

**“Biomass” Energy Articles in Daily Newspapers**  
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**TOTAL ARTICLES (80)**

**NO HEALTH/ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS (61) 76%**

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\*Economic Impacts (7)

^Nuisance Impacts (4)

\*[Biomass Contract Roundly Criticized](#), April 14, 2015, Gainesville Sun

[\\$4.9 Million Grant Awarded for North Fork Biomass Plant](#), April 10, 2015 Sierra Star

[Ochoco Lumber Gets Grant: Prineville Company to Study Biomass Process](#), April 10, 2015, Bend Bulletin

\*[Biomass Owes County](#), April 8, 2015, Ironton Tribune

[High-Efficiency Wood Heating Systems Win Converts](#), April 7, 2015, Poughkeepsie Journal

[Power Plant Public Hearing Planned](#), April 3, 2015, The Mining Journal

\*[How City Commission Candidates View GRU, Biomass](#), April 3, 2015, Gainesville Sun

\*[Company Sues Biomass Plant’s Operator for Breach of Contract](#), April 1, 2015, Gainesville Sun

[Decline of Valley Biomass Plants a Threat to Ag](#), March 26, 2015, Hanford Sentinel

[Plainfield Biomass Plant Changes Hands Again](#), March 25, 2015, Hartford Courant

[Sonoco Plant’s Biomass Boiler](#), March 23, 2015, The State

[Gypsum Power Plant Down Since December Fire](#), March 23, 2015, Vail Daily

[State Awards \\$2.6 Million Grant to Sierra Institute for Biomass Heat and Power Project](#), March 23, 2015, Plumas News

[Lockheed Views for Environmentally Friendly Energy](#), March 23, 2015, Bend Bulletin

[^Farmington Approves UMF Heating Plant](#), March 16, 2015, Kennebec Journal

[Funds Available for Bioenergy Research](#), March 13, 2015, Herald Tribune

[\\*Pittsfield Voters Flatly Reject \\$970,000 Biomass Heating System](#), March 13, 2015, Concord Monitor

[Professor from Germany Speaks on Alternative Fuels](#), March 12, 2015, Daily Eastern News

[ICM Builds Biomass Plant in California](#), March 11, 2015, Wichita Eagle

[Kauai Biomass Plant Gets Fuel from Fire-Damaged Forest](#), March 6, 2015, West Hawaii Today

[Lakeview Biofuels Plant Could be Running by End of 2016](#), March 6, 2015, Bend Bulletin

[Kokee Logging Underway, Biomass Plant Ready and Waiting](#), March 5, 2015, The Garden Island

[^Farmington Backs Off Plan to Connect to UMF's Proposed Biomass Boiler](#), March 4, 2015, Kennebec Journal

[EDC Celebrates Quail Hunt, P&G Biomass Plant](#), February 18, 2015, Albany Herald

[Welch Bill Would Boost Biomass Heat](#), February 18, 2015, Times Argus

[Kalispell Man's Biomass Project Honored](#), February 13, 2015, Daily Interlake

[Conditional Approval for Biomass Plant](#), January 29, 2015, Sierra News

[Biomass: Michigan's Homegrown Energy Solution](#), January 22, 2015, M Live

[Taylor Seeks Biomass Update](#), January 28, 2015, Mid Hudson Times

[Zilkha Biomass Energy Closes with UAM on Acre Purchase](#), January 15, 2015, Advance Monticellonian

[Nine Mile Chalet Turns to Biomass Boiler for Heating](#), January 14, 2015, Wasau Daily Herald

[4FRI Thinning Project Makes Substantial Gains](#), January 5, 2015,

[Forest Thinning Could Help Prevent Another Year of Destructive Fires, State Officials Say](#), January 4, 2015, News Tribune

[Biomass Plant to be Fixed Soon After Fire](#), January 4, 2015, Daily Sentinel

[Rhode Island, Connecticut Have Rules on Renewables](#), January 4, 2015, Westerly Sun

[Program that Backed Solyndra Now Showing Successes](#), January 2, 2015, San Francisco Gate

\*[Biomass Owes Over 50K in Taxes, Fees](#), December 29, 2014, Herald Dispatch

[Partnerships Key to Success of Biomass](#), December 24, 2014, Mineral County Miner

[Fire Shuts Down Gypsum Biomass Power Plant](#), December 14, 2014, Washington Times

[Gypsum Biomass Power Plant in Active Three-Alarm Fire](#), December 13, 2014, Denver Post

