





Local Government Energy Audit Report

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Disclaimer

The goal of this audit report is to identify potential energy efficiency opportunities, help prioritize specific measures for implementation, and provide information about financial incentives that may be available. Most energy conservation measures have received preliminary analysis of feasibility that identifies expected ranges of savings and costs. This level of analysis is usually considered sufficient to establish a basis for further discussion and to help prioritize energy measures.

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1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (NJBPU) has sponsored this Local Government Energy Audit (LGEA) report for Lower Shore Well House. This report provides you with information about your facility's energy use, identifies energy conservation measures (ECMs) that can reduce your energy use, and provides information and assistance to help make changes in your facility. TRC Energy Services (TRC) conducted this study as part of a comprehensive effort to assist New Jersey school districts and local governments in controlling their energy costs and to help protect our environment by reducing statewide energy consumption.

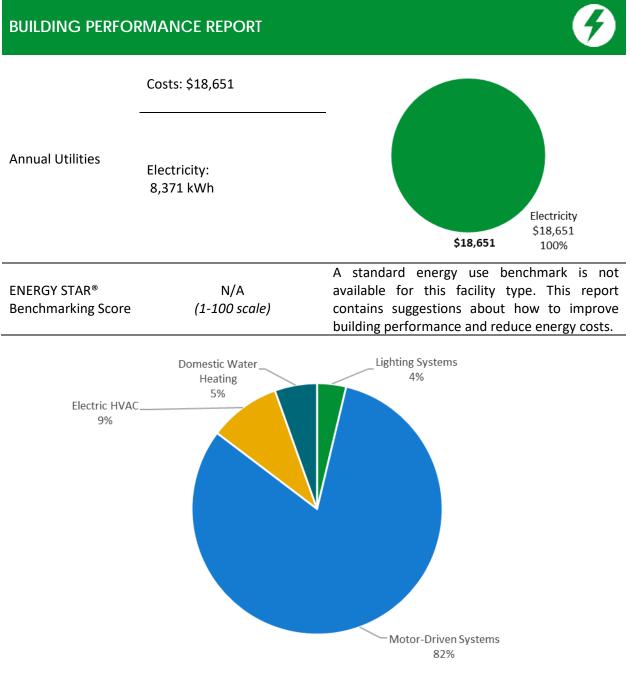


Figure 1 - Energy Use by System

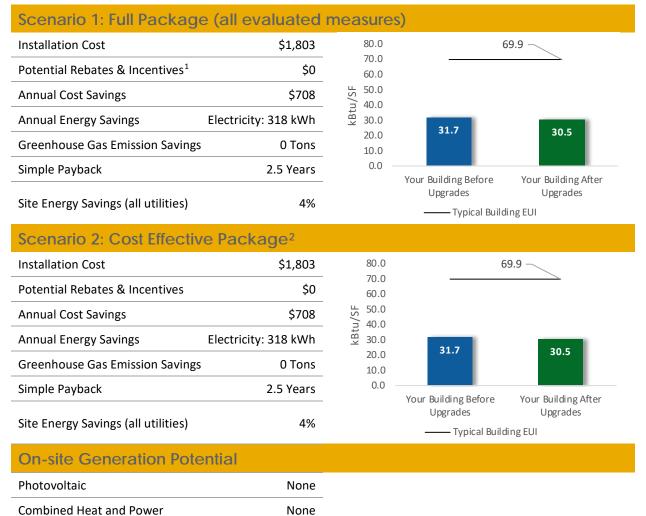




POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS



This energy audit considered a range of potential energy improvements in your building. Costs and savings will vary between improvements. Presented below are two potential scopes of work for your consideration.



¹ Incentives are based on current SmartStart Prescriptive incentives. Other program incentives may apply.

² A cost-effective measure is defined as one where the simple payback does not exceed two-thirds of the expected proposed equipment useful life. Simple payback is based on the net measure cost after potential incentives.





#	Energy Conservation Measure	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)		Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Savings	Lifetime Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated Install Cost (\$)		Estimated Net Cost (\$)	Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	CO2e Emissions Reduction (Ibs)
Motor Upgrades		154	0.1	0	\$343	\$5,147	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
ECM 1	Premium Efficiency Motors	154	0.1	0	\$343	\$5,147	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
Domest	ic Water Heating Upgrade	164	0.0	0	\$364	\$3,644	\$14	\$0	\$14	0.0	165
ECM 2	Install Low-Flow DHW Devices	164	0.0	0	\$364	\$3,644	\$14	\$0	\$14	0.0	165
TOTALS (COST EFFECTIVE MEASURES)		318	0.1	0	\$708	\$8,791	\$1,803	\$0	\$1,803	2.5	320
	TOTALS (ALL MEASURES)		0.1	0	\$708	\$8,791	\$1,803	\$0	\$1,803	2.5	320

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** - Simple Payback Period is based on net measure costs (i.e., after incentives).

Figure 2 – Evaluated Energy Improvements

For more detail on each evaluated energy improvement and a break out of cost-effective improvements, see Section 4: Energy Conservation Measures.





1.1 Planning Your Project

Careful planning makes for a successful energy project. When considering this scope of work, you will have some decisions to make, such as:

- How will the project be funded and/or financed?
- Is it best to pursue individual ECMs, groups of ECMs, or use a comprehensive approach where all ECMs are installed together?
- Are there other facility improvements that should happen at the same time?

Pick Your Installation Approach

New Jersey's Clean Energy Programs give you the flexibility to do a little or a lot. Rebates, incentives, and financing are available to help reduce both your installation costs and your energy bills. If you are planning to take advantage of these programs, make sure to review incentive program guidelines before proceeding. This is important because in most cases you will need to submit applications for the incentives <u>before</u> purchasing materials or starting installation.

The potential ECMs identified for this building likely qualify for multiple incentive and funding programs. Based on current program rules and requirements, your measures are likely to qualify for the following programs:

	Energy Conservation Measure	SmartStart	Direct Install	Pay For Performance
ECM 1	Premium Efficiency Motors		Х	
ECM 2	Install Low-Flow Domestic Hot Water Devices		Х	

Figure 3 – Funding Options





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	SmartStart Flexibility to install at your own pace	Direct Install Turnkey installation	Pay for Performance Whole building upgrades	
Who should use it?	Buildings installing individual measures or small group of measures.	Small to mid-size facilities that can bundle multiple measures together. Average peak demand should be below 200 kW. Not suitable for significant building shell issues.	Mid to large size facilities looking to implement as many measures as possible at one time. Peak demand should be over 200 kW.	
How does it work?	Use in-house staff or your preferred contractor.	Pre-approved contractors pass savings along to you via reduced material and labor costs.	Whole-building approach to energy upgrades designed to reduce energy use by a least 15%. The more you save, the higher th incentives.	
What are the Incentives?	Fixed incentives for specific energy efficiency measures.	Incentives pay up to 70% of eligible costs, up to \$125,000 per project. You pay the remaining 30% directly to the contractor.	Up to 25% of installation cost, calculated based on level of energy savings per square foot.	
How do I participate?	Submit an application for the specific equipment to be installed.	Contact a participating contractor in your region.	Contact a pre-qualified Partner to develop you Energy Reduction Plan and set your energy savings targets.	





