





# **Local Government Energy Audit Report**

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# **Disclaimer**

The goal of this audit report is to identify potential energy efficiency opportunities and help prioritize specific measures for implementation. 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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Incentive values provided in this report are estimated based on previously run state efficiency programs. Incentive levels are not guaranteed. The NJBPU reserves the right to extend, modify, or terminate programs without prior notice. Please review all available utility program incentives and eligibility requirements prior to selecting and installing any energy conservation measures.

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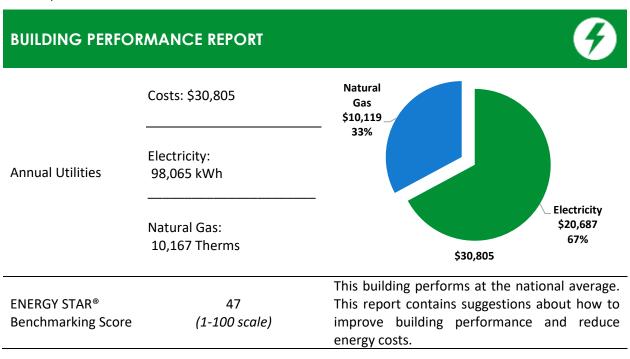
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# 1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (NJBPU) has sponsored this Local Government Energy Audit (LGEA) report for John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center. 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 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.



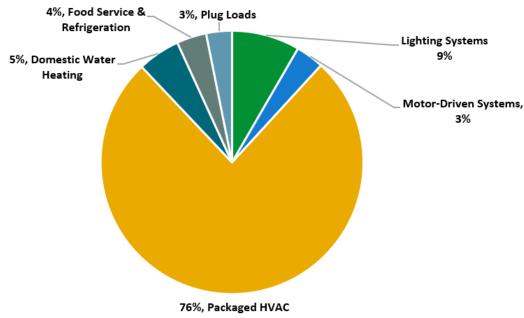


Figure 1 - Energy Use by System





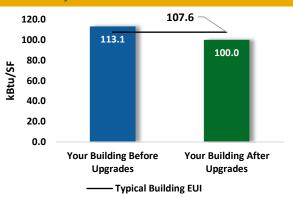
#### **POTENTIAL IMPROVEMENTS**



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.

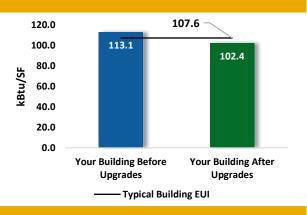
#### Scenario 1: Full Package (All Evaluated Measures)

Installation Cost		\$68,042			
Potential Rebates & Incentiv	\$6,672				
Annual Cost Savings		\$8,258			
Annual Energy Savings	Electricity: 37,854 kWh Natural Gas: 274 Therms				
Greenhouse Gas Emission Sa	21 Tons				
Simple Payback		7.4 Years			
Site Energy Savings (All Utilit	ies)	12%			



#### Scenario 2: Cost Effective Package<sup>2</sup>

Installation Cost	\$21,038				
Potential Rebates & Incentiv	\$4,002				
Annual Cost Savings		\$6,528			
Annual Energy Savings	Electricity: 29,654 kWh				
Allitual Effetgy Savings	Natural Gas: 274 Therms				
Greenhouse Gas Emission Sa	avings	17 Tons			
Simple Payback		2.6 Years			
Site Energy Savings (all utilit	10%				
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#### On-site Generation Potential

Photovoltaic	None
Combined Heat and Power	None

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Incentives are based on previously run state rebate programs. Contact your utility provider for current program incentives that may apply.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 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	Cost Effective?	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)	Peak Demand Savings (kW)	Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)	Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Lighting Upgrades			19,783	2.5	-3	\$4,146	\$6,731	\$1,537	\$5,194	1.3	19,599
ECM 1	Install LED Fixtures	Yes	6,623	0.0	0	\$1,397	\$2,826	\$475	\$2,351	1.7	6,669
ECM 2	Retrofit Fixtures with LED Lamps	Yes	13,160	2.5	-3	\$2,749	\$3,905	\$1,062	\$2,843	1.0	12,930
Lighting Control Measures			2,983	0.6	-1	\$623	\$3,119	\$535	\$2,584	4.1	2,931
ECM 3	Install Occupancy Sensor Lighting Controls	Yes	2,911	0.5	-1	\$608	\$2,894	\$395	\$2,499	4.1	2,860
ECM 4	Install High/Low Lighting Controls	Yes	72	0.0	0	\$15	\$225	\$140	\$85	5.7	71
Variable	Frequency Drive (VFD) Measures		5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
ECM 5	Install VFDs on Constant Volume (CV) Fans	Yes	5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
Unitary	HVAC Measures		8,200	7.1	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	\$44,334	25.6	8,257
ECM 6	Install High Efficiency Air Conditioning Units	No	8,200	7.1	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	\$44,334	25.6	8,257
Domest	ic Water Heating Upgrade		0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
ECM 7	Install Low-Flow DHW Devices	Yes	0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
Food Se	rvice & Refrigeration Measures		1,027	0.1	27	\$482	\$6,089	\$1,000	\$5,089	10.6	4,151
ECM 8	Food Service Equipment Replacement	Yes	0	0.0	27	\$265	\$4,839	\$1,000	\$3,839	14.5	3,117
ECM 9	Replace Refrigeration Equipment	Yes	1,027	0.1	0	\$217	\$1,250	\$0	\$1,250	5.8	1,035
	TOTALS (COST EFFECTIVE MEASURES)			4.6	27	\$6,528	\$21,038	\$4,002	\$17,037	2.6	33,066
	TOTALS (ALL MEASURES)		37,854	11.7	27	\$8,258	\$68,042	\$6,672	\$61,370	7.4	41,324

<sup>\* -</sup> All incentives presented in this table are included as placeholders for planning purposes and are based on previously run state rebate programs. Contact your utility provider for details on current programs.

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.

<sup>\*\* -</sup> Simple Payback Period is based on net measure costs (i.e. after incentives).





# 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**

Utility-run energy efficiency programs and 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.

#### **Options from Your Utility Company**

#### **Prescriptive and Custom Rebates**

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 Prescriptive and Custom Rebates 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 may be required for some incentives. Contact your utility company for more details prior to project installation.

#### **Direct Install**

The Direct Install program provides turnkey installation of multiple measures through an authorized contractor. This program can provide incentives up to 70% or 80% of the cost of selected measures. A Direct Install contractor will assess and verify individual measure eligibility and perform the installation work. The Direct Install program is available to sites with an average peak demand of less than 200 kW.

#### **Engineered Solutions**

The Engineered Solutions program provides tailored energy-efficiency assistance and turnkey engineering services to municipalities, universities, schools, hospitals, and healthcare facilities (MUSH), non-profit entities, and multifamily buildings. The program provides all professional services from audit, design, construction administration, to commissioning and measurement and verification for custom whole-building energy-efficiency projects. Engineered Solutions 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.

For more details on these programs please contact your utility provider.





#### Options from New Jersey's Clean Energy Program

#### 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 and Power (CHP)

The CHP program provides incentives for combined heat and power (i.e., 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.

#### Successor Solar Incentive Program (SuSI)

New Jersey is committed to supporting solar energy. Solar projects help the state reach the renewable goals outlined in the state's Energy Master Plan. The SuSI program is used to register and certify solar projects in New Jersey. Rebates are not available, but certified solar projects are able to earn one SREC II (Solar Renewable Energy Certificates II) for each megawatt-hour of solar electricity produced from a qualifying solar facility.

#### 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.

#### Large Energy User Program (LEUP)

LEUP is designed to promote self-investment in energy efficiency. It incentivizes owners/users of buildings to upgrade or install energy conserving measures in existing buildings to help offset the capital costs associated with the project. The efficiency upgrades are customized to meet the requirements of the customers' existing facilities, while advancing the State's energy efficiency, conservation, and greenhouse gas reduction goals.

For more details on these programs please visit New Jersey's Clean Energy Program website.







### 2 Existing Conditions

The New Jersey Board of Public Utilities (NJBPU) has sponsored this Local Government Energy Audit (LGEA) report for John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center. 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.

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 October 25, 2022, TRC performed an energy audit at John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center located in Orange, New Jersey. TRC met with EJ Vasquez to review the facility operations and help focus our investigation on specific energy-using systems.

John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center is a one-story, 11,944 square foot building built in 1904. Spaces include classrooms, corridors, offices, commercial kitchen, and basement mechanical space.

### 2.2 Building Occupancy

The facility is occupied Monday through Friday during regular business hours. Janitorial services are performed after hours.

Building Name	Weekday/Weekend	Operating Schedule			
John R. Lewis Early Childhood	Weekday	6:30 AM - 10:30 PM			
Center	Weekend	Closed			

Figure 3 - Building Occupancy Schedule

# 2.3 Building Envelope

Building walls are concrete block with a brick facade. Most of the roof is flat and covered with white membrane, and it is in fair condition. A section of the roof is pitched and covered with asphalt shingles. It is in poor condition.







