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## Energy Infrastructure: A Bipartisan Win, Win

Dear Kevin,

In the wake of a bruising and contentious midterm season—and with control of Congress now split between the parties — Americans on both sides of the political divide are wondering whether Washington can find anything to agree on in the year ahead. Our view? Sure, it can.

API and NABTU's [combined advocacy experiences](#) demonstrate that when organizations inside the Beltway work together, there are always issues on which bipartisan consensus can be found and coalitions formed. We believe public infrastructure investment to deliver America's energy is one of those issues.

With a bipartisan commitment to strengthening our nation's infrastructure, Washington can make our roads, bridges and drinking water safe; it can create jobs for the safest and most highly-trained workforce in the country, and it can ensure that American energy continues to reach the consumers who rely on it every day.

[Read my joint op-ed](#) with North American Building Trades Union President Sean McGarvey to learn more about the multi-industry benefits of energy infrastructure investment.

Sincerely,

**Mike Sommers**  
President and CEO  
API

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