [Registered Ballot Body](#). The nominee is not required to be the RBB representative from that organization.

Nominations will be accepted for all positions listed below. Please note that Segment 10 has a separate procedure for election of representatives to the SC. Election of representatives for all other segments is governed by the default [Election of Members of the NERC Standards Committee Procedure](#).

You may use this form to nominate candidates for any of the nine segments that use the default SC election procedure. You may submit more than one nomination. Please, however, use one form per nomination. You are welcome to nominate yourself.

Which Industry Segment will this candidate represent? (Check one.)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 1	Transmission Owners
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 2	Regional Transmission Organizations and Independent System Operators
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 3	Load-serving Entities
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Segment 4	Transmission-dependent Utilities
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 5	Electric Generators

<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 6	Electricity Brokers, Aggregators, and Marketers
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 7	Large Electricity End Users
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 8	Small Electricity End Users
<input type="checkbox"/>	Segment 9	Federal, State, and Provincial Regulatory or other Government Entities

Nominee's name and contact information.	
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Has the nominee been contacted to verify willingness to serve on the SC?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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Person making this nomination (if different from nominee).	
Name	Self
Organization	
Telephone	
E-mail	

Please provide a brief summary of the nominee's qualifications for this SC position. (The summary should be no longer than a single page of single-spaced text.)

Allen Mosher is Senior Director of Policy Analysis and Reliability for the American Public Power Association, where he guides development of APPA's position on electric policy issues raised before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation, and the North American Energy Standards Board's Wholesale Electric Quadrant. Mr. Mosher is Chairman of the NERC Standards Committee representing Transmission Dependent Utilities (Segment 4), an observer on the NERC Member Representatives Committees, Chair of the NERC Adequate Level of Reliability Task Force, and a member of NAESB. He previously served as Vice Chair of the Standards Committee.

Mr. Mosher has testified before the Senate Energy Committee of the United States Congress and before the FERC on a variety of issues related to the industry's transition to mandatory,

enforceable electric reliability standards. In May 2009, he testified before the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee on FERC's request for additional statutory authority over electric industry cyber-security. On July 6 2010, he was a panelist at the Commission's "Reliability Summit," testifying on behalf of APPA and the NERC Standards Committee. He has also testified before the FERC on issues concerning transmission access, market power, ancillary services and RTO formation.

Before joining APPA in July 1998, Mr. Mosher was a policy analyst with the FERC. He participated in Commission electric restructuring policy development in both an advisory capacity and as a staff witness in litigated proceedings. Mr. Mosher holds the Master of Public Policy degree from the University of California at Berkeley and was a post-graduate fellow in the Berkeley Professional Studies Program in India, where he performed research on the reliability of the Indian electricity sector. He is an honors graduate of the University of Kansas and a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

APPA is the trade association representing the interests of the nation's 2,000 state, municipal and locally-owned electric utilities. Public power systems serve more than 45 million Americans, meeting about fifteen percent of the nation's ultimate customer electric energy requirements. APPA's purpose is to advance the public policy interests of its members and their consumers, and provide member services to ensure adequate, reliable electricity at a reasonable price with the proper protection of the environment.

Please complete this form no later than November 1, 2011 and send to Monica Benson at [monica.benson@nerc.net](mailto:monica.benson@nerc.net).