**Building Exterior** 



Roof





Most of the windows are double glazed and have vinyl frames. The glass-to-frame seals are in fair condition. The operable window weather seals are in fair condition, showing little evidence of excessive wear. Exterior doors have aluminum frames and are in fair condition with undamaged door seals. Degraded window and door seals increase drafts and outside air infiltration.







Exterior Door

Windows

Windows

# 2.4 Lighting Systems

The primary interior lighting system uses 32-Watt linear fluorescent T8 lamps. Fixture types include 2-lamp or 4-lamp, 4-foot-long recessed troffers and recessed can fixtures with LED all-purpose lamps. Typically, T8 fluorescent lamps use electronic ballasts.

All exit signs are LED. Most fixtures are in fair condition. Interior lighting levels were generally sufficient.







LED Exit Sign



Recessed Can

Light fixtures are controlled by wall switches or key switches.







Manual Controls





Exterior fixtures include wall packs, canopy lights, with high intensity discharge (HID) lamps, and LED wall packs and LED flood light fixtures.

Exterior fixtures are photocell or timer controlled, depending on the fixture.







Canopy Fixture

Wall Pack Fixture

Floodlight Fixture

# 2.5 Air Handling Systems

#### **Unitary Electric HVAC Equipment**

Select classrooms are conditioned by two ductless mini split heat pumps. They have a EER of 9.6. The units are in good condition. They each have a capacity of 1.5 tons of cooling and 21.2 MBh of heating.







Outdoor Condensing Units

Thermostat

#### **Air Handling Units (AHUs)**

One air handling unit distributes conditioned air throughout the facility. It is configured as a split system, connected to two outdoor 15-ton condensing units and a 320 MBh inline duct furnace.

The HVAC systems are controlled by programmable thermostats.











Outdoor Condensing Unit

### 2.6 Domestic Hot Water

Hot water is produced by a 50 gallon, 40 MBh gas-fired storage water heater with an efficiency of 80%.





Storage Tank Water Heater

Unit Label

# 2.7 Food Service Equipment

The kitchen has a mix of gas and electric equipment that is used to prepare meals for students. Most cooking is done using a gas-fired oven. Equipment is not high efficiency and is in fair condition.

The dishwasher is an ENERGY STAR® low temperature, door type unit.

Visit <a href="https://www.energystar.gov/products/commercial food service equipment">https://www.energystar.gov/products/commercial food service equipment</a> for the latest information on high efficiency food service equipment.





Griddle



Rack Oven

Dishwasher





# 2.8 Refrigeration

The kitchen has a stand-up refrigerator and freezer with a solid door. There is also a refrigerator chest. Most equipment is high efficiency and in good condition.

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Stand-up Refrigerator and Freezer

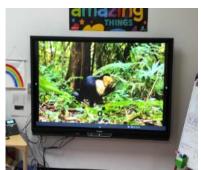
Refrigerator Chest

# 2.9 Plug Load and Vending Machines

The location is doing a great job managing the electrical plug loads. This report makes additional suggestions for ECMs in this area as well as energy efficient best practices.

There are 23 computer workstations throughout the facility. Plug loads include general cafe and office equipment. There are classroom typical loads such as smartboards, projectors, and fans.

There are several mini refrigerators throughout the building. These vary in condition and efficiency.



Smartboard



Washer/Dryer



Copier





# 2.10 Water-Using Systems

There are nine restrooms with toilets and sinks. Faucet flow rates are at 1.5 gallons per minute (gpm) or higher.







Classroom Sink

Restroom Sink

Restroom Sink

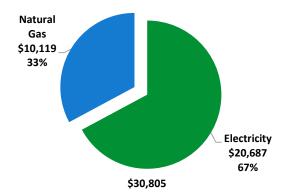




# 3 ENERGY USE AND COSTS

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.

Utility Summary								
Fuel	Usage	Cost						
Electricity	98,065 kWh	\$20,687						
Natural Gas	10,167 Therms	\$10,119						
Total	\$30,805							



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.





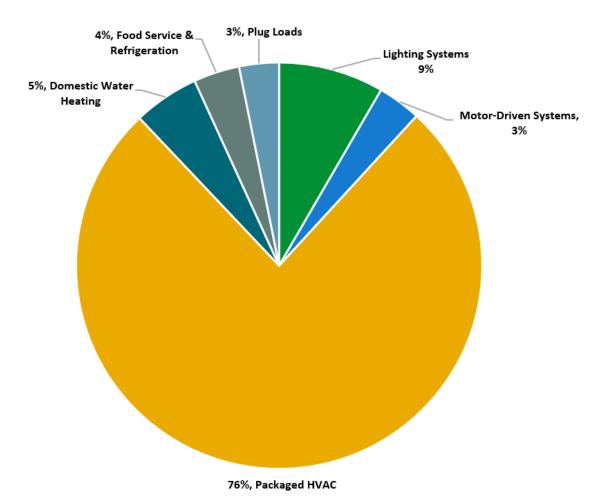


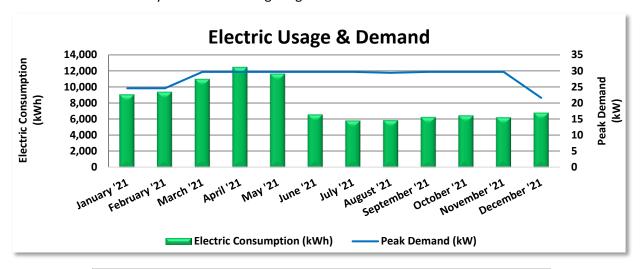
Figure 4 - Energy Balance





# 3.1 Electricity

PSE&G delivers electricity under General Lighting & Power rate class.



	Electric Billing Data										
Period Ending	Days in Electric Usage (kWh)		Demand (kW)	Demand Cost	Total Electric Cost						
1/25/21	38	9,091	25	97	1,829						
2/18/21	24	9,406	25	97	1,933						
3/29/21	39	10,987	30	117	2,249						
4/20/21	22	12,495	30	412	2,864						
5/19/21	29	11,652	30	117	2,000						
6/21/21	33	6,596	30	412	1,571						
7/20/21	29	5,847	30	412	1,516						
8/18/21	29	5,888	29	408	1,516						
9/17/21	30	6,285	30	412	1,505						
10/18/21	31	6,492	30	117	1,228						
11/16/21	29	6,243	30	118	1,218						
12/17/21	31	6,814	22	85	1,203						
Totals	364	97,796	30	\$2,805	\$20,630						
Annual	365	98,065	30	\$2,813	\$20,687						

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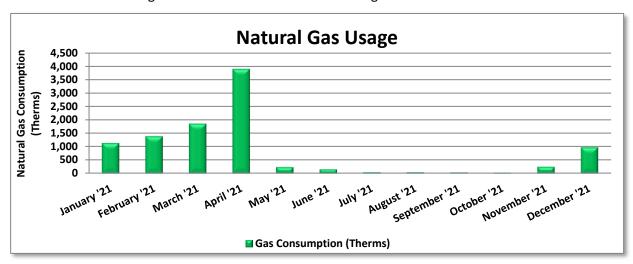
- Peak demand of 30 kW occurred in March 2021.
- Average demand over the past 12 months was 28 kW.
- The average electric cost over the past 12 months was \$0.211/kWh, which is the blended rate that includes energy supply, distribution, demand, and other charges. This report uses this blended rate to estimate energy cost savings.





# 3.2 Natural Gas

PSE&G delivers natural gas under General Service Gas Heating rate class.



Gas Billing Data									
Period Days in Ending Period		Natural Gas Usage (Therms)	Natural Gas Cost						
1/25/21	38	1,141	1,059						
2/18/21	24	1,393	1,200						
3/29/21	39	1,861	1,753						
4/20/21	22	3,895	3,630						
5/19/21	29	248	258						
6/21/21	33	160	172						
7/20/21	29	56	87						
8/18/21	29	56	89						
9/17/21	30	47	83						
10/18/21	31	41	81						
11/16/21	29	259	373						
12/17/21	31	982	1,306						
Totals	364	10,139	\$10,091						
Annual	365	10.167	\$10.119						

#### Notes:

• The average gas cost for the past 12 months is \$0.995/therm, which is the blended rate used throughout the analysis.





### 3.3 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 country, 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**

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This building performs at the national average. This report contains suggestions about how to improve building performance and reduce energy costs.

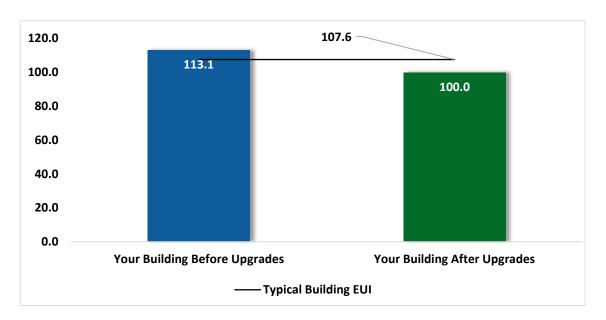


Figure 5 - Energy Use Intensity Comparison<sup>3</sup>

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. Several factors can cause a building to vary from 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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Based on all evaluated ECMs





#### **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 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: <a href="https://www.energystar.gov/buildings/training.">https://www.energystar.gov/buildings/training.</a>

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 and provide information about the cost effectiveness of those improvements. Most energy conservation measures have received preliminary analysis of feasibility, which identifies expected ranges of savings. 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 in this report are based on the previously run state rebate program SmartStart, which has been retired. Now, all investor-owned gas and electric utility companies are offering complementary energy efficiency programs directly to their customers. Some measures and proposed upgrades may be eligible for higher incentives than those shown below. The incentives in the summary tables should be used for high-level planning purposes. To verify incentives, reach out to your utility provider or visit the NJCEP website for more information.

