

# Leveraging ENERGY STAR® Tools and Resources to Improve Energy Performance

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#### **Presentation Overview**



- Why Energy Performance?
- Identify the Best Opportunities through ENERGY STAR
  - Commercial Partners
  - Assess Performance and Set Goals
  - Create and Implement an Action Plan
  - Evaluate progress
  - Recognize Achievements
- Success Stories

#### What is ENERGY STAR?





- Voluntary partnership between government, businesses and consumers
- Demonstrate environmental leadership through energy efficiency



 National symbol for superior energy performance

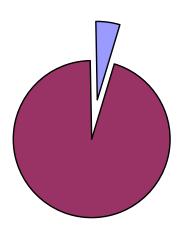


## **Why Energy Performance?**

# The Global Picture: US Energy Consumption

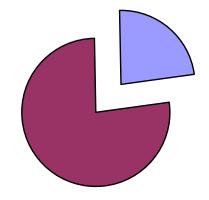


The US represents 5% of the world population...



U.S. CO<sub>2</sub> emissions were 12.8 trillion pounds in 2003 CO<sub>2</sub> is the most prevalent greenhouse gas driving climate change Over 80% of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions are from fossil fuel combustion

...But emits 23% of the world's carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>)



### Commercial Building Footprint





#### **Energy Market Concerns**



- Rising Electricity Prices
- Electricity Reliability Issues
- Rising Natural Gas Prices
- Natural Gas Reliability Issues
- Global Warming
- Environmental Stewardship
- Green Buildings



### Green Starts with Energy



#### **BOMA·Kingsley QUARTERLY**

Practical Industry Intelligence for Commercial Real Estate
THE GREEN ISSUE | SPRING 2006

## IT IS SIMPLER than you think

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### Sector-Specific Value Messages



- Office Buildings: \$2.50 to \$3.75 in incremental asset value for \$1 invested
- Hospitals: Each dollar saved in energy costs equivalent to generating new revenues of \$20
- **Supermarkets**: 10% reduction in energy equivalent to increasing net profit margins by 15%
- Hotels: 10% reduction in energy costs equivalent to increasing Average Daily Rate by 2.6% and increasing Occupancy Rate by 4.3%

## **ENERGY STAR Impact**



#### 2006

- Energy Savings equivalent to 5% of national electricity demand
- Financial Saved \$14 billion annually
- Environment Reduced greenhouse gas emissions equivalent to 25 million cars











## **ENERGY STAR** is broad-based



 More than two billion ENERGY STAR products have been purchased.



- More than 2,000 builders have constructed over 525,000 ENERGY STAR homes.
- EPA's Energy Performance Rating System has been used to evaluate more than 30,000 buildings. More than 3,200 buildings have earned the ENERGY STAR.







# ENERGY STAR Commercial Partners 9,000



#### **ENERGY STAR Partners Include:**

- Building Owners
   Commercial and Corporate Real Estate, Retail,
   Hospitality, Healthcare, Government and Schools
- Service and Product Providers
   Businesses Providing Energy Efficiency Related
   Products or Services
- Utilities and Other Regional Energy Efficiency Program Sponsors
- Industry Associations

## How to Become an ENERGY STAR Buildings Partner



- Submit partnership letter
- Agree to:
  - Measure, track, and benchmark your energy performance
  - Develop and implement a plan to improve your energy performance, adopting the ENERGY STAR strategy; and
  - Educate your staff and the public about your partnership and achievements with ENERGY STAR

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## ENERGY STAR Service and Product Provider Partner



- Architecture or A/E Firms
- Distributors
- Energy Consultants / Energy Management Services
- Energy Improvement Contractors
- Energy Service Companies (ESCOs)
- Engineering Firms
- Equipment Manufacturers
- Financial Services
- On-site Energy Production Services
- Unregulated Energy Retailers and Marketers

To join, www.energystar.gov/sppresources



# Expert Help Service and Product Provider Directory



ENERGY STAR has an online, searchable SPP Directory to help you find the products and services you need to achieve your goals.

