



## Navigator CO<sub>2</sub>

### PROFILE

As VP of Government and Public Affairs, Elizabeth is responsible for developing, leading, and executing legislative strategy for Navigator CO<sub>2</sub>. In addition to leading the Government Affairs and Communications team, Elizabeth serves as an advisor to the CEO and other Executives on all matters of legislative consequence.

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# ELIZABETH BURNS- THOMPSON

## VICE PRESIDENT, GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

### WORK EXPERIENCE

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Navigator CO<sub>2</sub>, **Vice President, Government and Public Affairs**  
[2021-current]

Leads Government Affairs and Communications team in developing and executing legislative, public affairs, public relations, and communications strategies

Renewable Energy Group, Inc., **Manager, Corporate Affairs**  
[2019-2021]

Led state-level political outreach within the Midwest for the national's largest biodiesel producer

Iowa Corn Growers Association, **Regulatory Affairs Counsel**  
[2017-2019]

Oversaw the implementation of policy priorities within regulatory agencies at the state and federal levels

**Government Relations Manager**  
[2014-2017]

Coordinated policy implementation efforts for membership engagement at state and federal level

### EDUCATION

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**Drake University Law School**  
Juris Doctorate, May 2014

**Iowa State University**  
Bachelor of Science, Agricultural Business & International Ag, May 2011

### CAREER HONORS AND RECOGNITION

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- 2020 Altoona Young Professional of the Year, April 2021
- Des Moines Register 15 to Watch, January 2020
- Ag Grad 30 Under 30 in Agriculture, Spring 2019