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	Cost Effective?	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)	Peak Demand Savings (kW)	Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)	Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	_
Lighting	Upgrades		19,783	2.5	-3	\$4,146	\$6,731	\$1,537	\$5,194	1.3	19,599
ECM 1	Install LED Fixtures	Yes	6,623	0.0	0	\$1,397	\$2,826	\$475	\$2,351	1.7	6,669
ECM 2	Retrofit Fixtures with LED Lamps	Yes	13,160	2.5	-3	\$2,749	\$3,905	\$1,062	\$2,843	1.0	12,930
Lighting Control Measures			2,983	0.6	-1	\$623	\$3,119	\$535	\$2,584	4.1	2,931
ECM 3	Install Occupancy Sensor Lighting Controls	Yes	2,911	0.5	-1	\$608	\$2,894	\$395	\$2,499	4.1	2,860
ECM 4	Install High/Low Lighting Controls	Yes	72	0.0	0	\$15	\$225	\$140	\$85	5.7	71
Variable	Frequency Drive (VFD) Measures		5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
ECM 5	Install VFDs on Constant Volume (CV) Fans	Yes	5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
Unitary	HVAC Measures		8,200	7.1	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	\$44,334	25.6	8,257
ECM 6	Install High Efficiency Air Conditioning Units	No	8,200	7.1	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	\$44,334	25.6	8,257
Domesti	ic Water Heating Upgrade		0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
ECM 7	Install Low-Flow DHW Devices	Yes	0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
Food Service & Refrigeration Measures			1,027	0.1	27	\$482	\$6,089	\$1,000	\$5,089	10.6	4,151
ECM 8	Food Service Equipment Replacement	Yes	0	0.0	27	\$265	\$4,839	\$1,000	\$3 <i>,</i> 839	14.5	3,117
ECM 9	Replace Refrigeration Equipment	Yes	1,027	0.1	0	\$217	\$1,250	\$0	\$1,250	5.8	1,035
	TOTALS		37,854	11.7	27	\$8,258	\$68,042	\$6,672	\$61,370	7.4	41,324

<sup>\* -</sup> All incentives presented in this table are included as placeholders for planning purposes and are based on previously run state rebate programs. Contact your utility provider for details on current programs.

Figure 6 – All Evaluated ECMs

<sup>\*\* -</sup> Simple Payback Period is based on net measure costs (i.e. after incentives).





#	Energy Conservation Measure	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)	Peak Demand Savings (kW)		Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)	Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Lighting	Upgrades	19,783	2.5	-3	\$4,146	\$6,731	\$1,537	\$5,194	1.3	19,599
ECM 1	Install LED Fixtures	6,623	0.0	0	\$1,397	\$2,826	\$475	\$2,351	1.7	6,669
ECM 2	Retrofit Fixtures with LED Lamps	13,160	2.5	-3	\$2,749	\$3,905	\$1,062	\$2,843	1.0	12,930
Lighting Control Measures		2,983	0.6	-1	\$623	\$3,119	\$535	\$2,584	4.1	2,931
ECM 3	Install Occupancy Sensor Lighting Controls	2,911	0.5	-1	\$608	\$2,894	\$395	\$2,499	4.1	2,860
ECM 4	Install High/Low Lighting Controls	72	0.0	0	\$15	\$225	\$140	\$85	5.7	71
Variable	Frequency Drive (VFD) Measures	5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
ECM 5	Install VFDs on Constant Volume (CV) Fans	5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
Domesti	ic Water Heating Upgrade	0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
ECM 7	Install Low-Flow DHW Devices	0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
Food Service & Refrigeration Measures		1,027	0.1	27	\$482	\$6,089	\$1,000	\$5,089	10.6	4,151
ECM 8	Food Service Equipment Replacement	0	0.0	27	\$265	\$4,839	\$1,000	\$3,839	14.5	3,117
ECM 9	Replace Refrigeration Equipment	1,027	0.1	0	\$217	\$1,250	\$0	\$1,250	5.8	1,035
	TOTALS	29,654	4.6	27	\$6,528	\$21,038	\$4,002	\$17,037	2.6	33,066

<sup>\* -</sup> All incentives presented in this table are included as placeholders for planning purposes and are based on previously run state rebate programs. Contact your utility provider for details on current programs.

Figure 7 – Cost Effective ECMs

<sup>\*\* -</sup> Simple Payback Period is based on net measure costs (i.e. after incentives).





### 4.1 Lighting

#	Energy Conservation Measure		Peak Demand Savings (kW)		Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)		CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Lighting	Lighting Upgrades		2.5	-3	\$4,146	\$6,731	\$1,537	\$5,194	1.3	19,599
ECM 1	Install LED Fixtures	6,623	0.0	0	\$1,397	\$2,826	\$475	\$2,351	1.7	6,669
ECM 2	Retrofit Fixtures with LED Lamps	13,160	2.5	-3	\$2,749	\$3,905	\$1,062	\$2,843	1.0	12,930

When considering lighting upgrades, we suggest using a comprehensive design approach that simultaneously upgrades lighting fixtures and controls to maximize energy savings and improve occupant lighting. Comprehensive design will also consider appropriate lighting levels for different space types to make sure that the right amount of light is delivered where needed. If conversion to LED light sources is proposed, we suggest converting all of a specific lighting type (e.g., linear fluorescent) to LED lamps to minimize the number of lamp types in use at the facility, which should help reduce future maintenance costs.

#### **ECM 1: Install LED Fixtures**

Replace existing fixtures containing HID or halogen incandescent lamps with new LED light fixtures. This measure saves energy by installing LEDs, which use less power than other technologies with a comparable light output.

In some cases, HID fixtures can be retrofit with screw-based LED lamps. Replacing an existing HID fixture with a new LED fixture will generally provide better overall lighting optics; however, replacing the HID lamp with a LED screw-in lamp is typically a less expensive retrofit. We recommend you work with your lighting contractor to determine which retrofit solution is best suited to your needs and will be compatible with the existing fixture(s).

Maintenance savings may also be achieved since LED lamps last longer than other light sources and therefore do not need to be replaced as often.

Affected Building Areas: exterior fixtures.

#### **ECM 2: Retrofit Fixtures with LED Lamps**

Replace fluorescent lamps with LED lamps. Many LED tubes are direct replacements for existing fluorescent tubes and can be installed while leaving the fluorescent fixture ballast in place. LED lamps can be used in existing fixtures as a direct replacement for most other lighting technologies. Be sure to specify replacement lamps that are compatible with existing dimming controls, where applicable. In some circumstances, you may need to upgrade your dimming system for optimum performance.

This measure saves energy by installing LEDs, which use less power than other lighting technologies yet provide equivalent lighting output for the space. Maintenance savings may also be available, as longer-lasting LEDs lamps will not need to be replaced as often as the existing lamps.

Affected Building Areas: all areas with fluorescent fixtures with T8 tubes, incandescent lamps.





### 4.2 Lighting Controls

#	Energy Conservation Measure		Peak Demand Savings (kW)		Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)		CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Lighting	Lighting Control Measures		0.6	-1	\$623	\$3,119	\$535	\$2,584	4.1	2,931
ECM 3	Install Occupancy Sensor Lighting Controls	2,911	0.5	-1	\$608	\$2,894	\$395	\$2,499	4.1	2,860
ECM 4	Install High/Low Lighting Controls	72	0.0	0	\$15	\$225	\$140	\$85	5.7	71

Lighting controls reduce energy use by turning off or lowering lighting fixture power levels when not in use. A comprehensive approach to lighting design should upgrade the lighting fixtures and the controls together for maximum energy savings and improved lighting for occupants.

#### **ECM 3: Install Occupancy Sensor Lighting Controls**

Install occupancy sensors to control lighting fixtures in areas that are frequently unoccupied, even for short periods. For most spaces, we recommend that lighting controls use dual technology sensors, which reduce the possibility of lights turning off unexpectedly.

Occupancy sensors detect occupancy using ultrasonic and/or infrared sensors. When an occupant enters the space, the lighting fixtures switch to full lighting levels. Most occupancy sensor lighting controls allow users to manually turn fixtures on/off, as needed. Some controls can also provide dimming options.

Occupancy sensors can be mounted on the wall at existing switch locations, mounted on the ceiling, or in remote locations. In general, wall switch replacement sensors are best suited to single occupant offices and other small rooms. Ceiling-mounted or remote mounted sensors are used in large spaces, locations without local switching, and where wall switches are not in the line-of-sight of the main work area.