With the help of an SPP, you can:

- Assess the energy performance of your portfolio
- Set energy performance goals
- Create and implement an action plan
- Evaluate progress
- Get recognition

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# Expert Help Service and Product Provider Directory



#### Access to over 1,200 providers



#### Service and Product Provider Directory

ENERGY STAR service and product providers (SPPs) can help identify, prioritize and implement quality projects that will improve your total energy management. Use this Directory to locate the companies that can provide you the services and products that will help lower operating costs and increase your bottom line.

Market Served (check all that apply)		Provider Location All States/Regions				
V	All Markets	Products and/or Services (check all that apply)  ☐ Products (available through provider)  ☐ Services (offered by provider)				
	Existing Commercial Buildings and New Construction					
$\Box$	Industrial					
Prov	ider Type (check all that apply)	Also Search By Keyword or Company Name				
V	All Provider Types					
$\Box$	Architecture					
	Distributor	ENERGY STAR Activity (Limit search to only those SPPs that have been involved in the following ENERGY				
	Energy Consultant / Energy Management Services Company	STAR activities over the last 12 months. Check all tha apply.) Learn more about ENERGY STAR Activity  ENERGY STAR				
$\Box$	Energy Improvement Contractor					
П	Energy Service Company (ESCO)	Energy Performance Ratings				
	Engineering	☐ Labels ☐ Buildings Improved by 10 points or more				
	Equipment Manufacturer	☐ Success Stories				
	Financial Services	Clients who are Leaders				
	On-site Energy Production Services					
	Unregulated Energy Retailer and Marketer					

View the Activities Chart to see which SPPs are the most active in utilizing ENERGY STAR's tools and/or resources to help their clients achieve portfolio-wide energy performance improvements.

Most Active Service and Product Providers

#### Search by:

- Market Sector
- Type of SPP
- Products &/or Services
- Location

Search

ENERGY STAR Activity

You can also search by keyword or company name.

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### Expert Help SPP Most Active List



#### **Most Active Service & Product Providers**

Service and Product Providers continue to promote ENERGY STAR and deliver superior energy performance by helping building owners and managers make informed energy decisions for their facilities. These providers have been engaged in several <a href="ENERGY STAR activities">ENERGY STAR activities</a> within the past 12 months that can help identify opportunities to improve energy, financial and environmental performance. See who is doing the most for their clients through ENERGY STAR.

Company Name (*Indicates ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year Award Winner)	Company Type	Energy Performance Ratings	<u>Labels</u>	Client Buildings with at Least a 10- point Energy Performance Improvement	Success Stories	Number of Clients who are Leaders
ABM Engineering Services	Engineering, Third Party Property Manager	53	24			1
Ameresco	Energy Service Company (ESCO), Project Developer	16				
Atlantic Energy Services, Inc.	Energy Management Services Company/Consultant	18				

Use the "SPP Most Active" List to see which companies are doing the most for their clients through ENERGY STAR.

## ENERGY STAR Guidelines for Energy Management

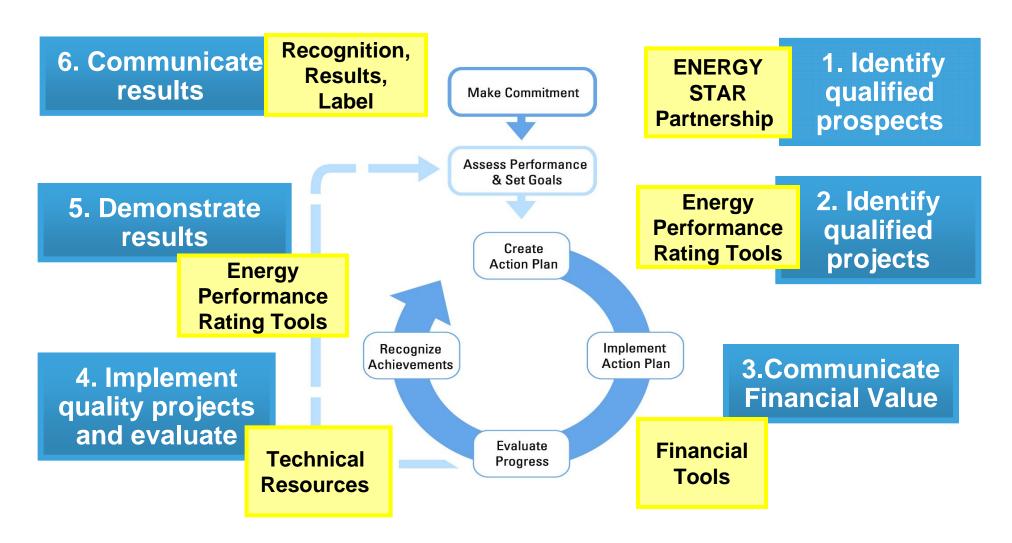




Based on the successful practices of ENERGY STAR Partners, EPA has identified the key components for a successful energy management program.

