School Energy Information

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PSE RCM Program as of 2008

• 60 Customers; 120 million square feet



Typical Energy Costs

- Typical RCM customers spend \$2 to \$3 million per year
- Energy is about \$1.00 /sq. ft.
- RCM program targets a 5% reduction per year
 - For a school district, a 5% reduction in total energy can be enough savings to power a whole school



Establishing Your Target

- Where would you focus to achieve the most?
 - Energy is typically the largest share of utility costs
 - Potential for savings?
- Important for management to understand how you set your priorities



The Energy To Do Great Thing

Year Ending 12/2005

Biggest Bang for Your Buck

- Energy is typically the largest share of utility budgets
- ENERGY = Power x Time
- Reduce energy consumption by:
 - Less Time
 - Lower Power



Energy Using Systems

- Heating System
 - Combustion Efficiency
 - Distribution System
 - Controls
 - Hours of Operation
 - Envelope
- Ventilation
 - Amount of Outside Air
 - Night & Warm-up Operation
 - Demand Controlled
 - Exhaust System Interaction

- Lighting
 - Operation Time
 - Lamp Efficiency
 - Light Levels
- Service Hot Water
 - Temperatures
 - Distribution System
- Pumps & Motors
 - Sizing
 - Energy Efficient
 - Maintenance

Typical School Energy-Use Breakdown

Energy Use in Schools	Range (%)	Norm (%)
HVAC	45-80	65
Lighting	10-20	15
Food Service	5-10	7
Hot Water	2-5	3
Special Functions	0-20	10



Recording Energy Information

- Start with 12 to 24 months of utility data
- Read dates days in billing period
- Fuel consumption kWh, therms, gallons
- Actual electric demand kW
- Total fuel costs including service charges
- Convert all fuels to BTUs per month
- Calculate annual totals
- Calculate Energy Use Indices (EUI)



Spreadsheet Setup

	Energy Accounting Form														
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Facility	Name:														
Facility	Туре:														
Electric	Utility:						Electric Mete	r#			Electric Ra	ate Schedule	e:		
Gas Uti	lity:						Gas Meter #				Gas Rate Schedule:				
Gross S	Gross Square Footage:														
YEAR:		ELECTRICITY				NATURAL GAS			TOTALS		ENERGY USE INDEX				
MONTH	# Days	ELECTRIC	ELECTRIC	ELECTRIC	ELECTRIC	ELECTRIC	LOAD FACTOR	GAS	GAS	GAS	GAS	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)
	In Billing	USAGE	DEMAND	соят	UNIT COST	ммвти	kWh	USAGE	COST	UNIT COST	ммвти	ммвти	COST OF	EUI	COST
	Period	kWh	kW	\$	kWh/\$	kWh x .003413	kW x Days x 24	THERMS	\$	Therms/\$	Therms x .10	CONSUMED	ENERGY	Btu/Sq.Ft.	\$/Sq.Ft.
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DEC															
Annual Totals															



Relate it to Your Business

School Type	non-labor allocation per student	average utility costs per student		
Elementary	\$91	\$129		
Junior High	\$102	\$172		
Senior High	\$96	\$210		



Communicate Goal

	non-labor allocation per student	average utility costs per student	10% savings per student
Elementary	\$91	\$129	- \$13
Junior High	\$102	\$172	- \$17
Senior High	\$96	\$210	- \$21
Distric	ct Totals	\$5,460,000	- \$370,000



How Much Can We Save?

- Depends on your resource profile
- Benchmark your organization
- Compare this to the average benchmark for your organization type





PSE Energy Use Index

Schools in PSE service territory





PSE School Cost Benchmarks

Dollars / Square Foot / Year



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How to Save? Focus on Simple First



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