This measure provides energy savings by reducing the lighting operating hours.

Affected Building Areas: offices, classrooms, and restrooms.

#### **ECM 4: Install High/Low Lighting Controls**

Install occupancy sensors to provide dual level lighting control for lighting fixtures in spaces that are infrequently occupied but may require some level of continuous lighting for safety or security reasons.

Lighting fixtures with these controls operate at default low levels when the area is unoccupied to provide minimal lighting to meet security or safety code requirements for egress. Sensors detect occupancy using ultrasonic and/or infrared sensors. When an occupant enters the space, the lighting fixtures switch to full lighting levels. Fixtures automatically switch back to low level after a predefined period of vacancy. In parking lots and parking garages with significant ambient lighting, this control can sometimes be combined with photocell controls to turn the lights off when there is sufficient daylight.

The controller lowers the light level by dimming the fixture output. Therefore, the controlled fixtures need to have a dimmable ballast or driver. This will need to be considered when selecting retrofit lamps and bulbs for the areas proposed for high/low control.

For this type of measure the occupancy sensors will generally be ceiling or fixture mounted. Sufficient sensor coverage must be provided to ensure that lights turn on in each area as occupants approach the area.

This measure provides energy savings by reducing the light fixture power draw when reduced light output is appropriate.

Affected Building Areas: hallways and stairwells.





# 4.3 Variable Frequency Drives (VFD)

#	Energy Conservation Measure	Annual Electric Savings (kWh)	_		Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)		CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Variable	Variable Frequency Drive (VFD) Measures		1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902
LECM 5	Install VFDs on Constant Volume (CV) Fans	5,861	1.4	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	\$4,128	3.3	5,902

Variable frequency drives control motors for fans, pumps, and process equipment based on the actual output required of the driven equipment. Energy savings result from more efficient control of motor energy usage when equipment operates at partial load. The magnitude of energy savings depends on the estimated amount of time that the motor would operate at partial load. For equipment with proposed VFDs, we have included replacing the controlled motor with a new inverter duty rated motor to conservatively account for the cost of an inverter duty rated motor.

#### ECM 5: Install VFDs on Constant Volume (CV) Fans

Install VFDs to control constant volume fan motor speeds. This converts a constant-volume, single-zone air handling system into a variable-air-volume (VAV) system. A separate VFD is usually required to control the return fan motor or dedicated exhaust fan motor if the air handler has one.

Zone thermostats signal the VFD to adjust fan speed to maintain the appropriate temperature in the zone, while maintaining a constant supply air temperature.

For air handlers with direct expansion (DX) cooling systems, the minimum air flow across the cooling coil required to prevent the coil from freezing must be determined during the final project design. The control system programming should maintain the minimum air flow whenever the compressor is operating. Prior to implementation, verify minimum fan speed in cooling mode with the manufacturer. Note that savings will vary depending on the operating characteristics of each AHU.

Energy savings result from reducing the fan speed (and power) when conditions allow for reduced air flow.

Affected Air Handlers: split system fan motor.





# 4.4 Unitary HVAC

#	Energy Conservation Measure		Peak Demand Savings (kW)		Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)		CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (lbs)
Unitary	Unitary HVAC Measures		7.1	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	\$44,334	25.6	8,257
I FCIVI 6	Install High Efficiency Air Conditioning Units	8,200	7.1	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	\$44,334	25.6	8,257

Replacing the unitary HVAC units has a long payback period and may not be justifiable based simply on energy considerations. However, most of the units are nearing or have reached the end of their normal useful life. Typically, the marginal cost of purchasing a high efficiency unit can be justified by the marginal savings from the improved efficiency. When the split system is eventually replaced, consider purchasing equipment that exceeds the minimum efficiency required by building codes.

#### **ECM 6: Install High Efficiency Air Conditioning Units**

We evaluated replacing standard efficiency packaged air conditioning units with high efficiency packaged air conditioning units. Some of the replacement units will incorporate efficient gas furnaces. The magnitude of energy savings for this measure depends on the relative efficiency of the older unit versus the new high efficiency unit, the average cooling and heating load, and the estimated annual operating hours.

Affected Units: split system condensing units.

# 4.5 Domestic Water Heating

#	Energy Conservation Measure		_	Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Estimated Net M&L Cost (\$)		CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (Ibs)
Domestic Water Heating Upgrade		0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484
ECM 7	Install Low-Flow DHW Devices	0	0.0	4	\$41	\$72	\$30	\$42	1.0	484

#### **ECM 7: 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
Faucet aerator (kitchen)	1.5 gpm
Showerhead	2.0 gpm
Pre-rinse spray valve (kitchen)	1.28 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.





# 4.6 Food Service & Refrigeration Measures

#	# Energy Conservation Measure		Peak Demand Savings (kW)	Annual Fuel Savings (MMBtu)	Annual Energy Cost Savings (\$)	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Estimated Incentive (\$)*	Net M&L	Simple Payback Period (yrs)**	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (Ibs)
Food Se	Food Service & Refrigeration Measures		0.1	27	\$482	\$6,089	\$1,000	\$5,089	10.6	4,151
LECIM 8	ECM 8 Replacement		0.0	27	\$265	\$4,839	\$1,000	\$3,839	14.5	3,117
LECIM 9	Replace Refrigeration Equipment	1,027	0.1	0	\$217	\$1,250	\$0	\$1,250	5.8	1,035

### **ECM 8: Food Service Equipment Replacement**

Buildings that use a lot of food service equipment are often among the most energy-intensive commercial buildings. Replace existing food service equipment with new, high-efficiency equipment. Consider replacing the following equipment with high efficiency or ENERGY STAR® labeled versions:

Location	Quantity	Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Model
Kitchen 1	1	Gas Rack Oven (Single)	Vulcan	Unknown

Visit <a href="https://www.energystar.gov/products/commercial food service equipment">https://www.energystar.gov/products/commercial food service equipment</a> for the latest information on high efficiency food service equipment.

#### **ECM 9: Replace Refrigeration Equipment**

Replace existing commercial refrigerators with new ENERGY STAR® rated equipment. The energy savings associated with this measure come from reduced energy usage, due to more efficient technology, and reduced run times.

Affected Equipment: refrigerator chest.





# 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.

Operation and maintenance (O&M) plans enhance the operational efficiency of HVAC and other energy intensive systems and could save 5% –20% of the energy usage in your building without substantial capital investment. A successful plan includes your records of energy usage trends and costs, building equipment lists, current maintenance practices, and planned capital upgrades, and it incorporates your ideas for improved building operation. Your plan will address goals for energy-efficient operation, provide detail on how to reach the goals, and outline procedures for measuring and reporting whether goals have been achieved.

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 cannot manage what you do not 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 emissions<sup>4</sup>. Your account has already been established. Now you can continue to keep tabs on your energy performance every month.

#### **Doors and Windows**

Close exterior doors and windows in heated and cooled areas. Leaving doors and windows open leads to a loss of heat during the winter and chilled air during the summer. Reducing air changes per hour can lead to increased occupant comfort as well as heating and cooling savings, especially when combined with proper HVAC controls and adequate ventilation.

#### **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.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> https://www.energystar.gov/buildings/facility-owners-and-managers/existing-buildings/use-portfolio-manager.





#### **Motor Controls**

Electric motors often run unnecessarily, and this is an overlooked opportunity to save energy. These motors should be identified and turned off when appropriate. For example, exhaust fans often run unnecessarily when ventilation requirements are already met. Whenever possible, use automatic devices such as twist timers or occupancy sensors to turn off motors when they are not needed.

#### **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.

#### **Fans to Reduce Cooling Load**

Install ceiling fans to supplement your cooling system. Thermostat settings can typically be increased by 4°F with no change in overall occupant comfort due to the wind chill effect of moving air.

#### **Thermostat Schedules and Temperature Resets**



Use thermostat setback temperatures and schedules to reduce heating and cooling energy use during periods of low or no occupancy. Thermostats should be programmed for a setback of 5°F-10°F during low occupancy hours (reduce heating setpoints and increase cooling setpoints). Cooling load can be reduced by increasing the facility's occupied setpoint temperature. In general, during the cooling season, thermostats should be set as high as possible without sacrificing occupant comfort.

#### **AC System Evaporator/Condenser Coil Cleaning**

Dirty evaporator and condenser coils restrict air flow and restrict heat transfer. This increases the loads on the evaporator and condenser fan and decreases overall cooling system performance. Keeping the coils clean allows the fans and cooling system to operate more efficiently.

#### **HVAC Filter Cleaning and Replacement**

Air filters should be checked regularly (often monthly) and cleaned or replaced when appropriate. Air filters reduce indoor air pollution, increase occupant comfort, and help keep equipment operating efficiently. If the building has a building management system, consider installing a differential pressure switch across filters to send an alarm about premature fouling or overdue filter replacement. Over time, filters become less and less effective as particulate buildup increases. Dirty filters also restrict air flow through the air conditioning or heat pump system, which increases the load on the distribution fans.

#### **Ductwork Maintenance**

Duct maintenance has two primary goals: keep the ducts clean to avoid air quality problems and seal leaks to save energy. Check for cleanliness, obstructions that block airflow, water damage, and leaks. Ducts should be inspected at least every two years.