Individual Measures with SmartStart

For facilities wishing to pursue only selected individual measures (or planning to phase implementation of selected measures over multiple years), incentives are available through the SmartStart program. To participate, you can use internal resources or an outside firm or contractor to perform the final design of the ECM(s) and install the equipment. Program pre-approval is required for some SmartStart incentives, so only after receiving pre-approval should you proceed with ECM installation.

Turnkey Installation with Direct Install

The Direct Install program provides turnkey installation of multiple measures through an authorized network of participating contractors. This program can provide substantially higher incentives than SmartStart, up to 70% of the cost of selected measures. Direct Install contractors will assess and verify individual measure eligibility and, in most cases, they perform the installation work. The Direct Install program is available to sites with an average peak demand of less than 200 kW.

Whole Building Approach with Pay for Performance

Pay for Performance can be a good option for medium to large sized facilities to achieve deep energy savings. Pay for Performance allows you to install as many measures as possible under a single project as well as address measures that may not qualify for other programs. Many facilities pursuing an Energy Savings Improvement Program (ESIP) loan also use this program. Pay for Performance works for larger customers with a peak demand over 200 kW. The minimum installed scope of work must include at least two unique measures resulting in at least 15% energy savings, where lighting cannot make up the majority of the savings.

More Options from Around the State

Financing and Planning Support with the Energy Savings Improvement Program (ESIP)

For larger facilities with limited capital availability to implement ECMs, project financing may be available through the ESIP. Supported directly by the NJBPU, ESIP provides government agencies with project development, design, and implementation support services, as well as, attractive financing for implementing ECMs. You have already taken the first step as an LGEA customer, because this report is required to participate in ESIP.

Resiliency with Return on Investment through Combined Heat & Power (CHP)

The CHP program provides incentives for combined heat and power (aka cogeneration) and waste heat to power projects. Combined heat and power systems generate power on-site and recover heat from the generation system to meet on-site thermal loads. Waste heat to power systems use waste heat to generate power. You will work with a qualified developer who will design a system that meets your building's heating and cooling needs.

Ongoing Electric Savings with Demand Response

The Demand Response Energy Aggregator program reduces electric loads at commercial facilities when wholesale electricity prices are high or when the reliability of the electric grid is threatened due to peak power demand. By enabling commercial facilities to reduce electric demand during times of peak demand, the grid is made more reliable and overall transmission costs are reduced for all ratepayers. Curtailment service providers provide regular payments to medium and large consumers of electric power for their participation in demand response (DR) programs. Program participation is voluntary, and facilities receive payments regardless of whether they are called upon to curtail their load during times of peak demand.





2 EXISTING CONDITIONS

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (NJBPU) has sponsored this Local Government Energy Audit (LGEA) Report for Lower Shore Well House. This report provides information on how your facility uses energy, identifies energy conservation measures (ECMs) that can reduce your energy use, and provides information and assistance to help you implement the ECMs. This report also contains valuable information on financial incentives from New Jersey's Clean Energy Program (NJCEP) for implementing ECMs.

TRC conducted this study as part of a comprehensive effort to assist New Jersey educational and local government facilities in controlling energy costs and protecting our environment by offering a wide range of energy management options and advice.

2.1 Site Overview

On March 27, 2019, TRC performed an energy audit at Lower Shore Well House located in Barnegat, New Jersey. TRC met with Roger Budd to review the facility operations and help focus our investigation on specific energy-using systems.

Lower Shore Road Well House is composed of snack stands, bathrooms, softball, and football fields. During the site visits, the auditor could not get access to the snack stands. Also, the facility has three electric meters on site and data for only one electric meter was submitted. As a result, this report includes neither the field pole lighting evaluation nor the snack stand buildings. The bathroom building is a 900 square foot restroom facility.

2.2 Building Occupancy

The facility is occupied year-round. Typical schedule is presented in the table below.

Building Name	Weekday/Weekend	Operating Schedule		
Lower Shore Well House	Weekday	12:00 AM - 12:00 AM		
Lower Shore Well House	Weekend	12:00 AM - 12:00 AM		

Figure 4 - Building Occupancy Schedule

2.3 Building Envelope

The bathroom building walls are constructed of concrete masonry units (CMUs) with wood siding. The building has a pitched roof with an asphalt shingle covering. Exterior doors are constructed of metal.



Bathroom Building





Interior lighting in the bathroom building consists of 1-lamp, 4-foot long fixtures with LED tubes that are controlled with occupancy sensors. The fixtures are in good condition and interior lighting levels were sufficient. Three wall mounted LED fixtures controlled with photocells provide exterior illumination.



LED Interior & Exterior Fixtures

2.5 Electric Heating System

Heating in the men's and women's restrooms consists of two electric heaters, each having approximately 3.4 MBh (1000-Watt) heating capacity.

2.6 Domestic Hot Water

Hot water is produced with a 28 gallon, 4.5 kW electric storage water heater. The heater is in good condition.



Domestic Water Heater





2.7 Water-Using Systems

The building has two restrooms with toilets and sinks. Faucets flow rates are 1.5 gallons per minute (gpm) or higher. Toilets are rated at 2 gallons per flush (gpf).



Restroom Sinks

2.8 Water Pumping

The meter serving the bathroom building also drives two 0.5 hp well water pumps. They are in good condition according to the site contact. There are also two 2 hp sewer pumps.



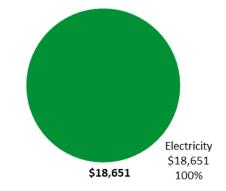
Well Pump





Twelve months of utility billing data are used to develop annual energy consumption and cost data. This information creates a profile of the annual energy consumption and energy costs.

Util	Utility Summary								
Fuel	Usage	Cost							
Electricity	8,371 kWh	\$18,651							
Total	, , ,								



An energy balance identifies and quantifies energy use in your various building systems. This can highlight areas with the most potential for improvement. This energy balance was developed using calculated energy use for each of the end uses noted in the figure.

The energy auditor collects information regarding equipment operating hours, capacity, efficiency, and other operational parameters from facility staff, drawings, and on-site observations. This information is used as the inputs to calculate the existing conditions energy use for the site. The calculated energy use is then compared to the historical energy use and the initial inputs are revised, as necessary, to balance the calculated energy use to the historical energy use.