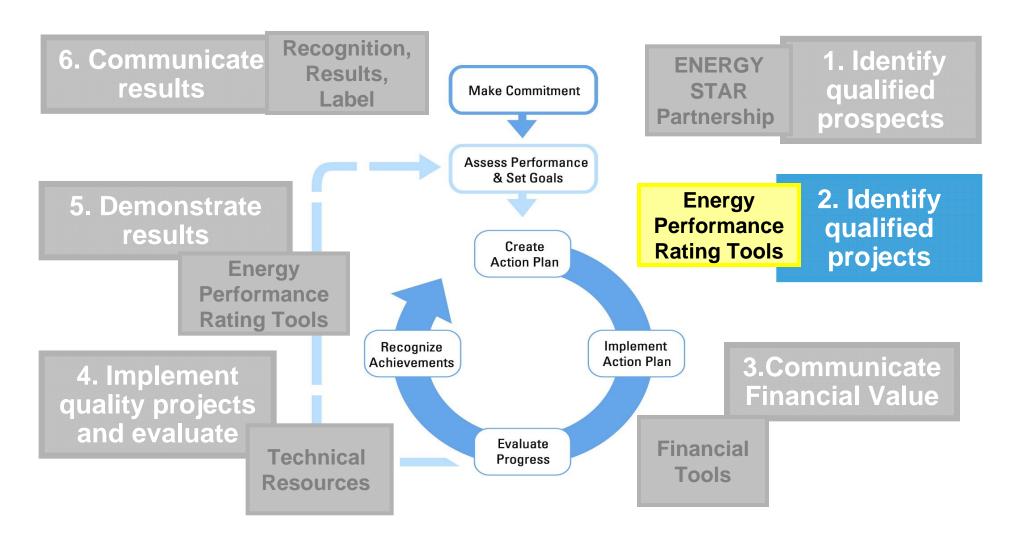
# EPA Tools Support the Energy Management Process





# **Energy Performance**Rating System





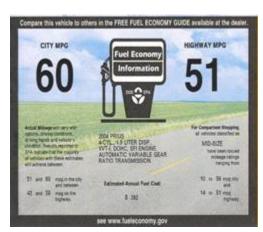
### **Energy Performance Rating System**



