

## EERE Network News Online Survey

### Content and Quality

1. How often do you read **at least one article** in the EERE Network News?
  - Every week
  - Once or twice a month
  - A few times a year
  - Rarely or never
  
2. How often do you read the **entire issue** of the EERE Network News?
  - Every week
  - Once or twice a month
  - A few times a year
  - Rarely or never
  
3. What do you think of the **length** of the EERE Network News?
  - Too long
  - Somewhat long
  - Just right
  - Somewhat short
  - Too short
  
4. How does the EERE Network News compare to other energy newsletters you read?
  - High quality
  - Above-average quality
  - Average quality
  - Below-average quality
  - Low quality
  
5. EERE Network News is a **comprehensive** source of renewable energy and energy efficiency news.
  - Strongly Agree
  - Agree
  - Neutral
  - Disagree
  - Strongly Disagree
  - No response

6. EERE Network News is an **unbiased** source of renewable energy and energy efficiency news.
- Strongly Agree
  - Agree
  - Neutral
  - Disagree
  - Strongly Disagree
  - No response
7. What are the top 3 reasons you read EERE Network News? Select your top 3:
- To keep up to date with energy news in general
  - To keep up to date with DOE news
  - To keep up to date on federal legislation and initiatives
  - To keep up to date on state legislation and initiatives
  - To learn about recent technological advancements in energy efficiency and renewable energy
  - To learn about recent business advancements in energy efficiency and renewable energy
  - To find funding opportunities
  - To find investment opportunities
  - To find tax credit information
  - To learn about how to save energy at home
  - Other: \_\_\_\_\_

8. How have you used the information you've read in the EERE Network News? Select all that apply:

**a. Finding and sharing information**

- Found a new Web site with information that is useful to me
- Contacted a company that I read about in a news article
- Contacted a DOE program regarding an energy or research project that I read about in a news article
- Contacted my local, state, or federal representatives regarding a project, initiative, or research effort that I read about in a news article
- Passed the information along to colleagues/friends
- Used the information in a newsletter or other publication

**b. Gathering and applying knowledge**

- Learned about a new technology applicable to my work
- Used the information in my work or home projects
- Learned about new policies or initiatives applicable to my work
- Promoted a policy or new legislation as a result of a news article

**c. Financial Matters**

- Bought a product from a company that I read about in a news article
- Invested in a company that I read about in a news article
- Applied for or received funding for an energy or research project as a result of a news article
- Applied for or received a tax credit as a result of a news article

**d. Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Frequency and Delivery**

9. What do you think of the frequency of publishing the EERE Network News, that is, once a week?

- I would prefer monthly
- I would prefer it every other week
- I find it just right
- I would prefer it more often than once a week

10. In what format do you read or receive the EERE Network News? Select all that apply:

- HTML email (in color with photos)
- Text-only email (no photos)
- RSS (See [About RSS](#))
- On the Web page

11. Would you like the EERE Network News RSS feed to be available in multiple feeds by subject?

- Yes
- No
- I don't use RSS (See [About RSS](#))

12. Have you ever encountered the following issues when accessing the **email version** of EERE Network News? Select all that apply:

- I sometimes don't receive the newsletter
- I often don't receive the newsletter
- Links in the top index don't work
- Links in the stories don't work
- The text or images don't display properly
- I keep getting put on your "hold" list
- I have no problems
- I don't receive it via email
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Would you be interested in receiving an email newsletter that is customized to only include news on the subjects you're interested in (e.g., a solar-only newsletter)?

- Yes
- No

14. Please enter the domain of your email address:

(e.g., If your email address is joe\_smith@email.com, the domain is email.com.) This information will be used to help us determine whether certain domains are having delivery problems.

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15. Is there anything else you would like to share with us about your experience with EERE Network News? Please note that we cannot respond to any questions or requests.