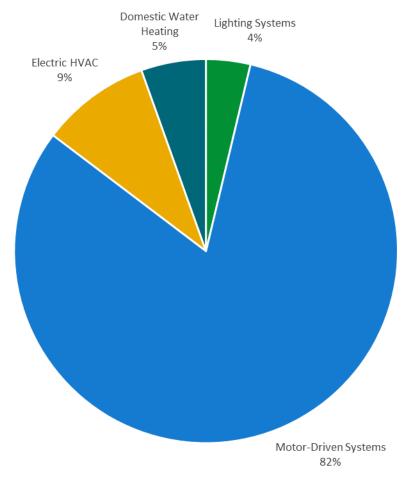
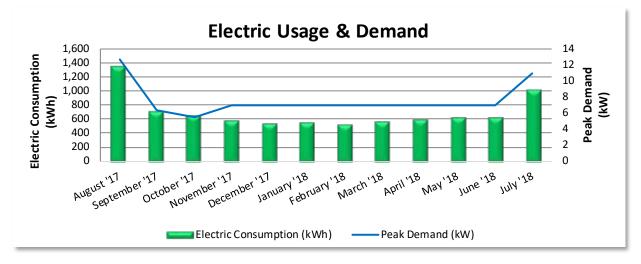


Figure 5 - Energy Balance





JCP&L delivers electricity under rate class General Service Secondary.



Electric Billing Data										
Period Ending	Days in Period	Electric Usage (kWh)	Demand (kW)	Demand Cost	Total Electric Cost					
8/25/17	31	1,334	13		\$216					
9/25/17	30	716	6		\$123					
10/25/17	31	657	6		\$110					
11/25/17	31	583	7		\$3,702					
12/25/17	28	543	7		\$1,845					
1/25/18	31	560	7		\$1,843					
2/25/18	30	529	7		\$1,838					
3/25/18	31	577	7		\$1,848					
4/25/18	30	592	7		\$1,771					
5/25/18	31	628	7		\$1,768					
6/25/18	31	634	7		\$1,764					
7/25/18	30	1,018	11		\$1,822					
Totals	365	8,371	13	\$0	\$18,651					
Annual	365	8,371	13	\$0	\$18,651					

Notes:

- Peak demand of 13 kW occurred in August 2017.
- The average electric cost over the past 12 months was \$2.228/kWh, which is the blended rate that includes energy supply, distribution, demand, and other charges. This report uses this blended rate to estimate energy cost savings.





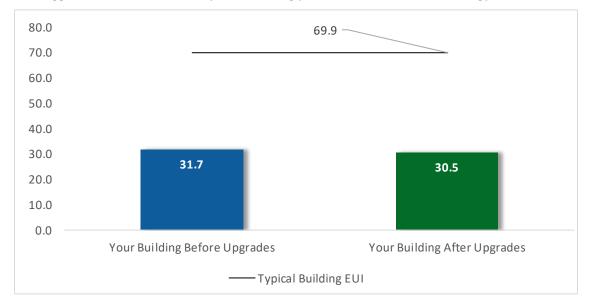
3.2 Benchmarking

Your building was benchmarked using the United States Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) *Portfolio Manager*[®] software. Benchmarking compares your building's energy use to that of similar buildings across the county, while neutralizing variations due to location, occupancy and operating hours. Some building types can be scored with a 1-100 ranking of a building's energy performance relative to the national building market. A score of 50 represents the national average and a score of 100 is best.

This ENERGY STAR[®] benchmarking score provides a comprehensive snapshot of your building's energy performance. It assesses the building's physical assets, operations, and occupant behavior, which is compiled into a quick and easy-to-understand score.

Benchmarking Score

N/A



Due to its unique characteristics, this building type is not able to receive a benchmarking score. This report contains suggestions about how to improve building performance and reduce energy costs.

Figure 6 - Energy Use Intensity Comparison

Energy use intensity (EUI) measures energy consumption per square foot and is the standard metric for comparing buildings' energy performance. A lower EUI means better performance and less energy consumed. A number of factors can cause a building to vary from the "typical" energy usage. Local weather conditions, building age and insulation levels, equipment efficiency, daily occupancy hours, changes in occupancy throughout the year, equipment operating hours, and occupant behavior all contribute to a building's energy use and the benchmarking score.





Tracking Your Energy Performance

Keeping track of your energy use on a monthly basis is one of the best ways to keep energy costs in check. Update your utility information in Portfolio Manager[®] regularly, so that you can keep track of your building's performance.

We have created a Portfolio Manager[®] account for your facility and we have already entered the monthly utility data shown above for you. Account login information for your account will be sent via email.

Free online training is available to help you use ENERGY STAR[®] Portfolio Manager[®] to track your building's performance at: <u>https://www.energystar.gov/buildings/training.</u>

For more information on ENERGY STAR[®] and Portfolio Manager[®], visit their website.





4 ENERGY CONSERVATION MEASURES

The goal of this audit report is to identify and evaluate potential energy efficiency improvements, provide information about the cost effectiveness of those improvements, and recognize potential financial incentives from NJBPU. Most energy conservation measures have received preliminary analysis of feasibility which identifies expected ranges of savings and costs. This level of analysis is typically sufficient to demonstrate project cost-effectiveness and help prioritize energy measures.

Calculations of energy use and savings are based on the current version of the *New Jersey's Clean Energy Program Protocols to Measure Resource Savings,* which is approved by the NJBPU. Further analysis or investigation may be required to calculate more precise savings based on specific circumstances.

Operation and maintenance costs for the proposed new equipment will generally be lower than the current costs for the existing equipment—especially if the existing equipment is at or past its normal useful life. We have conservatively assumed there to be no impact on overall maintenance costs over the life of the equipment.

Financial incentives are based on the current NJCEP prescriptive SmartStart program. A higher level of investigation may be necessary to support any SmartStart Custom, Pay for Performance, or Direct Install incentive applications. Some measures and proposed upgrades may be eligible for higher incentives than those shown below through other NJCEP programs described in a following section of this report.

For a detailed list of the locations and recommended energy conservation measures for all inventoried equipment, see **Appendix A: Equipment Inventory & Recommendations.**





#	Energy Conservation Measure			Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated Install Cost (\$)				Emissions Reduction
Motor Upgrades		154	0.1	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
ECM 1	Premium Efficiency Motors	154	0.1	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
Domestic Water Heating Upgrade		164	0.0	0	\$364	\$14	\$0	\$14	0.0	165
ECM 2 Install Low-Flow DHW Devices		164	0.0	0	\$364	\$14	\$0	\$14	0.0	165
	TOTALS		0.1	0	\$708	\$1,803	\$0	\$1,803	2.5	320

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proposed equipment meets minimum performance criteria for that program.