## Is 10 MPG high or low for an automobile?



Fuel Efficiency MPG

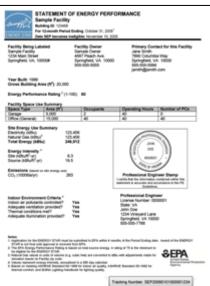


## Is 80 kBtu/SF/YR high or low for a building?



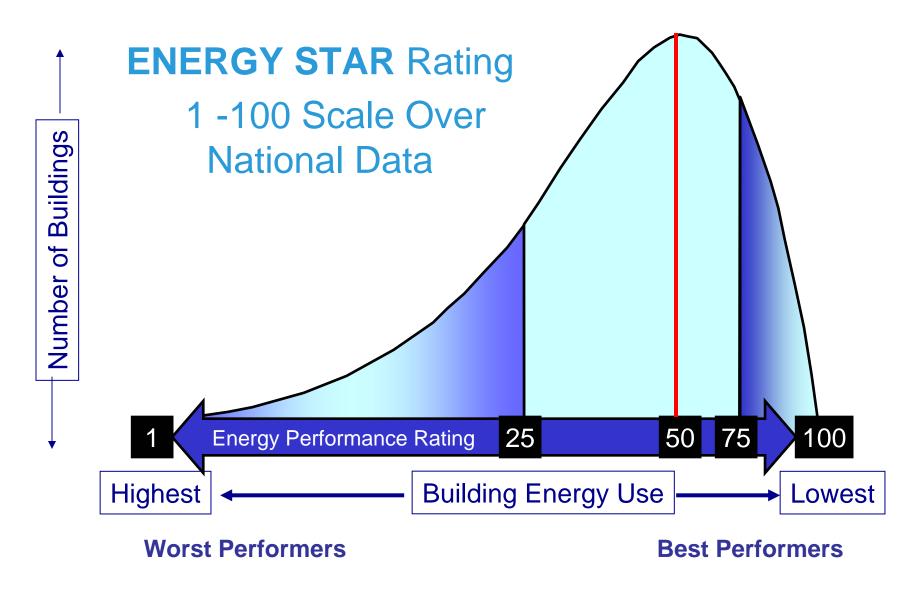
**Energy Efficiency** 

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### Huge Variation in Energy Performance









**Supermarkets** 

**Offices** 

general, courthouse, bank branch, financial center K-12 Schools

**Hospitals** 

**Hotels** 

Warehouses



Medical Offices

Residence
Halls/
Dormitories

#### Basic Data Requirements



- Location (Zip code)
- Gross floor area
- Twelve months of energy usage
- Weekly operating hours
- Number of occupants
- Number of personal computers



\* Data requirements may vary based on the building type

### Use the Rating to...



- Establish Portfolio Baseline
- Identify Opportunities for Improvement
- Set/Check Performance Goals Over Time
- Prioritize Investment Opportunities
- Document Results
- Receive Recognition

#### How to Access the Rating





- Single Building Manual Entry
  - Enter building and energy consumption information into Portfolio Manager.
- Excel Data Upload
  - Upload building data in Portfolio Manager using an Excel template.
- Automated Benchmarking Services
  - Use an ENERGY STAR Service and Product Provider to have the rating automatically integrated into your energy information and bill handling system for all buildings.

### **Automated Benchmarking Hosts**



## These companies have delivered thousands of automated ratings for customers











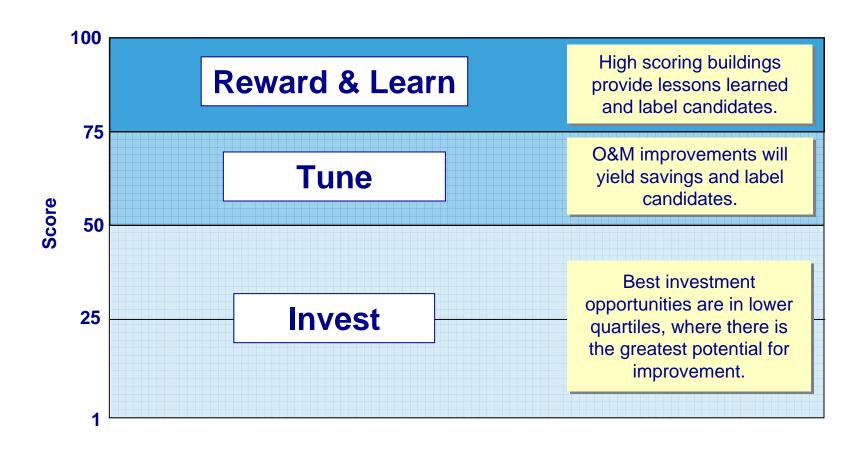






## Identify and Establish Priorities Across Portfolios





#### **Market Indicators**



- Over 32,000 buildings have received a rating in Portfolio Manager
  - 17% of the market
  - Over 5 billion square feet
- Over 3,400 labeled buildings
  - 8% of the market
  - Over 600 million square feet
- CoStar adds the ENERGY STAR rating for eligible properties in its database

