Mission: Empowering a new generation of water and wastewater professionals while upholding the values of AWWA and WEF.
YP Membership Feedback Survey

Survey questions

1. How did you get involved in WEF / RMWEA?
2. Why did you get involved in WEF / RMWEA?
3. What is the most effective way to contact you / get you engaged?
4. Are you part of multiple committees?
5. What was your biggest obstacle in becoming a member of WEF / RMWEA?
6. Has being a member benefitted your career?
7. What are the reasons you stay involved in WEF / RMWEA?
8. What improvements could be made in the membership process?
9. Any additional feedback?
1. How did you get involved in WEF / RMWEA?

- Student chapter: 29%
- Through a colleague: 12%
- YP Committee: 12%
- Through work: 12%
- WEFTEC: 6%
- Website / search: 6%
- Rocky Mountain Water Conference: 6%
2. Why did you get involved in WEF / RMWEA?

- Advance your career: 33%
- Expand network: 40%
- Social events: 24%
- Other: Interest in learning about field before starting specific college major courses: 3%
3. What is the most effective way to contact you / get you engaged?

- Email: 74%
- Electronic Newsletter: 21%
- Phone: 5%
- Social Media: 0%
4. Are you part of multiple committees?

- Yes: 64%
- No: 36%
5. What was your biggest obstacle in becoming a member of WEF / RMWEA?

- Membership dues: 15%
- Time commitment: 31%
- Unsure of the benefits: 8%
- Finding or being placed in a role: 46%
6. Has being a member benefitted your career?

- Yes: 79%
- No: 14%
- Other: Yes a personal benefit since I like to be involved, but not successful networking like I want.
7. What are the reasons you stay involved in WEF / RMWEA?

- **20%** Importance of work done
- **31%** Networking / social aspect
- **20%** Chance to be a leader in the industry
- **32%** Conferences
- **3%** Other: Professional / leadership skills
8. What improvements could be made in the membership process?

- Clearer explanation of benefits, opportunities, and how to get involved
- Better website / login / account & email management
- Provide mentorship & learning opportunities for career advancement
- More activities / meetings in a wider geographical range
- Advertisement to students / more networking at universities
- More in-person events for newer members going over opportunities and how to best be involved
- Promote emerging professionals to be involved and/or give them more incentives
- Improved engagement with members
9. Other Feedback

- The YP committee does an amazing job of getting involvement. Transitioning that to other committees or volunteer opportunities are key.
THANK YOU!

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