** - Simple Payback Period is based on net measure costs (i.e. after incentives).

Figure 7 – All Evaluated ECMs

#	Energy Conservation Measure	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)		Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated Install Cost (\$)				CO2e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Motor L	Motor Upgrades		0.1	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
ECM 1	Premium Efficiency Motors	154	0.1	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
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Figure 8 – Cost Effective ECMs





4.1 Motors

#	Energy Conservation Measure	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)		Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated Install Cost (\$)			Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	CO2e Emissions Reduction (Ibs)
Motor L	Jpgrades	154	0.1	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155
ECM 1	Premium Efficiency Motors	154	0.1	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	\$1,788	5.2	155

ECM 1: Premium Efficiency Motors

Replace standard efficiency motors with IHP 2014 efficiency motors. This evaluation assumes that existing motors will be replaced with motors of equivalent size and type. In some cases, additional savings may be possible by downsizing motors to better meet the motor's current load requirements.

Affected motors:

Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	Motor Quantity	Motor Application	HP Per Motor	Additional Motor Description
Lower Shore	Sewer Pump	2	Water Supply Pump	2.0	Sewer Pump

Savings are based on the difference between baseline and proposed efficiencies and the assumed annual operating hours. The base case motor energy consumption is estimated using the efficiencies found on nameplates or estimated based on the age of the motor and our best estimates of motor run hours. Efficiencies of proposed motor upgrades are obtained from the current *New Jersey's Clean Energy Program Protocols to Measure Resource Savings*.

4.2 Domestic Water Heating

#	Energy Conservation Measure	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)	Peak Demand Savings (kW)	Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated Install Cost (\$)			Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	CO ₂ e Emissions Reduction (Ibs)
Domes	tic Water Heating Upgrade	164	0.0	0	\$364	\$14	\$0	\$14	0.0	165
ECM 2	Install Low-Flow DHW Devices	164	0.0	0	\$364	\$14	\$0	\$14	0.0	165

ECM 2: Install Low-Flow DHW Devices

Install low-flow devices to reduce overall hot water demand. The following low flow devices are recommended to reduce hot water usage:

Device	Flow Rate
Faucet aerators (lavatory)	0.5 gpm

Low-flow devices reduce the overall water flow from the fixture, while still providing adequate pressure for washing.

Additional cost savings may result from reduced water usage.





5 ENERGY EFFICIENT BEST PRACTICES

A whole building maintenance plan will extend equipment life; improve occupant comfort, health, and safety; and reduce energy and maintenance costs. You may already be doing some of these things— see our list below for potential additions to your maintenance plan. Be sure to consult with qualified equipment specialists for details on proper maintenance and system operation.

Energy Tracking with ENERGY STAR® Portfolio Manager®



You've heard it before - you can't manage what you don't measure. ENERGY STAR[®] Portfolio Manager[®] is an online tool that you can use to measure and track energy and water consumption, as well as greenhouse gas emissions³. Your account has already been established. Now you can continue to keep tabs on your energy performance every month.

Lighting Maintenance



Clean lamps, reflectors and lenses of dirt, dust, oil, and smoke buildup every six to twelve months. Light levels decrease over time due to lamp aging, lamp and ballast failure, and buildup of dirt and dust. Together, this can reduce total light output by up to 60% while still drawing full power.

In addition to routine cleaning, developing a maintenance schedule can ensure that maintenance is performed regularly, and it can reduce the overall cost of fixture re-

lamping and re-ballasting. Group re-lamping and re-ballasting maintains lighting levels and minimizes the number of site visits by a lighting technician or contractor, decreasing the overall cost of maintenance.

Lighting Controls

As part of a lighting maintenance schedule, test lighting controls to ensure proper functioning. For occupancy sensors, this requires triggering the sensor and verifying that the sensor's timer settings are correct. For daylight and photocell sensors, maintenance involves cleaning sensor lenses and confirming that setpoints and sensitivity are configured properly.

Motor Maintenance

Motors have many moving parts. As these parts degrade over time, the efficiency of the motor is reduced. Routine maintenance prevents damage to motor components. Routine maintenance should include cleaning surfaces and ventilation openings on motors to prevent overheating, lubricating moving parts to reduce friction, inspecting belts and pulleys for wear and to ensure they are at proper alignment and tension, and cleaning and lubricating bearings. Consult a licensed technician to assess these and other motor maintenance strategies.

³ <u>https://www.energystar.gov/buildings/facility-owners-and-managers/existing-buildings/use-portfolio-manager</u>





Water Heater Maintenance

Preventative maintenance can extend the life of the system, maintain energy efficiency, and ensure safe operation. At least once a year, follow manufacturer instructions to drain a few gallons out of the water heater using the drain valve. If there is a lot of sediment or debris, then a full flush is recommended. Turn the temperature down and then completely drain the tank. Annual checks should include checks for:

- Leaks or heavy corrosion on the pipes and valves.
- Corrosion or wear on the gas line and on the piping. If you noticed any black residue, soot, or charred metal, this is a sign you may be having combustion issues and you should have the unit serviced by a professional.
- For electric water heaters, look for signs of leaking such as rust streaks or residue around the upper and lower panels covering the electrical components on the tank.
- For water heaters more than three years old, have a technician inspect the sacrificial anode annually.

Procurement Strategies

Purchasing efficient products reduces energy costs without compromising quality. Consider modifying your procurement policies and language to require ENERGY STAR[®] or WaterSense[™] products where available.





6 ON-SITE GENERATION

You don't have to look far in New Jersey to see one of the thousands of solar electric systems providing clean power to homes, businesses, schools, and government buildings. On-site generation includes both renewable (e.g., solar, wind) and non-renewable (e.g., fuel cells) technologies that generate power to meet all or a portion of the facility's electric energy needs. Also referred to as distributed generation, these systems contribute to greenhouse gas (GHG) emission reductions, demand reductions and reduced customer electricity purchases, which results in improved electric grid reliability through better use of transmission and distribution systems.

Preliminary screenings were performed to determine if an on-site generation measure could be a costeffective solution for your facility. Before deciding to install an on-site generation system, we recommend conducting a feasibility study to analyze existing energy profiles, siting, interconnection, and the costs associated with the generation project including interconnection costs, departing load charges, and any additional special facilities charges.





6.1 Solar Photovoltaic

Photovoltaic (PV) panels convert sunlight into electricity. Individual panels are combined into an array that produces direct current (DC) electricity. The DC current is converted to alternating current (AC) through an inverter. The inverter is then connected to the building's electrical distribution system.

A preliminary screening based on the facility's electric demand, size and location of free area, and shading elements shows that the facility has no potential for installing a PV array.