### Green and Energy Goals



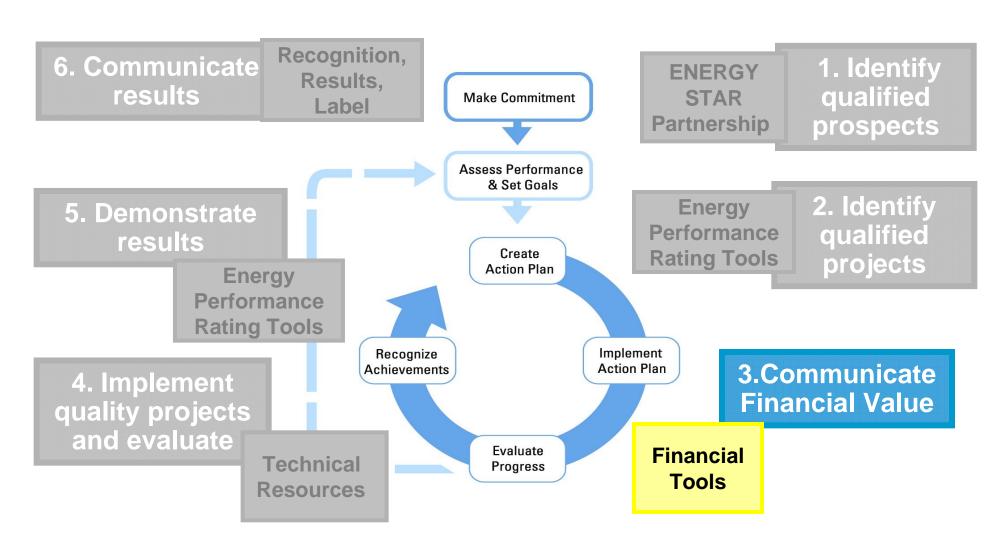
#### **LEED-EB and EPA Energy Performance Rating**

	LEED-EB		LEED-EB
EPA Rating	Points	EPA Rating	Points
63	1	83	6
67	2	87	7
71	3	91	8
75	4	95	9
79	5	99	10

Prerequisite: ENERGY STAR Rating For LEED Certification – 67

### Understanding Financial Value





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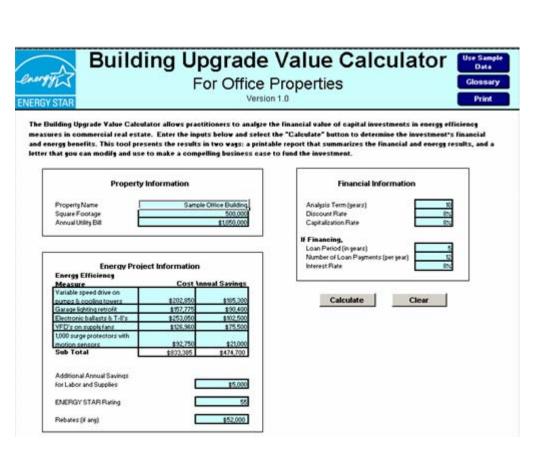


**Building Upgrade Value Calculator** Financial Value Calculator Cash Flow Opportunity Calculator Sector-specific Value Messages

## Building Upgrade Value Calculator For Commercial Real Estate Properties



- Financial Impact of Proposed Investments, Including Increased Asset Value
- Impact of Proposed Changes on Rating
- Generates a Letter
   Highlighting Financial
   Value for Capital
   Investment Proposal



# Building Upgrade Value Calculator's Simple Approach



#### Inputs

- ✓ Annual Energy Cost
- ✓ Total Building SF
- ✓ List of Planned Efficiency Improvements
- ✓ Cost of improvements
- ✓ Projected Savings from Improvements
- ✓ Any Additional Savings
- ✓ Current ENERGY STAR Rating
- ✓ Applicable rebates

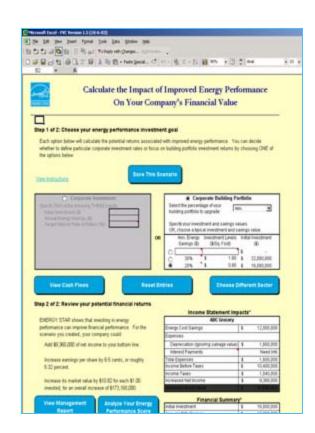
#### **Output**

- √ Impact on Asset Value
- ✓ Reduction in Operating Expense
- ✓ Estimated Energy Savings
- √ Payback Period
- ✓ Return on Investment (ROI)
- ✓ Net Present Value (NPV)
- ✓ Internal Rate of Return (IRR)

#### Financial Value Calculator



- Quantifies Increased
   Earnings Resulting from
   Improved Energy Efficiency
- Easy to Use Spreadsheet
- Useful for Specific Projects or Impact of Energy Management Across Portfolio



