



**Scott Suder**  
**President – Wisconsin Paper Council**



**Biography**

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Scott Suder is the President of the Wisconsin Paper Council. As President of the Wisconsin Paper Council (WPC), Scott directs all legislative, regulatory, media, political and member relations strategies. Scott is the primary representative for the statewide trade association in all internal and external matters. In this leadership role he supervises the entire WPC team.

Prior to joining the WPC as its President, Scott served as the Manager for State Government and Stakeholder Relations, U.S. Public Affairs for Enbridge Energy. In this role, Scott helped direct multi-state government relations strategies as well as lobbying activities on the state and federal levels for this multinational energy company. He was responsible for state government relations for Wisconsin, Minnesota, North Dakota, Wyoming and Montana. Scott was instrumental in directing a successful government relations strategy which resulted in approval of Enbridge's largest pipeline infrastructure project in Minnesota and Wisconsin known as Line 3.

Previous to that role, Scott held the position of Vice-President for Government Relations for the Wisconsin Paper Council where he lobbied for the paper industry on forestry, rail, environmental, regulatory, and energy issues. Scott also served as the Director of the Wisconsin Paper Council's Political Action Committee.

Prior to joining the WI Paper Council Trade Association, Scott served for 14 years as a State Legislator representing the 69<sup>th</sup> Assembly District in the Wisconsin State Legislature. During his tenure as a State Representative, Scott served in several leadership posts including as Minority Caucus Chairman from 2008-2010 and was elected by his legislative colleagues to serve in the position of Majority Leader from 2010-2013.

Scott Suder was born and raised on the family dairy farm in Clark County, Wisconsin. He graduated from the University of Wisconsin Eau Claire and began his political career as a legislative staffer in both the U.S. House of Representatives and the State Capitol.

Former Representative Suder is also a former member of Wisconsin's 115<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing. Scott joined the Wisconsin Air National Guard in the wake of the attacks on our nation on September 11th. A decorated combat veteran, Scott served 3 tours of duty in Iraq during Operation Iraqi Freedom.