This facility does not appear to meet the minimum criteria for a cost-effective solar PV installation. To be cost-effective, a solar PV array needs certain minimum criteria, such as sustained electric demand and sufficient flat or south-facing rooftop or other unshaded space on which to place the PV panels.

The graphic below displays the results of the PV potential screening conducted as a part of this audit. The position of each slider indicates the potential (potential increases to the right) that each factor contributes to the overall site potential.

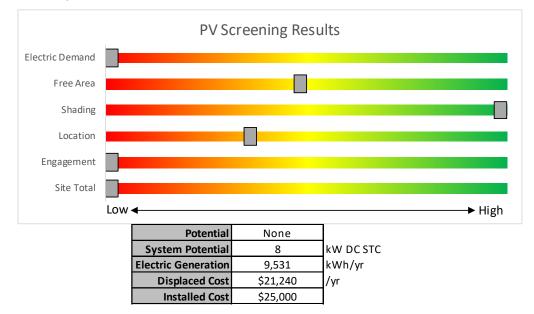


Figure 9 - Photovoltaic Screening

Solar Renewable Energy Certificate (SREC) Registration Program (SRP)

Rebates are not available for solar projects, but owners of solar projects MUST register their projects in the SREC Registration Program before starting construction. Once your PV system is up and running, you periodically earn credits, which can then be sold on the open market for up to 15 years.

If you are considering installing solar photovoltaics on your building, visit <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/srec</u> for more information about the SREC Registration Program.

Get more information about solar power in New Jersey or find a qualified solar installer who can help you decide if solar is right for your building:

- Basic Info on Solar PV in NJ: <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/whysolar</u>
- **NJ Solar Market FAQs**: <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/renewable-energy/program-updates-and-background-information/solar-transition/solar-market-faqs</u>
- Approved Solar Installers in the NJ Market: <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/nj-smartstart-buildings/tools-and-</u>resources/tradeally/approved vendorsearch/?id=60&start=1





6.2 Combined Heat and Power

Combined heat and power (CHP) generates electricity at the facility and puts waste heat energy to good use. Common types of CHP systems are reciprocating engines, microturbines, fuel cells, backpressure steam turbines, and (at large facilities) gas turbines.

CHP systems typically produce a portion of the electric power used on-site, with the balance of electric power needs supplied by the local utility company. The heat is used to supplement (or replace) existing boilers and provide space heating and/or domestic hot water heating. Waste heat can also be routed through absorption chillers for space cooling.

The key criteria used for screening is the amount of time that the CHP system would operate at full load and the facility's ability to use the recovered heat. Facilities with a continuous need for large quantities of waste heat are the best candidates for CHP.

A preliminary screening based on heating and electrical demand, siting, and interconnection shows that the facility has no potential for installing a cost-effective CHP system.

Based on a preliminary analysis, the facility does not appear to meet the minimum requirements for a cost-effective CHP installation. The lack of gas service, low or infrequent thermal load, and lack of space for siting the equipment are the most significant factors contributing to the lack of CHP potential.

The graphic below displays the results of the CHP potential screening conducted as a part of this audit. The position of each slider indicates the potential (potential increases to the right) that each factor contributes to the overall site potential.

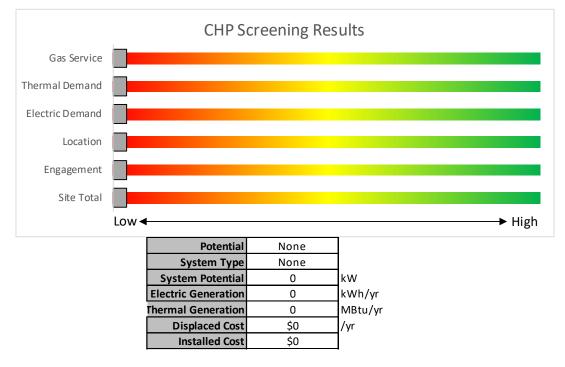


Figure 10 - Combined Heat and Power Screening

Find a qualified firm that specializes in commercial CHP cost assessment and installation: <u>http://www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/nj-smartstart-buildings/tools-and-resources/tradeally/approved_vendorsearch/.</u>





7 PROJECT FUNDING AND INCENTIVES

Ready to improve your building's performance? New Jersey's Clean Energy Programs can help. Pick the program that works best for you. Incentive programs that may apply to this facility are identified in the Executive Summary. This section provides an overview of currently available from New Jersey's Clean Energy Programs.

	SmartStart Flexibility to install at your own pace	Direct Install <i>Turnkey installation</i>	Pay for Performance Whole building upgrades								
Who should use it?	Buildings installing individual measures or small group of measures.	Small to mid-size facilities that can bundle multiple measures together. Average peak demand should be below 200 kW. Not suitable for significant building shell issues.	Mid to large size facilities looking to implement as many measures as possible at one time. Peak demand should be over 200 kW.								
How does it work?	Use in-house staff or your preferred contractor.	Pre-approved contractors pass savings along to you via reduced material and labor costs.	Whole-building approach to energy upgrades designed to reduce energy use by at least 15%. The more you save, the higher the incentives.								
What are the Incentives?	Fixed incentives for specific energy efficiency measures.	Incentives pay up to 70% of eligible costs, up to \$125,000 per project. You pay the remaining 30% directly to the contractor.	Up to 25% of installation cost, calculated based on level of energy savings per square foot.								
How do I participate?	How do I participate?Submit an application for the specific equipment to be installed.Contact a participating contractor in your region.Contact a pre-qualified Partner to develop your Energy Reduction Plan and set your energy savings targets.										
	e the next step by visitir details, applications, ar										









SmartStart offers incentives for installing prescriptive and custom energy efficiency measures at your facility. This program provides an effective mechanism for securing incentives for energy efficiency measures installed individually or as part of a package of energy upgrades. This program serves most common equipment types and sizes.

SmartStart routinely adds, removes, or modifies incentives from year-to-year for various energy-efficient equipment based on market trends and new technologies.

Equipment with Prescriptive Incentives Currently Available:

Electric Chillers Electric Unitary HVAC Gas Cooling Gas Heating Gas Water Heating Ground Source Heat Pumps Lighting Lighting Controls Refrigeration Doors Refrigeration Controls Refrigerator/Freezer Motors Food Service Equipment Variable Frequency Drives

Incentives

The SmartStart Prescriptive program provides fixed incentives for specific energy efficiency measures. Prescriptive incentives vary by equipment type.

SmartStart Custom provides incentives for more unique or specialized technologies or systems that are not addressed through prescriptive incentives. Custom incentives are calculated at \$0.16/kWh and \$1.60/therm based on estimated annual savings. Incentives are capped at 50% of the total installed incremental project cost, or a project cost buy down to a one-year payback (whichever is less). Program incentives are capped at \$500,000 per electric account and \$500,000 per natural gas account, per fiscal year.