The biggest symptoms of clogged air ducts are differing temperatures throughout the building and areas with limited airflow from supply registers. If a particular air duct is clogged, then air flow will only be cut





off to some rooms in the building—not all of them. The reduced airflow will make it more difficult for those areas to reach the temperature setpoint, which will cause the HVAC system to run longer to cool or heat that area properly. If you suspect clogged air ducts, ensure that all areas in front of supply registers are clear of items that may block or restrict air flow, and you should check for fire dampers or balancing dampers that have failed closed.

Duct leakage in commercial buildings can account for 5%–25% of the supply airflow. In the case of rooftop air handlers, duct leakage can occur to the outside of the building wasting conditioned air. Check ductwork for leakage. Eliminating duct leaks can improve ventilation system performance and reduce heating and cooling system operation.

Distribution system losses are dependent on-air system temperature, the size of the distribution system, and the level of insulation of the ductwork. Significant energy savings can be achieved when insulation has not been well maintained. When the insulation is missing or worn, the system efficiency can be significantly reduced. This measure saves energy by reducing heat transfer in the distribution system.

#### Optimize HVAC Equipment Schedules

Energy management systems (BAS) typically provide advanced controls for building HVAC systems, including chillers, boilers, air handling units, rooftop units and exhaust fans. The BAS monitors and reports operational status, schedules equipment start and stop times, locks out equipment operation based on outside air or space temperature, and often optimizes damper and valve operation based on complex algorithms. These BAS features, when in proper adjustment, can improve comfort for building occupants and save substantial energy.

Know your BAS scheduling capabilities. Regularly monitor HVAC equipment operating schedules and match them to building operating hours in order to eliminate unnecessary equipment operation and save energy. Monitoring should be performed often at sites with frequently changing usage patterns — daily in some cases. We recommend using the *optimal start* feature of the BAS (if available) to optimize the building warmup sequence. Most BAS scheduling programs provide for holiday schedules, which can be used during reduced use or shutdown periods. Finally, many systems are equipped with a one-time override function, which can be used to provide additional space conditioning due to a one-time, special event. When available this override feature should be used rather than changing the base operating schedule.

#### **Water Heater Maintenance**

The lower the supply water temperature that is used for hand washing sinks, the less energy is needed to heat the water. Reducing the temperature results in energy savings and the change is often unnoticeable to users. Be sure to review the domestic water temperature requirements for sterilizers and dishwashers as you investigate reducing the supply water temperature.

Also, 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.

#### **Water Conservation**



Installing dual flush or low-flow toilets and low-flow/waterless urinals are ways to reduce water use. The EPA WaterSense® ratings for urinals is 0.5 gallons per flush (gpf) and for flush valve toilets is 1.28 gpf (this is lower than the current 1.6 gpf federal standard).

For more information regarding water conservation go to the EPA's WaterSense™ website<sup>5</sup> or download a copy of EPA's "WaterSense™ at Work: Best Management

Practices for Commercial and Institutional Facilities"<sup>6</sup> to get ideas for creating a water management plan and best practices for a wide range of water using systems.

Water conservation devices that do not reduce hot water consumption will not provide energy savings at the site level, but they may significantly affect your water and sewer usage costs. Any reduction in water use does however ultimately reduce grid-level electricity use since a significant amount of electricity is used to deliver water from reservoirs to end users.

If the facility has detached buildings with a master water meter for the entire campus, check for unnatural wet areas in the lawn or water seeping in the foundation at water pipe penetrations through the foundation. Periodically check overnight meter readings when the facility is unoccupied, and there is no other scheduled water usage.

Manage irrigation systems to use water more effectively outside the building. Adjust spray patterns so that water lands on intended lawns and plantings and not on pavement and walls. Consider installing an evapotranspiration irrigation controller that will prevent over-watering.

#### **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.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> https://www.epa.gov/watersense.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> https://www.epa.gov/watersense/watersense-work-0.





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 cost-effective 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 sufficient and 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.

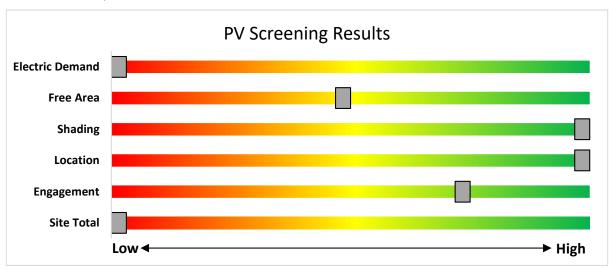


Figure 8 - Photovoltaic Screening





#### **Successor Solar Incentive Program (SuSI)**

The SuSI program replaces the SREC Registration Program (SRP) and the Transition Incentive (TI) program. The SuSI program is used to register and certify solar projects in New Jersey. Rebates are not available for solar projects. Solar projects may qualify to earn SREC- IIs (Solar Renewable Energy Certificates-II), however, the project owners *must* register their solar projects prior to the start of construction to establish the project's eligibility.

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:

Successor Solar Incentive Program (SuSI): <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/renewable-energy/programs/susi-program">https://www.njcleanenergy.com/renewable-energy/programs/susi-program</a>

- Basic Info on Solar PV in NJ: www.njcleanenergy.com/whysolar
- **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: <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/nj-smartstart-buildings/tools-and-resources/tradeally/approved\_vendorsearch/?id=60&start=1">www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/nj-smartstart-buildings/tools-and-resources/tradeally/approved\_vendorsearch/?id=60&start=1</a>





#### 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.

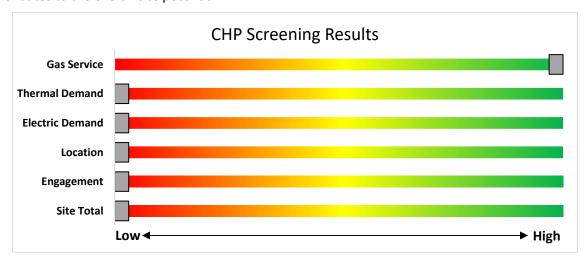


Figure 9 - Combined Heat and Power Screening

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





## 7 ELECTRIC VEHICLES (EV)

All electric vehicles (EVs) have an electric motor instead of an internal combustion engine. EVs function by plugging into a charge point, taking electricity from the grid, and then storing it in rechargeable batteries. Although electricity production may contribute to air pollution, the U.S. EPA categorizes all-electric vehicles as zero-emission vehicles because they produce no direct exhaust or tailpipe emissions.

EVs are typically more expensive than similar conventional and hybrid vehicles, although some cost can be recovered through fuel savings, federal tax credit, or state incentives.

## 7.1 Electric Vehicle Charging

EV charging stations provide a means for electric vehicle operators to recharge their batteries at a facility. While many EV drivers charge at home, others do not have access to regular home charging, and the ability to charge at work or in public locations is critical to making EVs practical for more drivers. Charging can also be used for electric fleet vehicles, which can reduce fuel and maintenance costs for fleets that replace gas or diesel vehicles with EVs.

EV charging comes in three main types. For this assessment, the screening considers addition of Level 2 charging, which is most common at workplaces and other public locations. Depending on the site type

and usage, other levels of charging power may be more appropriate.

The preliminary assessment of EV charging at the facility shows that there is medium potential for adding EV chargers to the facility's parking, based on potential costs of installation and other site factors.

The primary costs associated with installing EV charging are the charger hardware and the cost to extend power from the facility to parking spaces. This may include upgrades to electric panels to serve increased loads.

The type and size of the parking area impact the costs and feasibility of adding EV charging. Parking structure installations can be less costly than surface lot installations as power may be

readily available, and equipment and wiring can be surface mounted. Parking lot installations often require trenching through concrete or asphalt surface. Large parking areas provide greater flexibility in charger siting than smaller lots.

The location and capacity of facility electric panels also impact charger installation costs. A Level 2 charger generally requires a dedicated 208-240V, 40 Amp circuit. The electric panel nearest the planned installation may not have available capacity and may need to be upgraded to serve new EV charging loads. Alternatively, chargers could be powered from a more distant panel. The distance from the panel to the location of charging stations ties directly to costs, as conduits, cables, and potential trenching costs all increase on a per-foot basis. The more charging stations planned, the more likely it is that additional electrical capacity will be needed.







Other factors to consider when planning for EV charging at a facility include who the intended users are, how long they park vehicles at the site, and whether they will need to pay for the electricity they use.

The graphic below displays the results of the EV charging assessment conducted as part of this audit. The position of each slider indicates the impact each factor has on the feasibility of installing EV charging at the site.

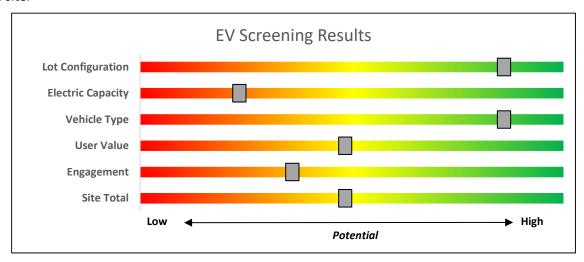


Figure 10 - EV Charger Screening

#### **Electric Vehicle Programs Available**

New Jersey is leading the way on electric vehicle (EV) adoption on the East Coast. There are several programs designed to encourage EV adoption in New Jersey, which is crucial to reaching a 100% clean energy future.

