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MEEA Policy Webinar: *Midwest Perspectives on a Net or Gross Energy Savings Approach*

Date: **Wednesday, April 24th, 2013** Time: **10-11am CDT**

This webinar will address the key policy implications and concerns inherent in a net or gross savings approach for energy efficiency programs.

Agenda:

MEEA Policy Paper on Net vs. Gross Savings

Samantha Williams, Policy Manager at MEEA, will provide an overview of MEEA's newly-released Policy White Paper, *A Net or Gross Energy Savings Approach: Perspectives at the 2012 Annual Meeting of the Membership*. Ms. Williams will focus on the range of considerations the Midwest States typically address when implementing net or gross energy savings approaches, from the perspectives of Evaluators, Policymakers, and utilities.

The Role of the Uniform Methods Project and SEE Action

Michael Li, Senior Policy Advisor for Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, U.S. Department of Energy will discuss how the State and Local Energy Efficiency Action ([SEE Action](#)) Network is furthering the discussion of net and gross savings through its collaborative efforts, most recently with its release of the [Energy Efficiency Program Impact Evaluation Guide](#). Mr. Li will also provide an overview of DOE's parallel effort, the [Uniform Methods Project](#), in which it is working with energy efficiency program administrators and consultants to develop a set of protocols for determining energy savings from the most common residential and commercial energy efficiency programs offered in the United States.

Discussion

Webinar attendees will be given an opportunity to ask questions and join the discussion with the presenters.

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