How to Participate

Submit an application for the specific equipment to be installed. Many applications are designed as rebates, although others require application approval prior to installation. You can work with your preferred contractor or use internal staff to install measures.

Visit <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/SSB</u> for a detailed program description, instructions for applying, and applications.





7.2 Direct Install



Direct Install is a turnkey program available to existing small to medium-sized facilities with an average peak electric demand that does not exceed 200 kW over the recent 12-month period. You work directly with a preapproved contractor who will perform a free energy assessment at your facility, identify specific eligible measures, and provide a clear scope of work for

installation of selected measures. Energy efficiency measures may include lighting and lighting controls, refrigeration, HVAC, motors, variable speed drives and controls.

Incentives

The program pays up to 70% of the total installed cost of eligible measures, up to \$125,000 per project. Each entity is limited to incentives up to \$250,000 per fiscal year.

How to Participate

To participate in Direct Install, you will need to contact the participating contractor assigned to the region of the state where your facility is located. A complete list of Direct Install program partners is provided on the Direct Install website linked below. The contractor will be paid the measure incentives directly by the program which will pass on to you in the form of reduced material and implementation costs. This means up to 70% of eligible costs are covered by the program, subject to program caps and eligibility, while the remaining 30% of the cost is paid to the contractor by the customer.

Detailed program descriptions and applications can be found at: <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/DI.</u>





7.3 Pay for Performance - Existing Buildings



Pay for Performance works for larger customers with a peak demand over 200 kW. The minimum installed scope of work must include at least two unique measures that results in at least 15% source energy savings, and lighting cannot make up the majority of the savings. P4P is a generally a good option for medium-to-large sized facilities looking to implement as many

measures as possible under a single project to achieve deep energy savings. This program has an added benefit of addressing measures that may not qualify for other programs. Many facilities pursuing an Energy Savings Improvement Program loan also use this program.

Incentives

Incentives are based on estimated and achieved energy savings ranging from \$0.18-\$0.22/kWh and \$1.80-\$2.50/therm, capped at the lesser of 50% total project cost, or \$1 million per electric account and \$1 million per natural gas account, per fiscal year, not to exceed \$2 million per project. An incentive of \$0.15/square foot is also available to offset the cost of developing the Energy Reduction Plan (see below) contingent on the project moving forward with measure installation.

How to Participate

Contact one of the pre-approved consultants and contractors ("Partners"). Under direct contract to you, they will help further evaluate the measures identified in this report through development of the energy reduction plan), assist you in implementing selected measures, and verify actual savings one year after the installation. Your Partner will also help you apply for incentives.

Approval of the final scope of work is required by the program prior to installation. Installation can be done by the contractor of your choice (some P4P Partners are also contractors) or by internal staff, but the Partner remains involved throughout construction to ensure compliance with the program requirements.

Detailed program descriptions, instructions for applying, applications and list of Partners can be found at: www.njcleanenergy.com/P4P.





7.4 Combined Heat and Power

The Combined Heat & Power (CHP) program provides incentives for eligible CHP or

waste heat to power (WHP) projects. Eligible CHP or WHP projects must achieve an annual system efficiency of at least 65% (lower heating value, or LHV), based on total energy input and total utilized energy output. Mechanical energy may be included in the efficiency evaluation.

Incentives

Eligible Technologies	Size (Installed Rated Capacity) ¹	Incentive (\$/kW)	% of Total Cost Cap per Project ³	\$ Cap per Project ³
Powered by non- renewable or renewable fuel source ⁴	≤500 KW	\$2,000	30-40% ²	\$2 million
Gas Internal Combustion Engine	>500 kW - 1 MW	\$1,000		
Gas Combustion Turbine	> 1 MW - 3 MW	\$ 550		
Microturbine Fuel Cells with Heat Recovery	>3 MW	\$350	30%	\$3 million
Waste Heat to Power*	<1 MW	\$1,000	30%	\$2 million
Pomer	> 1MW	\$500		\$3 million

"Waste Heat to Power: Powered by non-renewable fuel source, heat recovery or other mechanical recovery from existing equipment utilizing new electric generation equipment (e.g. steam turbine).

Check the NJCEP website for details on program availability, current incentive levels, and requirements.

How to Participate

You work with a qualified developer or consulting firm to complete the CHP application. Once the application is approved the project can be installed. Information about the CHP program can be found at: www.njcleanenergy.com/CHP.





7.5 Energy Savings Improvement Program

The Energy Savings Improvement Program (ESIP) serves New Jersey's government agencies by financing energy projects. An ESIP is a type of performance contract, whereby school districts, counties, municipalities, housing authorities and other public and state entities enter in to contracts to help finance building energy upgrades. Annual payments are lower than the savings projected from the ECMs, ensuring that ESIP projects are cash flow positive for the life of the contract.

ESIP provides government agencies in New Jersey with a flexible tool to improve and reduce energy usage with minimal expenditure of new financial resources. NJCEP incentive programs described above can also be used to help further reduce the total project cost of eligible measures.

How to Participate

This LGEA report is the first step to participating in ESIP. Next, you will need to select an approach for implementing the desired ECMs:

- (1) Use an energy services company or "ESCO."
- (2) Use independent engineers and other specialists, or your own qualified staff, to provide and manage the requirements of the program through bonds or lease obligations.
- (3) Use a hybrid approach of the two options described above where the ESCO is used for some services and independent engineers, or other specialists or qualified staff, are used to deliver other requirements of the program.

After adopting a resolution with a chosen implementation approach, the development of the energy savings plan (ESP) can begin. The ESP demonstrates that the total project costs of the ECMs are offset by the energy savings over the financing term, not to exceed 15 years. The verified savings will then be used to pay for the financing.

The ESIP approach may not be appropriate for all energy conservation and energy efficiency improvements. Carefully consider all alternatives to develop an approach that best meets your needs. A detailed program description and application can be found at: <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/ESIP.</u>

ESIP is a program delivered directly by the NJBPU and is not an NJCEP incentive program. As mentioned above, you can use NJCEP incentive programs to help further reduce costs when developing the energy savings plan. Refer to the ESIP guidelines at the link above for further information and guidance on next steps.





7.6 SREC Registration Program

The SREC (Solar Renewable Energy Certificate) Registration Program (SRP) is used to register the intent to install solar projects in New Jersey. Rebates are not available for solar projects, but owners of solar projects *must* register their projects prior to the start of construction to establish the project's eligibility to earn SRECs. Registration of the intent to participate in New Jersey's solar marketplace provides market participants with information about the pipeline of anticipated new solar capacity and insight into future SREC pricing.