[\\$5 Million Grant to Help Build Biomass Plant](#), December 13, 2014, Visalia Times Delta

[Eagar Biomass Power Project to Break Ground in the Spring](#), December 12, 2014, White Mountain Independent

[Nevada County Bullish on Biomass Plant](#), December 3, 2014, The Union

[Nevada County Offers 2 Biomass Presentations Tuesday](#), December 2, 2014, The Union

[New Law Will Make Renewable Energy Heating Cheaper](#), December 1, 2014, Mass Live

[Biomass Plant Awarded New Air Permit](#), November 28, 2014, Gainesville Sun

[State Wants to Reduce Tax Credits to Biomass Digesters](#), November 25, 2014, Blue Mountain Eagle

[Shaheen Tours Burgess BioPower Biomass Plant](#), November 25, 2014, Berlin Daily Sun

[EPA Reconsidering Biomass](#), November 20, 2014, Bend Bulletin

[Wind, Biomass, Solar Energy Aid Michigan in Reaching 10 Percent Renewable Energy Standard by 2015](#), November 12, 2014, MLive

[SOU Considers Biomass Cogeneration Facility](#), November 12, 2014, Mail Tribune

[Biomass One Makes Steam Generated Power](#), November 9, 2014, Mail Tribune

[With Plenty of Wood, Arkansas' Biomass Sector Poised for Growth](#), November 9, 2014, City Wire

[^Task Force: Biomass Plant Would Drastically Reduce Emissions](#), November 8, 2014, The Union

[Chamber, Central Look at Biomass Power](#), November 4, 2014, Daily Record

[Ceremony Marks 20-Year, \\$289 Million Deal for Biomass Power at Fort Drum](#), October 31, 2014, Watertown Daily Times

[Nevada County Biomass Plant, Optimal Sites ID'd](#), October 23, 2014, The Union

[Students Sit in the Driver's Seat of Logging Equipment](#), October 23, 2014, Watertown Daily Times

[^Neighbors Are Concerned About Possible Outdoor Wood Chipping at Biomass Plant](#), October 21, 2014, Berlin Daily Sun

[Biomass Proving a Cost-Effective Energy Solution](#), October 20, 2014, Chillicothe Gazette

[\\*City Moves Forward With Review of GRU Decisions](#), October 16, Gainesville Sun

## **HEALTH/ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS (19)**

[Farmers Back Bill To Subsidize Biomass Plants](#), April 6, 2015, Bakersfield Californian

[Public Will Have Chance to Weigh in On Biomass Boiler](#), April 5, 2015, Plumas News

[Biomass Ordinance On Way to Greenfield Town Council for Vote](#), April 1, 2015, Greenfield Recorder

[Gypsum Biomass Power Plant Still Off Line After December Fire](#), March 22, 2015, Vail Daily

[Planned La Pine Biomass Plant Hinges on Market](#), March 17, 2015, Bend Bulletin

[Biomass Boiler Delayed, Supervisors Debate Option with Graegle Resident](#), March 13, 2015, Plumas News

[Firing Up Biomass Facility](#), February 11, 2015, The Garden Island

[Neighbors Have Concerns Over UMF's Proposed Heating Plant](#), February 10, 2015, Daily Bulldog

[Biofuels' Climate Change Benefits Questioned](#), January 30, 2015, Bend Bulletin

[Fire Shuts Down Gypsum Biomass Plant](#), December 14, 2014, Summit Daily

[DeKalb Cancels Contract with Proposed Biomass Plant](#), December 12, 2014, Crossroads News

[Local Biomass Facility Among 3 in Enforcement Action](#), December 11, 2014, Bakersfield Californian

[Biomass Ban](#), December 10, 2014, Greenfield Recorder

[New EPA Report Could be a Boon to Maine Biomass Energy Producers](#), November 25, 2014, Bangor Daily News

[To Cut Carbon From Their Power Plants, Europeans Cutting Trees in the South, Sparking Environmental Dispute](#), November 9, 2014, Florida Times Union

[Springfield City Council Accepts Free Legal Representation in Court Battle Against Biomass Project](#), October 27, 2014, Mass Live

[Springfield Biomass Project: City Council to Consider Retaining Free Lawyer for Appeal](#), October 27, 2014, Mass Live

[Bridger Bowl Receives Grant to Install Biomass Burner](#), October 23, 2014, Bozeman Daily Chronicle

[Future of Air Quality Enforcement in Fairbanks Unclear](#), October 18, 2014, Fairbanks Daily News