NJCEP offers a variety of EV programs for vehicles, charging stations, and fleets. Certain EV charging stations that receive electric utility service from Atlantic City Electric Company (ACE) or Public Service Electric & Gas Company (PSE&G), may be eligible for additional electric vehicle charging incentives directly from the utility. Projects may be eligible for both the incentives offered by this BPU program and incentives offered by ACE or PSE&G, up to 90% of the combined charger purchase and installation costs. Please check ACE or PSE&G program eligibility requirements before purchasing EV charging equipment, as additional conditions on types of eligible chargers may apply for utility incentives.

Both Jersey Central Power & Light (JCP&L) and Rockland Electric (RECO) have filed proposals for EV charging programs. BPU staff is currently reviewing those proposals.

For more information and to keep up to date on all EV programs please visit <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/electric-vehicle-programs">https://www.njcleanenergy.com/commercial-industrial/programs/electric-vehicle-programs</a>





## 8 PROJECT FUNDING AND INCENTIVES

Ready to improve your building's performance? New Jersey's Clean Energy Programs and Utility Energy Efficiency Programs can help. Pick the program that works best for you. This section provides an overview of currently available incentive programs in.





## Program areas staying with NJCEP:

- New Construction (residential, commercial, industrial, government)
- · Large Energy Users
- · Combined Heat & Power & Fuel Cells
- · State Facilities
- Local Government Energy Audits
- · Energy Savings Improvement Program
- Solar & Community Solar





## 8.1 Utility Energy Efficiency Programs

The Clean Energy Act, signed into law by Governor Murphy in 2018, requires New Jersey's investor-owned gas and electric utilities to reduce their customers' use by set percentages over time. To help reach these targets the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities approved a comprehensive suite of energy efficiency programs to be run by the utility companies.

#### **Prescriptive and Custom**

The Prescriptive and Custom rebate program through your utility provider 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.

#### **Equipment Examples**

Lighting
Lighting Controls
HVAC Equipment
Refrigeration
Gas Heating
Gas Cooling
Commercial Kitchen Equipment
Food Service Equipment

Variable Frequency Drives
Electronically Commutate Motors
Variable Frequency Drives
Plug Loads Controls
Washers and Dryers
Agricultural
Water Heating

The Prescriptive program provides fixed incentives for specific energy efficiency measures. Prescriptive incentives vary by equipment type. The Custom program provides incentives for more unique or specialized technologies or systems that are not addressed through prescriptive incentives.

#### 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 or less over the recent 12-month period. You work directly with a pre-approved 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.

#### **How to Participate**

To participate in Direct Install, you will work with a participating contractor. 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 Direct Install program, subject to program rules and eligibility, while the remaining percent of the cost is paid to the contractor by the customer.





## **Engineered Solutions**

The Engineered Solutions Program provides tailored energy-efficiency assistance and services to municipalities, universities, schools, hospitals and healthcare facilities (MUSH), non-profit entities, and multifamily buildings. Customers receive expert guided services, including investment-grade energy auditing, engineering design, installation assistance, construction administration, commissioning, and measurement and verification (M&V) services to support the implementation of cost-effective and comprehensive efficiency projects. Engineered Solutions is generally a good option for medium to large sized facilities with a peak demand over 200 kW looking to implement as many measures as possible under a single project to achieve deep energy savings. Engineered Solutions 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 for this program are based on project scope and energy savings achieved.

For more information on any of these programs, contact your local utility provider or visit <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/transition">https://www.njcleanenergy.com/transition</a>.





## 8.2 New Jersey's Clean Energy Programs

Save money while saving the planet! New Jersey's Clean Energy Program is a statewide program that offers incentives, programs, and services that benefit New Jersey residents, businesses, educational, non-profit, and government entities to help them save energy, money, and the environment.

#### **Large Energy Users**

The Large Energy Users Program (LEUP) is designed to foster self-directed investment in energy projects. This program is offered to New Jersey's largest energy customers that annually contribute at least \$200,000 to the NJCEP aggregate of all buildings/sites. This equates to roughly \$5 million in energy costs in the prior fiscal year.

#### **Incentives**

Incentives are based on the specifications below. The maximum incentive per entity is the lesser of:

- \$4 million
- 75% of the total project(s) cost
- 90% of total NJCEP fund contribution in previous year
- \$0.33 per projected kWh saved; \$3.75 per projected Therm saved annually

#### **How to Participate**

To participate in LEUP, you will first need submit an enrollment application. This program requires all qualified and approved applicants to submit an energy plan that outlines the proposed energy efficiency work for review and approval. Applicants may submit a Draft Energy Efficiency Plan (DEEP), or a Final Energy Efficiency Plan (FEEP). Once the FEEP is approved, the proposed work can begin.

Detailed program descriptions, instructions for applying, and applications can be found at <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/LEUP">www.njcleanenergy.com/LEUP</a>.





#### **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) <sup>1</sup>	Incentive (\$/kW)	% of Total Cost Cap per Project <sup>3</sup>	\$ Cap per Project <sup>3</sup>
Powered by non- renewable or renewable fuel source <sup>4</sup>	≤500 kW	\$2,000	30-40% <sup>2</sup>	\$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	<1 MW	\$1,000	30%	\$2 million
Power*	> 1MW	\$500	50 /6	\$3 million

<sup>\*</sup>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 will 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.





## Successor Solar Incentive Program (SuSI)

The SuSI program replaces the SREC Registration Program (SRP) and the Transition Incentive (TI) program. The program is used to register and certify 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 SREC-IIs (Solar Renewable Energy Certificates-II). SuSI consists of two subprograms. The Administratively Determined Incentive (ADI) Program and the Competitive Solar Incentive (CSI) Program.

#### Administratively Determined Incentive (ADI) Program

The ADI Program provides administratively set incentives for net metered residential projects, net metered non-residential projects 5 MW or less, and all community solar projects.

After the registration is accepted, construction is complete, and a complete final as-built packet has been submitted, the project is issued a New Jersey certification number, which enables it to generate New Jersey SREC- IIs.

Market Segments	Size MW dc	Incentive Value (\$/SREC II)	Public Entities Incentive Value - \$20 Adder (\$/SRECII)
Net Metered Residential	All types and sizes	\$90	N/A
Small Net Metered Non-Residential located on Rooftop, Carport, Canopy and Floating Solar	Projects smaller than 1 MW	\$100	\$120
Large Net Metered Non-Residential located on Rooftop, Carport, Canopy and Floating Solar	Projects 1 MW to 5 MW	\$90	\$110
Small Net Metered Non-Residential Ground Mount	Projects smaller than 1 MW	\$85	\$105
Large Net Metered Non-Residential Ground Mount	Projects 1 MW to 5 MW	\$80	\$100
LMI Community Solar	Up to 5 MW	\$90	N/A
Non-LMI Community Solar	Up to 5 MW	\$70	N/A
Interim Subsection (t)	All types and sizes	\$100	N/A

Eligible projects may generate SREC-IIs for 15 years following the commencement of commercial operations which is defined as permission to operate (PTO) from the Electric Distribution Company. After 15 years, projects may be eligible for a NJ Class I REC.

SREC-IIs will be purchased monthly by the SREC-II Program Administrator who will allocate the SREC-IIs to the Load Serving Entities (BGS Providers and Third-Party Suppliers) annually based on their market share of retail electricity sold during the relevant Energy Year.

The ADI Program online portal is now open to new registrations.

#### **Competitive Solar Incentive Program**

The Competitive Solar Incentive (CSI) Program will provide competitively set incentives for grid supply projects and net metered non-residential projects greater than 5MW (dc). The program is currently under development. For updates, please continue to check the <u>Solar Proceedings</u> page on the New Jersey's Clean Energy Program website.

Solar projects help the State of New Jersey reach renewable energy goals outlined in the state's Energy Master Plan.

If you are considering installing solar photovoltaics on your building, visit the following link for more information: <a href="https://njcleanenergy.com/renewable-energy/programs/susi-program">https://njcleanenergy.com/renewable-energy/programs/susi-program</a>.





## **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 into contracts to help finance building energy upgrades. Annual payments are lower than the savings projected from the energy conservation measures (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 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 descriptions and application can be found at <a href="https://www.njcleanenergy.com/ESIP">www.njcleanenergy.com/ESIP</a>.

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.