After the registration is accepted, construction is complete, and final paperwork has been submitted and is deemed complete, the project is issued a New Jersey certification number, which enables it to generate New Jersey SRECs. SRECs are generated once the solar project has been authorized to be energized by the Electric Distribution Company (EDC).

Each time a solar installation generates 1,000 kilowatt-hours (kWh) of electricity, an SREC is earned. Solar project owners report the energy production to the SREC Tracking System. This reporting allows SRECs to be placed in the customer's electronic account. SRECs can then be sold on the SREC Tracking System, providing revenue for the first 15 years of the project's life.

Electricity suppliers, the primary purchasers of SRECs, are required to pay a Solar Alternative Compliance Payment (SACP) if they do not meet the requirements of New Jersey's Solar Renewable Portfolio Standard. Purchasing SRECs can help them meet those requirements. As SRECs are traded in a competitive market, the price may vary significantly. The actual price of an SREC during a trading period fluctuates depending on supply and demand.

Information about the SRP can be found at: <u>www.njcleanenergy.com/srec.</u>





8 ENERGY PURCHASING AND PROCUREMENT STRATEGIES

8.1 Retail Electric Supply Options

Energy deregulation in New Jersey has increased energy buyers' options by separating the function of electricity distribution from that of electricity supply. So, though you may choose a different company from which to buy your electric power, responsibility for your facility's interconnection to the grid and repair to local power distribution will still reside with the traditional utility company serving your region.

If your facility is not purchasing electricity from a third-party supplier, consider shopping for a reduced rate from third-party electric suppliers. If your facility already buys electricity from a third-party supplier, review and compare prices at the end of each contract year.

A list of licensed third-party electric suppliers is available at the NJBPU website⁴.

8.2 Retail Natural Gas Supply Options

The natural gas market in New Jersey is also deregulated. Most customers that remain with the utility for natural gas service pay rates that are market-based and that fluctuate monthly. The utility provides basic gas supply service (BGSS) to customers who choose not to buy from a third-party supplier for natural gas commodity.

A customer's decision about whether to buy natural gas from a retail supplier typically depends on whether a customer prefers budget certainty and/or longer-term rate stability. Customers can secure longer-term fixed prices by signing up for service through a third-party retail natural gas supplier. Many larger natural gas customers may seek the assistance of a professional consultant to assist in their procurement process.

If your facility does not already purchase natural gas from a third-party supplier, consider shopping for a reduced rate from third-party natural gas suppliers. If your facility already purchases natural gas from a third-party supplier, review and compare prices at the end of each contract year.

A list of licensed third-party natural gas suppliers is available at the NJBPU website⁵.

⁴ www.state.nj.us/bpu/commercial/shopping.html.

⁵ www.state.nj.us/bpu/commercial/shopping.html





APPENDIX A: EQUIPMENT INVENTORY & RECOMMENDATIONS

Lighting Inventory & Recommendations

	Existin	g Conditions					Prop	osed Conditio	ns						Energy li	mpact & F	inancial A	nalysis			
	Fixture Quantit Y	Fixture Description	Control System	Light Level	Watts per Fixture	Annual Operating Hours	ECM #	Fixture Recommendation	Add Controls?	Fixture Quantit Y	Fixture Description	Control System		Annual Operating Hours	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings	Total Annual MMBtu Savings	Total Annual Energy Cost Savings	Total Installation Cost		Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Men's Restroom	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (1) 4' Lamp	Occupanc y Sensor	s	15	840		None	No	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (1) 4' Lamp	Occupanc y Sensor	15	840	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Wmen's Restroom	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (1) 4' Lamp	Occupanc y Sensor	S	15	840		None	No	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (1) 4' Lamp	Occupanc y Sensor	15	840	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Utility Room	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (1) 4' Lamp	Occupanc y Sensor	S	15	840		None	No	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (1) 4' Lamp	Occupanc y Sensor	15	840	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Exterior Wall Pack	3	LED - Fixtures: Outdoor Wall- Mounted Area Fixture	Photocell		19	4,380		None	No	3	LED - Fixtures: Outdoor Wall- Mounted Area Fixture	Photocell	19	4,380	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0

Motor Inventory & Recommendations

		Existin	g Conditions						Prop	osed Co	ndition	s		Energy In	npact & Fii	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	Motor Quantit Y	Motor Application		Full Load Efficienc Y		Remaining Useful Life	Annual Operating Hours	ECM #	Install High Efficienc Y Motors?	Full Load Efficiency		Numbe r of VFDs	Total Peak kW Savings	k/M/b		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings	Total Installation Cost		Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Lower Shore	Lower Shore Drinking Water Well	2	Water Supply Pump	0.5	65.0%	No	w	2,000		No	65.0%	No		0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Lower Shore	Sewer Pump	2	Water Supply Pump	2.0	84.0%	No	В	2,000	1	Yes	86.5%	No		0.1	154	0	\$343	\$1,788	\$0	5.2

Electric HVAC Inventory & Recommendations

		Existin	g Conditions					osed Co	nditio	15				Energy Impact & Financial Analysis							
Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	System Quantit y		Cooling Capacit y per Unit (Tons)	Heating Capacity per Unit (MBh)	Remaining Useful Life	ECM #	Install High Efficienc y System?	System Quantit Y	System Type	Cooling Capacit y per Unit (Tons)	Heating Capacity per Unit (MBh)	Cooling Mode Efficiency (SEER/EER)	Heating Mode Efficiency (COP)	Total Peak	Total Annual kWh Savings		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings	Total Installation Cost		Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Mens & Womens Restrooms	Mens & Womens Restrooms	2	Electric Resistance Heat		3.40	w		No							0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0

DHW Inventory & Recommendations

	-	Existin	g Conditions		Prop	osed Co	onditio	ns			Energy In	npact & Fii	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	System Quantit y		Remaining Useful Life		Replace?	System Quantit y	System Type	Fuel Type		Total Peak kW Savings	kWh	Total Annual MMBtu Savings		Total Installation Cost		Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Utility Room	Utility Room	1	Storage Tank Water Heater (≤ 50 Gal)	w		No					0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0





Low-Flow Device Recommendations

_		Reco	mmeda	ation Inputs			Energy Im	npact & Fir	nancial An	alysis			
	Location	ECM #	Device Quantit Y	Device Type	Existing Flow Rate (gpm)	Proposed Flow Rate (gpm)	Total Peak kW Savings	kW/b		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings		Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
	Restroom	2	2	Faucet Aerator (Lavatory)	1.50	0.50	0.0	164	0	\$364	\$14	\$0	0.0





APPENDIX B: ENERGY STAR® STATEMENT OF ENERGY PERFORMANCE

EUI is presented in terms of *site energy* and *source energy*. Site energy is the amount of fuel and electricity consumed by a building as reflected in utility bills. Source energy includes fuel consumed to generate electricity consumed at the site, factoring in electric production and distribution losses for the region.