# Financial Value Calculator's Simple Approach



#### Inputs

- ✓ Annual Energy Cost
- ✓ Total Portfolio SF
- ✓ Initial Investment
- ✓ Annual Energy Savings

#### Optional Inputs:

- ✓ P/E Ratio
- ✓ Earnings per Share
- ✓ OutstandingCommon Shares

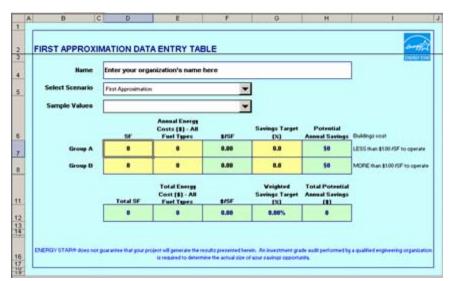
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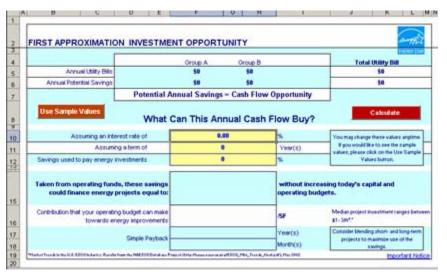
- ✓ Net Present Value
- ✓ Internal Rate of Return
- ✓ Increased EPS
- ✓ Shareholder Value
- √ Payback Period

# Cash Flow Opportunity Calculator



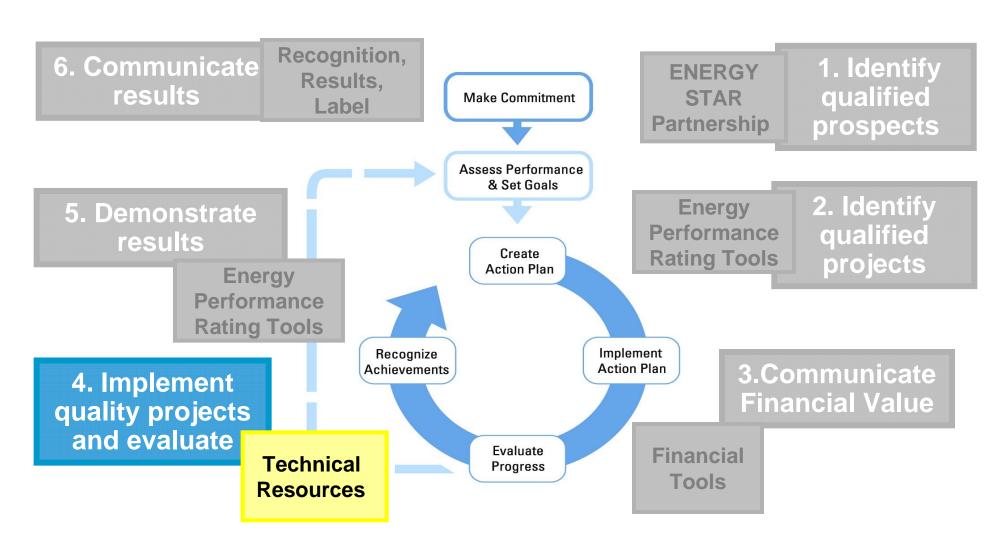
- Estimates how
   much new
   equipment or
   services can be
   purchased and
   financed by the
   anticipated savings
   cash flow
- Compares the costs/benefits of financing the project now vs. later





## Create and Implement an Action Plan





## **Building Upgrade Manual**



## Third-Party Resource to Validate Your Customer Recommendations

- Existing Building Commissioning
- Lighting
- Supplementary Load Reduction
- Fan/Motor System Upgrades
- Heating/Cooling system upgrades



# Technology Alone ≠ Superior Performance



Improper installation and poor maintenance of high technology items can result in poor performing buildings.

For example:

60% of building fan systems are oversized by an average 60%

(EPA fan study)



# ENERGY STAR Partner Experience



For the average building, partners find that performance improvements of 10% to 20% are achieved through revisions to management strategies, operations, or investments with rates of return of less than 18 months.