## 9 PROJECT DEVELOPMENT

Energy conservation measures (ECMs) have been identified for your site, and their energy and economic analyses are provided within this LGEA report. Note that some of the identified projects may be mutually exclusive, such as replacing equipment versus upgrading motors or controls. The next steps with project development are to set goals and create a comprehensive project plan. The graphic below provides an overview of the process flow for a typical energy efficiency or renewable energy project. We recommend implementing as many ECMs as possible prior to undertaking a feasibility study for a renewable project. The cyclical nature of this process flow demonstrates the ongoing work required to continually improve building energy efficiency over time. If your building(s) scope of work is relatively simple to implement or small in scope, the measurement and verification (M&V) step may not be required. It should be noted through a typical project cycle, there will be changes in costs based on specific scopes of work, contractor selections, design considerations, construction, etc. The estimated costs provided throughout this LGEA report demonstrate the unburdened turn-key material and labor cost only. There will be contingencies and additional costs at the time of implementation. We recommend comprehensive project planning that includes the review of multiple bids for project work, incorporates potential operations and maintenance (O&M) cost savings, and maximizes your incentive potential.

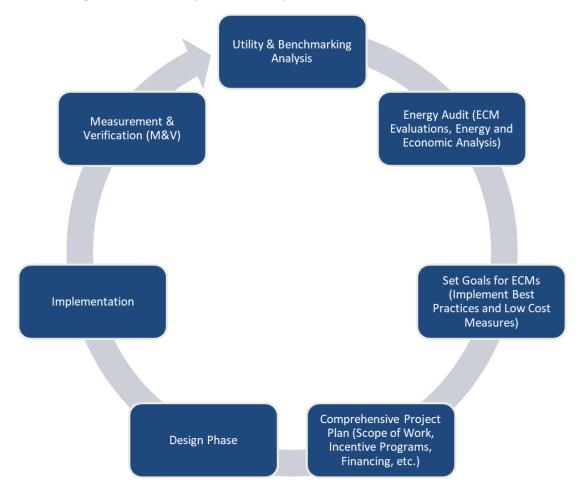


Figure 11 - Project Development Cycle





## 10 ENERGY PURCHASING AND PROCUREMENT STRATEGIES

## 10.1 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. 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 website<sup>7</sup>.

## 10.2 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 fluctuate monthly. The utility provides basic gas supply service 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 website<sup>8</sup>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> www.state.nj.us/bpu/commercial/shopping.html.

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# **APPENDIX A: EQUIPMENT INVENTORY & RECOMMENDATIONS**

	Existin	g Conditions					Prop	osed Condition	ns						Energy In	npact & F	inancial <i>I</i>	Analysis			
Location	Fixture Quantit y	Fixture Description	Control System	Light Level	Watts per Fixtur e	Annual Operatin g Hours	ECM #	Fixture Recommendation	Add Controls?	Fixture Quantit y	Fixture Description	Control System	Watts per Fixtur e	Annual Operatin g Hours	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings	Total Annual MMBtu Savings	Total Annual Energy Cost Savings	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Classroom 100	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Classroom 100	8	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	8	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.2	1,301	0	\$272	\$562	\$115	1.6
Classroom 102	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Classroom 102	10	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	10	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.3	1,626	0	\$340	\$635	\$135	1.5
Classroom 104	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Classroom 104	8	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	8	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.2	1,301	0	\$272	\$562	\$115	1.6
Classroom 105	9	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	9	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.3	1,463	0	\$306	\$599	\$125	1.5
Classroom 106	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Classroom 106	6	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	6	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.2	976	0	\$204	\$489	\$95	1.9
Classroom 8	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	1	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Classroom 8	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Corridor 1	9	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	9	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Corridor 1	4	LED - Fixtures: Downlight Recessed	Wall Switch		15	3,520	4	None	Yes	4	LED - Fixtures: Downlight Recessed	High/Low Control	15	2,429	0.0	72	0	\$15	\$225	\$140	5.7
Corridor 1	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Exterior 1	4	High-Pressure Sodium: (1) 70W Lamp	Timeclock		95	4,380	1	Fixture Replacement	No	4	LED - Fixtures: Outdoor Wall- Mounted Area Fixture	Timeclock	21	4,380	0.0	1,296	0	\$273	\$824	\$200	2.3
Exterior 1	3	Halogen Incandes cent: (1) 250W Screw-in Lamps	Photocell		250	4,380	1	Fixture Replacement	No	3	LED - Fixtures: Landscape/Accent Flood and Spot Luminaires	Photocell	38	4,380	0.0	2,786	0	\$588	\$618	\$75	0.9
Exterior 1	1	LED - Fixtures: Cove Mount	Photocell		35	4,380		None	No	1	LED - Fixtures: Cove Mount	Photocell	35	4,380	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Exterior 1	4	LED - Fixtures: Flood Fixture	Photocell		33	4,380		None	No	4	LED - Fixtures: Flood Fixture	Photocell	33	4,380	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Exterior 1	4	Metal Halide: (1) 150W Lamp	Photocell		190	4,380	1	Fixture Replacement	No	4	LED - Fixtures: Outdoor Wall- Mounted Area Fixture	Photocell	45	4,380	0.0	2,540	0	\$536	\$1,383	\$200	2.2
Kitchen 1	2	Incandescent: (1) 60W A19 Screw-In Lamp	Wall Switch		60	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	2		Occupanc y Sensor	9	2,429	0.1	417	0	\$87	\$150	\$22	1.5
Kitchen 1	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Kitchen 1	4	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	4	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.1	650	0	\$136	\$416	\$75	2.5
Lounge 1	4	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	4	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.1	650	0	\$136	\$416	\$75	2.5
Multipurpose 1	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Multipurpose 1	2	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None		6	8,760		None	No	2	Exit Signs: LED - 2 W Lamp	None	6	8,760	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0





	Existin	g Conditions					Prop	osed Conditio	ons						Energy li	mpact & F	inancial <i>A</i>	Analysis			
Location	Fixture Quantit y	Fixture Description	Control System	Light Level	Watts per Fixtur e	Annual Operatin g Hours	ECM #	Fixture Recommendation	Add Controls?	Fixture Quantit y	Fixture Description	Control System	Watts per Fixtur e	Annual Operatin g Hours	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings	Total Annual MMBtu Savings	Total Annual Energy Cost Savings	Estimated M&L Cost (\$)	Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Multipurpose 1	11	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 4L	Wall Switch		114	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	11	LED - Linear Tubes: (4) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	58	2,429	0.6	3,151	-1	\$658	\$1,073	\$255	1.2
Office - Enclosed 1	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 4L	Wall Switch		114	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (4) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	58	3,520	0.0	217	0	\$45	\$73	\$20	1.2
Office - Enclosed 2	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 4L	Wall Switch		114	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (4) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	58	3,520	0.0	217	0	\$45	\$73	\$20	1.2
Office - Enclosed 3	3	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 4L	Wall Switch		114	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	3	LED - Linear Tubes: (4) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	58	2,429	0.2	859	0	\$179	\$489	\$95	2.2
Office - Enclosed 4	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 4L	Wall Switch		114	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (4) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	58	3,520	0.0	217	0	\$45	\$73	\$20	1.2
Office - Enclosed 5	2	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.1	325	0	\$68	\$189	\$40	2.2
Office - Enclosed 6	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Office - Enclosed 6	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Office - Enclosed 7	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Office - Enclosed Nurse	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Office - Enclosed Nurse 2	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Female 1	2	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.1	325	0	\$68	\$189	\$40	2.2
Restroom - Male 1	2	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2, 3	Relamp	Yes	2	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Occupanc y Sensor	29	2,429	0.1	325	0	\$68	\$189	\$40	2.2
Restroom - Unisex 100	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Unisex 102	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Unisex 104	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Unisex 105	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Unisex	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Unisex 8	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Restroom - Unisex Nurse	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	3,520	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	3,520	0.0	128	0	\$27	\$37	\$10	1.0
Storage 1	1	Linear Fluorescent - T8: 4' T8 (32W) - 2L	Wall Switch		62	200	2	Relamp	No	1	LED - Linear Tubes: (2) 4' Lamps	Wall Switch	29	200	0.0	7	0	\$2	\$37	\$10	17.5
Mechanical 1	2	LED Lamps: (1) 10W A19 Screw-In Lamp	Wall Switch		10	200		None	No	2	LED Lamps: (1) 10W A19 Screw-In Lamp	Wall Switch	10	200	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0





## **Motor Inventory & Recommendations**

		Existing	g Conditions								Prop	osed Co	nditions	5		Energy In	pact & Fir	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	Motor Quantit Y	Motor Application	HP Per Motor	Full Load Efficienc Y	VFD Control?	Manufacturer	Model	Remaining Useful Life	Annual Operating Hours	ECM #	Install High Efficienc y Motors?	Full Load Efficiency			Total Peak kW Savings	kWh		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings		Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Exterior 2	John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	3	Exhaust Fan	0.3	65.0%	No	Unknown	Unknown	W	2,745		No	65.0%	No		0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Mechanical 1	John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	1	Other	0.3	65.0%	No	Unknown	Unknown	W	200		No	65.0%	No		0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Mechanical 1	John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	1	Supply Fan	5.0	89.5%	No	Unknown	Unknown	W	3,750	5	No	89.5%	Yes	1	1.4	5,861	0	\$1,236	\$5,028	\$900	3.3

