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### KEEPING CLIMATE HOPE

## **Transportation Briefings**



Organizing a multi-part briefing series to explore the role of federal transportation investments in strengthening communities, increasing economic opportunity, and more!

IN 2025

#### **COP30 Coverage**



Reporting real-time updates to Congress from the U.N. climate conference in Belém, Brazil, including a daily newsletter.

#### **Climate Change-Public Health Nexus**

Increasing coverage of the impact of climate change on public health—with a public health topic page, extreme heat briefings, and more.



### **Artificial Intelligence/Data Centers**

Publishing articles about the effects of increased energy demand from data centers and artificial intelligence on the U.S. energy grid.



We have a lot of work to do together -and we want to hear from you!

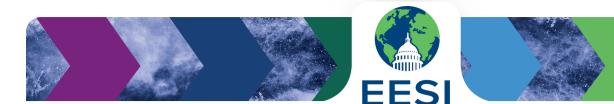
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# Impact Report 2024

#### ACCOMPLISHMENTS SELECT

CONGRESSIONAL EDUCATION ENGAGED with 83% of all

Congressional offices, a new record for EESI.

**PUBLISHED** four fact sheets: PFAS

"forever chemicals."

direct pay tax credits for

nonprofits, proposals to

reduce fossil fuel

subsidies, and climate

jobs in America.

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CLEAN ENERGY FINANCING **CHAMPIONED** 

the Rural Energy Savings Program, which could support 15,000 jobs in rural areas by 2040 according to a

new analysis.

npr

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.

DECOGNITION

**EARNED** 

88 media citations or quotations, including in stories published by NPR, The Wall Street Journal, CNBC. Bloomberg. Forbes, and The Washington Post.

**HELPED** Colorado rural electric CNBC cooperatives secure \$75 million to finance costeffective clean energy

upgrades for their

members.

The Washington Post **Forbes** 

**Bloomberg** 

**BECAME** 

a 1% for the Planet Environmental Partner.

# **THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES!**













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Our mission is to advance science-based solutions for climate change, energy, and environmental challenges in order to achieve our vision of a sustainable, resilient, and equitable world.



We went through a lot of ups and downs -putting it politelyin 2024.

After the election, we knew that federal climate goals would be officially disavowed. That made it hard to imagine how we could stay on track.

Your partnership and commitment to advancing climate solutions meant that EESI was ready to go when the new Congress came to town.

Despite the upside-down politics, the benefits of sustainable solutions are unchanged. Clean energy, environmental, and climate policies and investments create millions of jobs, reduce costs for households and businesses, and unleash U.S. innovation.

Will the current administration realize this? Maybe not. But our interactions with Congress suggest that they will pay attention to reality over fiction. Your support ensures that EESI can continue to be an essential source of nonpartisan, science-based educational resources for policymakers to do right by their constituents.

Onward and upward. We simply have no choice but to do our part to make the world more sustainable and resilient.

Thanks for all that you make possible.



Daniel Bresette President

Thank you to all of our **foundation** YOU partners and individual donors for **POWER** your commitment to advancing climate CLIMATE solutions! We are particularly grateful **SOLUTIONS** for our **Sustaining Partners** (monthly donors) and Friends of EESI (those who give \$1.000 or more in a year).

## FINANCIAL OVERVIEW 2024

REVENUE

Grants \$1,244,583

Donations

Nonoperating Income Allocated to Operations \$237,791

#### EXPENSES

Program

\$359,968 Development

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS BEFORE NONOPERATING ACTIVITIES

TOTAL NONOPERATING ACTIVITIES (Investments) \$192,236

#### BOARD O F DIRECTORS

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**NEWS** 

LINKEDIN **21%** 

**22** SPEAKING **ENGAGEMENTS** 



RIVER

In October 2024, EESI

kicked off a new

briefing series on river

health and resilience

with a well-attended

discussion about the

mighty Mississippi.

1.000

800

600

400

7,848 COP29 **SUBSCRIBERS** Dispatch (46%) 14.159 **SUBSCRIBERS** (📤 3%)

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE CLIMATE **CONVERSATION PODCAST 31%** 

**96 ARTICLES PUBLISHED** 

\$382,997

\$17,397 Workplace Giving

\$1,512,493

General and Administrative \$309,585

(\$299,278)

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS (107,042)

NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR \$4,444,267

Complete audited financial statements are available at eesi.org.

# FRIENDS ON CAPITOL HILL

These briefings will

continue into 2026 to

highlight equitable

policies and solutions

that deliver multiple

environmental and

economic benefits for

the rivers and nearby

communities shown

on this map.

Annual Jobs Total Jobs (Job-Years)



RESILIENCE BRIEFINGS

Colorado

Ohio

Tennessee

The blue line

represents total

jobs supported between 2016

and 2040

(projected).

EESI has helped

rural utilities

secure RESP

loans worth

\$320 million

since 2016.

Anacostia

Mississippi

A 2024 analysis showed

that USDA's Rural

**Energy Savings Program** 

already supports jobs in

rural areas with the

potential to help create

hundreds more each

year (green bars).

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**RURAL ENERGY SAVINGS PROGRAM CREATES JOBS!** 

5,000

REACHING NEW HEIGHTS IN 2024



**FOLLOWERS** 

88 **MEDIA** 