	GY STAR [®] Sta mance	atement of Energy	
	Lower Shore We	ell House (Barnegat Towns	ship)
N/A	Primary Property Type Gross Floor Area (ft²): Built: 1998		
ENERGY STAR® Score ¹	For Year Ending: June 30 Date Generated: April 07,	A second s	
1. The ENERGY STAR score is a 1-100 as climate and business activity.	ssessment of a building's energy	efficiency as compared with similar buildings nation	wide, adjusting for
Property & Contact Information	n		
Property Address Lower Shore Well House (Barnega Township) 38 Lower Shore Road Barnegat, New Jersey 08005 Property ID: 6770640	Property Owner Barnegat Township 900 W. Bay Avenue Barnegat, NJ 08005 609-698-0080	Primary Contact Martin Lisella 900 W. Bay Avenue Barnegat, NJ 08005 609-698-0080 mlisella@barnegat.net	
Energy Consumption and Ene	rgy Use Intensity (EUI)		
Site EUI 32.8 kBtu/ft ² Annual Energy Electric - Grid (k Source EUI 91.9 kBtu/ft ²	by Fuel :Btu) 29,540 (100%)	National Median Comparison National Median Site EUI (kBtu/ft²) National Median Source EUI (kBtu/ft²) % Diff from National Median Source EUI Annual Emissions Greenhouse Gas Emissions (Metric Tons CO2e/year)	31.9 89.3 3%
Signature & Stamp of Ver	ifying Professional		
I(Name) ve	rify that the above information	is true and correct to the best of my knowledg	e.
Signature: Licensed Professional , 	Date:		

Professional Engineer Stamp

(if applicable)





APPENDIX C: GLOSSARY

TERM	DEFINITION
Blended Rate	Used to calculate fiscal savings associated with measures. The blended rate is calculated by dividing the amount of your bill by the total energy use. For example, if your bill is \$22,217.22, and you used 266,400 kilowatt-hours, your blended rate is 8.3 cents per kilowatt-hour.
Btu	British thermal unit: a unit of energy equal to the amount of heat required to increase the temperature of one pound of water by one-degree Fahrenheit.
СНР	Combined heat and power. Also referred to as cogeneration.
СОР	<i>Coefficient of performance</i> : a measure of efficiency in terms of useful energy delivered divided by total energy input.
Demand Response	Demand response reduces or shifts electricity usage at or among participating buildings/sites during peak energy use periods in response to time-based rates or other forms of financial incentives.
DCV	Demand control ventilation: a control strategy to limit the amount of outside air introduced to the conditioned space based on actual occupancy need.
US DOE	United States Department of Energy
EC Motor	Electronically commutated motor
ECM	Energy conservation measure
EER	<i>Energy efficiency ratio</i> : a measure of efficiency in terms of cooling energy provided divided by electric input.
EUI	<i>Energy Use Intensity:</i> measures energy consumption per square foot and is a standard metric for comparing buildings' energy performance.
Energy Efficiency	Reducing the amount of energy necessary to provide comfort and service to a building/area. Achieved through the installation of new equipment and/or optimizing the operation of energy use systems. Unlike conservation, which involves some reduction of service, energy efficiency provides energy reductions without sacrifice of service.
ENERGY STAR®	ENERGY STAR is the government-backed symbol for energy efficiency. The ENERGY STAR [®] program is managed by the EPA.
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
Generation	The process of generating electric power from sources of primary energy (e.g., natural gas, the sun, oil).
GHG	<i>Greenhouse gases:</i> gases that are transparent to solar (short-wave) radiation but opaque to long-wave (infrared) radiation, thus preventing long-wave radiant energy from leaving Earth's atmosphere. The net effect is a trapping of absorbed radiation and a tendency to warm the planet's surface.
gpf	Gallons per flush





gpm	Gallon per minute
HID	High intensity discharge: high-output lighting lamps such as high-pressure sodium, metal halide, and mercury vapor.
hp	Horsepower
HPS	High-pressure sodium: a type of HID lamp.
HSPF	Heating seasonal performance factor: a measure of efficiency typically applied to heat pumps. Heating energy provided divided by seasonal energy input.
HVAC	Heating, ventilating, and air conditioning
IHP 2014	US DOE Integral Horsepower rule. The current ruling regarding required electric motor efficiency.
IPLV	Integrated part load value: a measure of the part load efficiency usually applied to chillers.
kBtu	One thousand British thermal units
kW	Kilowatt: equal to 1,000 Watts.
kWh	Kilowatt-hour: 1,000 Watts of power expended over one hour.
LED	Light emitting diode: a high-efficiency source of light with a long lamp life.
LGEA	Local Government Energy Audit
Load	The total power a building or system is using at any given time.
Measure	A single activity, or installation of a single type of equipment, that is implemented in a building system to reduce total energy consumption.
МН	Metal halide: a type of HID lamp.
MBh	Thousand Btu per hour
MBtu	One thousand British thermal units
MMBtu	One million British thermal units
MV	Mercury Vapor: a type of HID lamp.
NJBPU	New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
NJCEP	<i>New Jersey's Clean Energy Program:</i> NJCEP is a statewide program that offers financial incentives, programs and services for New Jersey residents, business owners and local governments to help them save energy, money and the environment.
psig	Pounds per square inch gauge
Plug Load	Refers to the amount of power used in a space by products that are powered by means of an ordinary AC plug.
PV	Photovoltaic: refers to an electronic device capable of converting incident light directly





SEER	Seasonal energy efficiency ratio: a measure of efficiency in terms of annual cooling energy provided divided by total electric input.
SEP	Statement of energy performance: a summary document from the ENERGY STAR® Portfolio Manager®.
Simple Payback	The amount of time needed to recoup the funds expended in an investment or to reach the break-even point between investment and savings.
SREC	Solar renewable energy credit: a credit you can earn from the state for energy produced from a photovoltaic array.
T5, T8, T12	A reference to a linear lamp diameter. The number represents increments of $1/8^{th}$ of an inch.
Temperature Setpoint	The temperature at which a temperature regulating device (thermostat, for example) has been set.
therm	100,000 Btu. Typically used as a measure of natural gas consumption.
tons	A unit of cooling capacity equal to 12,000 Btu/hr.
Turnkey	Provision of a complete product or service that is ready for immediate use
VAV	Variable air volume
VFD	Variable frequency drive: a controller used to vary the speed of an electric motor.
WaterSense™	The symbol for water efficiency. The WaterSense™ program is managed by the EPA.
Watt (W)	Unit of power commonly used to measure electricity use.