

DATA FOR **PROGRESS**

From September 2 to 6, 2022, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,317 likely voters nationally using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, geography, and voting history. The survey was conducted in English. The margin of error is ± 3 percentage points.

N=1,317 unless otherwise specified. Some values may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

		D	I	R	
[1] How urgent or not urgent would you say that it is to develop new energy infrastructure projects to expand America's power grid?	Very urgent	39%	54%	40%	24%
	Somewhat urgent	35	32	35	38
	Only a little urgent	14	6	12	24
	Not urgent at all	6	2	5	10
	Don't know	6	6	7	5

		D	I	R	
[2] New renewable energy sources such as wind and solar energy farms are rapidly being built across America.	Very concerned	25%	22%	25%	28%
	Somewhat concerned	37	39	34	38
	Only a little concerned	22	21	24	22
	Not at all concerned	16	19	17	12

Are you concerned or not concerned about America's electricity grid being able to handle this new influx of renewable energy?

		D	I	R	
[3] Some lawmakers have proposed the Streamlining Interstate Transmission of Electricity (SITE) Act. This bill would reduce the amount of time it takes to approve new energy transmission projects, such as power lines, that go across state lines.	Strongly support	20%	28%	18%	14%
	Somewhat support	51	51	52	51
	Somewhat oppose	10	6	10	14
	Strongly oppose	3	0	2	6
	Don't know	16	15	18	15
	SUPPORT (TOTAL)	71%	79%	70%	65%
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	13	6	12	20	
SUPPORT (NET)	+58	+73	+58	+45	

Do you support or oppose the SITE Act?

		D	I	R	
[4] When it comes to the approval process for new energy infrastructure projects, which of these statements best matches your view, even if neither is exactly right?	Lawmakers should shorten wait times to approve new energy infrastructure projects to strengthen America's electricity grid, while still respecting the input of communities where projects will be built.	64%	76%	63%	54%
	Lawmakers should not change the approval process for new energy infrastructure projects because this could limit the period of time for communities to provide input about the process.	22	12	22	32
	Don't know	13	12	16	13

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From September 11 to 13, 2022, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,224 likely voters nationally using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, geography, and voting history. The survey was conducted in English. The margin of error is ± 3 percentage points.

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[1] Some lawmakers have proposed reducing the amount of time it takes to approve new electricity transmission projects, or **power lines**, that cross state lines and connect more renewable electricity to the grid.

One solution would be to give the federal government authority to step in and approve new interstate power lines when state or local actors don't want to build interstate transmission lines.

Do you support or oppose this solution?

		D	I	R
Strongly support	15%	19%	15%	13%
Somewhat support	40	50	40	32
Somewhat oppose	23	17	22	29
Strongly oppose	13	6	14	18
Don't know	9	7	10	9
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	55%	69%	55%	45%
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	36	23	36	47
SUPPORT (NET)	+19	+46	+19	-2

[2] To successfully deliver clean energy from solar and wind farms to buildings and homes, we'll need to build new, reliable electricity transmission projects, or power lines, to carry clean electricity across the country. Transmission projects have often been held up by the federal permitting process.

Do you support or oppose expediting **the permitting process for power lines**?

		D	I	R
Strongly support	26%	32%	25%	22%
Somewhat support	48	47	50	47
Somewhat oppose	13	10	13	16
Strongly oppose	6	6	5	7
Don't know	7	6	8	8
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	74%	79%	75%	69%
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	19	16	18	23
SUPPORT (NET)	+55	+63	+57	+46