## **ENERGY STAR Recognition**

## **Building Level Recognition**



- ENERGY STAR Label for Existing Buildings
- "Designed To Earn the ENERGY STAR"
   New Building Design)





The estimated energy performance for this design meets US EPA criteria. The building will be eligible for ENERGY STAR after maintaining superior performance for one year.

## EPA Recognition Organization Level



#### **ENERGY STAR Challenge**

An initiative launched by
U.S. EPA for building
owners across the country
to improve the efficiency
of their buildings by 10%
or more













The Association of Energy Engineers Welcomes You...

# EPA Recognition Organization Level



The ENERGY STAR
Partner of the Year
Award can be achieved
by organizations for
outstanding contributions
to reducing greenhouse
gas emissions through
energy efficiency



## Partner of the Year Awards







### **ENERGY STAR Resources**



- Free Training
- ENERGY STAR benchmarking tools
- Calculators
- Manuals
- Software
- Purchasing and Procurement Tools
- Monitor and computer power management
- Utility companies use ENERGY STAR in many energy efficiency incentive programs
- Recognition: ENERGY STAR label, Leaders, Partner of the Year, media, promotional materials

## **ENERGY STAR Online Trainings**



ENERGY STAR offers free online training on the following topics to help organizations leverage ENERGY STAR and improve their energy performance

Introduction to ENERGY STAR
Creating Action Plans
Assessing Performance
Financing Strategies

No travel and no time out of the office



## **Success Stories**

## Food Lion and Advantage IQ



#### Client Goal:

- Track Energy Performance of 1200 Stores (42 million SF)
- Identify savings from Lighting, Refrigeration, HVAC Upgrades
- Identify/Prioritize Other Areas for Improvement

#### SPP Solution:

- Energy Tracking and Monitoring Software
- Improved Consumption Tracking, Forecasting, Budgeting
- Automated Benchmarking Through ENERGY STAR Energy Performance Rating System

- \$105 million saved
- 1.5 billion lbs of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions avoided over 5 years
- 400 ENERGY STAR Labels as of October 2005
- ENERGY STAR Partner of the Year: 2002, 2003
- ENERGY STAR Sustained Excellence award: 2004, 200





## Gresham-Barlow School District and Save More Resources



Client Goal: Improve Resource Conservation Practices

#### SPP Solution:

- Utility Management Software
- Improved Consumption Tracking, Forecasting, & Budgeting
- Automated Benchmarking Using ENERGY STAR Energy Performance Rating System
- Identification of Other Areas for Improvement/investment

- 46% Overall Energy Reduction
- \$4.2 Million in Cumulative Savings
- ENERGY STAR Leader in 2005
- Gresham-Barlow and SMR Recognized as ENERGY STAR Partners of the Year in 2006





## The Ritz-Carlton Boston and Servidyne



 Client Goal: Improve HVAC/Lighting System Energy Performance

#### SPP Solution:

- Energy Audit
- Quantified Potential Savings from Retro-commissioning and Capital Projects
- Tracked Energy Consumption to Verify Improvements and Identify New Areas For Attention

#### Client Outcomes:

 Saved \$92,800 in One Year Through O&M Improvements With No Capital Expenditure





## Arden Realty and next>edge



Client Goal: Upgrade energy performance of building systems through major investment

#### SPP Solution:

- Chiller/Cooling Tower Replacement
- Installation of VSDs
- Lighting Upgrade (T-12 to T-8)
- Energy Management System
- Cogeneration Plant
- Commissioning



#### Investment:

\$1.8 million, minus \$750,000 Incentives

- \$310,000 Energy Savings Per Year
- Reduced Electricity Costs from \$2.47/SF to \$1.63/SF
- 3.7 Year Payback (27% ROI)



## St. Michael's Hospital and Johnson Controls



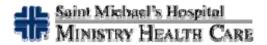
#### Client Goals:

- Improve Environment of Care for Patients/Staff
- Demonstrate Continuous Improvement

#### SPP Solution:

- Predictive/Proactive HVAC Maintenance
- Facility Management and Control Systems Optimization
- Energy Consumption Benchmarking

- Projected savings > \$1.1 million in Utility/Operational Costs
- Improved system O&M Procedures = Better Environment for Patient Care
- Better Prepared for Utility Deregulation





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