Packaged HVAC Inventory & Recommendations

	-	Existi	ng Conditions								Prop	osed C	ondition	S					Energy Im	npact & Fi	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	System Quantit	n t System Type	Cooling Capacit y per Unit (Tons)	Heating Capacity per Unit (MBh)	Cooling Mode Efficiency (SEER/IEER/ EER)	Heating Mode Efficiency	Manufacturer	Model	Remaining Useful Life	ECM #	Install High Efficien y System	System C Quantit y	System Type	Cooling Capacit y per Unit (Tons)	Heating Capacity per Unit (MBh)	Cooling Mode Efficiency (SEER/IEER/ EER)	Heating Mode Efficiency	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings	Total Annual MMBtu Savings	Total Annual Energy Cost Savings		Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Machanical 1	John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	2	Split-System	15.00		9.00		York	HAHB-T180AB	В	6	Yes	2	Split-System	15.00		14.00		7.1	8,200	0	\$1,730	\$47,004	\$2,670	25.6
Mechanical 1	John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	1 1	Split-System		320.00		0.8 AFUE	Nortek	EEDU-400	W		No							0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Exterior 2	Classrooms	2	Ductless Mini-Split HP	1.50	21.20	9.60	9.8 HSPF	Daikin	RX18RMVJU9	W		No							0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0

## **DHW Inventory & Recommendations**

		Existin	g Conditions				Prop	osed Co	nditio	ns			Energy In	npact & Fir	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Area(s)/System(s) Served	System Quantit y	System Type	Manufacturer	Model	Remaining Useful Life		Replace?	System Quantit y	System Type	Fuel Type	· ·	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings		Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Mechanical 1	John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	1	Storage Tank Water Heater (≤ 50 Gal)	Bradford White	RG250T6N	W		No					0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0

## **Low-Flow Device Recommendations**

	Reco	mmeda	ation Inputs			<b>Energy In</b>	npact & Fi	nancial An	alysis			
Location	ECM #	Device Quantit y	Device Type	Existing Flow Rate (gpm)	Proposed Flow Rate (gpm)	Total Peak kW Savings	kWh		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings		Total Incentives	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
John R. Lewis Childhood Center	7	4	Faucet Aerator (Kitchen)	2.20	1.50	0.0	0	1	\$8	\$29	\$8	2.7
John R. Lewis Childhood Center	7	6	Faucet Aerator (Lavatory)	2.50	0.50	0.0	0	3	\$33	\$43	\$22	0.6





Commercial Refrigerator/Freezer Inventory & Recommendations

	Existin	g Conditions				Proposed	Conditions	Energy In	npact & Fi	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Quantit y	Refrigerator/ Freezer Type	Manufacturer	Model	ENERGY STAR Qualified?	ECM #	Install ENERGY STAR Equipment?	Total Peak	kWh		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings			Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Kitchen 1	1	Refrigerator Chest	Powers	Unknown	No	9	Yes	0.1	1,027	0	\$217	\$1,250	\$0	5.8
Kitchen 1	1	Stand-Up Refrigerator, Solid Door (31 - 50 cu. ft.)	M3 Turbo Air	M3R47-2	Yes		No	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Kitchen 1	1	Stand-Up Freezer, Solid Door (31 - 50 cu. ft.)	M3 Turbo Air	M3F47-2	Yes		No	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0

**Cooking Equipment Inventory & Recommendations** 

	Existing	Conditions				Proposed	Conditions	Energy I	mpact & F	inancial A	<b>Analysis</b>			
Location	Quantity	Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Model	High Efficiency Equipement?	ECM#	Install High Efficiency Equipment?	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings		Total Annual Energy Cost Savings		Total	Simple Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Kitchen 1	1	Gas Combination Oven/Steam Cooker (<15 Pans)	Vulcan	Unknown	No		No	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0
Kitchen 1	1	Gas Rack Oven (Single)	Vulcan	Unknown	No	8	Yes	0.0	0	27	\$265	\$4,839	\$1,000	14.5
Kitchen 1	1	Gas Griddle (3 Feet Width)	Vulcan	Unknown	No		No	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0

**Dishwasher Inventory & Recommendations** 

	Existing (	Conditions						Proposed	Conditions	Energy In	npact & Fi	nancial An	alysis			
Location	Quantity	Dishwasher Type	Manufacturer	Model	Water Heater Fuel Type	Heater Fuel	ENERGY STAR Qualified?	ECM#	Install ENERGY STAR Equipment?	Total Peak kW Savings	Total Annual kWh Savings	Total Annual MMBtu Savings	Total Annual Energy Cost Savings	M&L Cost	Total Incentives	Payback w/ Incentives in Years
Kitchen 1	1	Door Type (Low Temp)	CMA	L-1X16	Natural Gas	N/A	Yes		No	0.0	0	0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0





## **Plug Load Inventory**

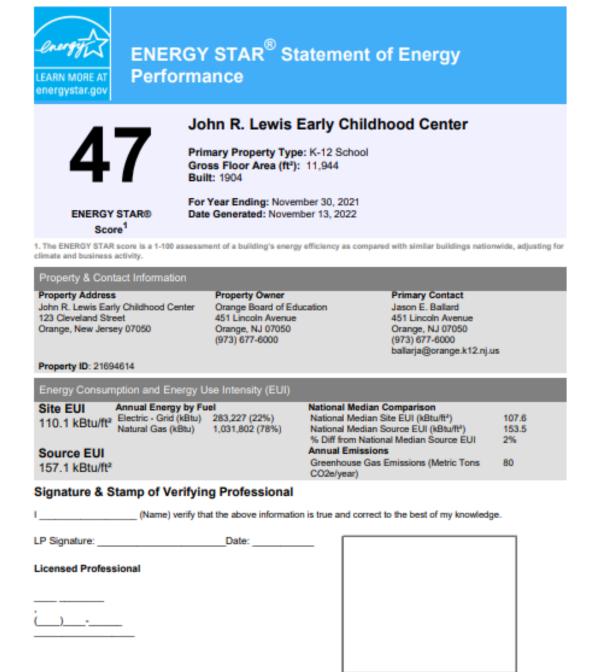
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	<b>Existin</b>	g Conditions				
Location	Quantit y	Equipment Description	Energy Rate (W)	ENERGY STAR Qualified ?	Manufacturer	Model
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	3	Coffee Machine	80	No	Varied	Varied
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	23	Desktop	270	No	Unknown	Unknown
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	3	Electric Space Heater	1,500	No	Varied	Varied
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	6	Fsn	200	No	Varied	Varied
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	2	Microwave	1,000	No	Varied	Varied
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	5	Hand Dryer	1,800	No	Xlerator	KW-1036
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	3	Paper Shredder	200	No	Unknown	Unknown
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	2	Printer	200	No	Unknown	Unknown
Lounge 1	1	Copier	1,500	Yes	Canon	Unknown
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	4	Mini Refrigerator	126	No	Varied	Varied
John R. Lewis Early Childhood Center	8	Smart Board	200	Yes	Unknown	Unknown
Lounge 1	1	Toaster Oven	1,500	No	Chefmate	Unknown
Corridor 1	3	Water Cooler	200	Yes	Intertek	BV-R





# APPENDIX B: ENERGY STAR® STATEMENT OF ENERGY PERFORMANCE

Energy use intensity (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.



Professional Engineer or Registered

Architect Stamp (if applicable)

# APPENDIX C: GLOSSARY

Blended Rate Used to calculate fiscal savings associated with measures. The blended rate calculated by dividing the amount of your bill by the total energy use. For example your bill is \$22,217.22, and you used 266,400 kilowatt-hours, your blended rate is cents per kilowatt-hour.  Btu British thermal unit: a unit of energy equal to the amount of heat required to increate the temperature of one pound of water by one-degree Fahrenheit.  CHP Combined heat and power. Also referred to as cogeneration.  COP Coefficient of performance: a measure of efficiency in terms of useful energy delived divided by total energy input.  Demand Response  Demand response reduces or shifts electricity usage at or among participate buildings/sites during peak energy use periods in response to time-based rates or ot forms of financial incentives.  DCV Demand control ventilation: a control strategy to limit the amount of outside 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
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ECM Energy conservation measure
<b>EER</b> Energy efficiency ratio: a measure of efficiency in terms of cooling energy provided by electric input.
<b>EUI</b> Energy Use Intensity: measures energy consumption per square foot and is a stand metric for comparing buildings' energy performance.
Energy Efficiency Reducing the amount of energy necessary to provide comfort and service to building/area. Achieved through the installation of new equipment and/or optimize the operation of energy use systems. Unlike conservation, which involves so reduction of service, energy efficiency provides energy reductions without sacrifications.
<b>ENERGY STAR®</b> 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
<b>Generation</b> The process of generating electric power from sources of primary energy (e.g., nate gas, the sun, oil).
GHG Greenhouse gas gases that are transparent to solar (short-wave) radiation but opac to long-wave (infrared) radiation, thus preventing long-wave radiant energy frequency leaving Earth's atmosphere. The net effect is a trapping of absorbed radiation and 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
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MV	Mercury Vapor: a type of HID lamp.
NJBPU	New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
NJCEP	New Jersey's Clean Energy Program: 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 into electricity (direct current).

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 (II)	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 $1/8^{\text{th}}$ 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.