Agenda #7.1 Public Works Committee May 16, 2013



Public Works
Corporate Assets and Strategic Planning

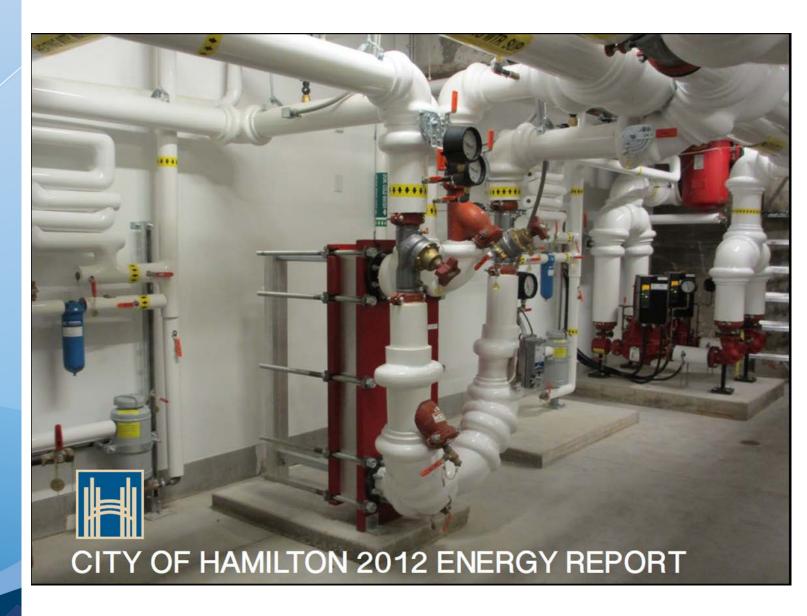
2012 Annual Energy Report

May 16, 2013

Providing services that bring our City to life!

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Energy Policy & Priorities:

- Council Mandate 2005
- Office of Energy Initiatives 2006
- Corporate Energy Policy 2007 (Target of 20% by 2020)
- Energy Commodity Policy 2007 (Revised 2008)
- Other priorities:
 - Secure goals of Vision 2020
 - Integrate to Strategic Plan
 - Green Energy Act

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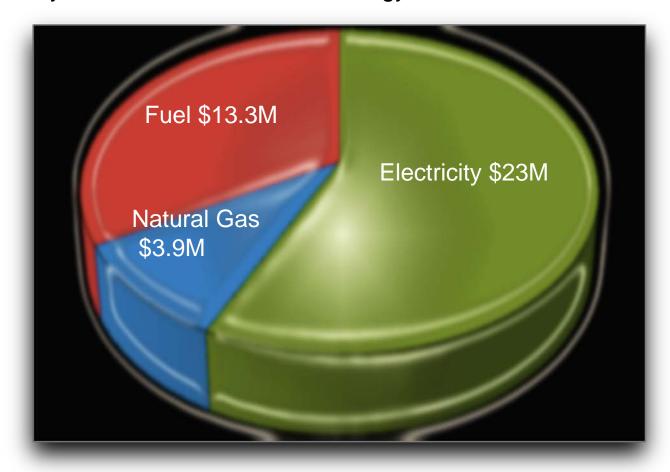


Energy Costs

City of Hamilton - Total 2012 Energy Costs \$40.2 Million

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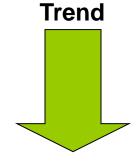
KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (KPI'S)

Corporate Energy Policy Energy Intensity (ekWh/ft2)*

2012 Energy Intensity (ekWh/ft²) is 17% lower than 2005**

2012 Utility Consumption is an average of 14% lower than 2005

Households save an average of \$22 per year***



*ekWh – equivalent kilowatt hours

**Energy Intensity does not include W&WW and O&M sites (for building environment only)

*** \$27M saved over 6 years across 214,400 households

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GHG Reductions:

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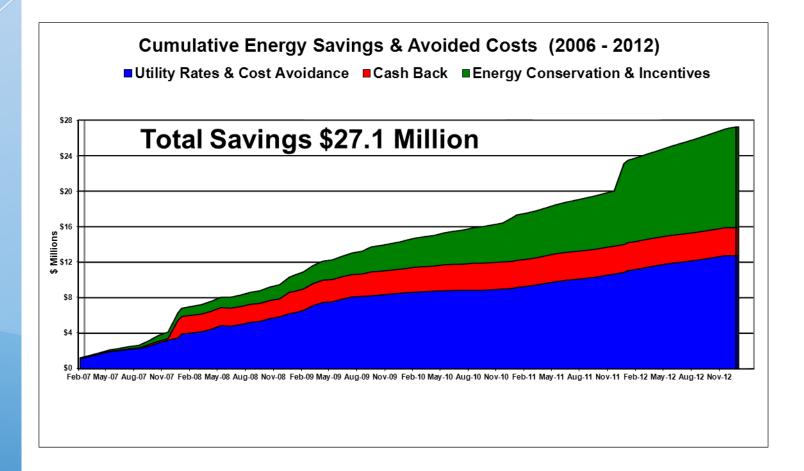
Greenhouse Gas Emission Reductions (Tonnes)



City's Gross Cumulative Savings to Date

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Where The Savings Come From:

- Electricity and Natural Gas Rates (\$13.1M):
 - Global Adjustment Changes:
 - Additional avoided cost of \$1.5M in 2012
 - Other Rate Savings include:
 - Total cumulative avoided cost savings of \$6.8M
 - Natural Gas Rate Hedging Savings include:
 - Total cumulative avoided cost savings of \$4.8M
- Cash Back (\$3.2M):
 - Billing Errors:
 - Total recovered cost of \$3.2 million

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Where the Savings Come From:

- Energy Conservation & Incentives (\$11.3M):
 - Project Savings:
 - Total cumulative operational savings of \$7.2M by 2012.
 - Incentives:
 - Total cumulative incentives of \$4.1M

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Overview of Savings and Avoided costs:

- Direct Savings (conservation, incentives & recoveries):
 - Energy savings from projects lower consumption had we done nothing, consumption would be that much higher
 - Incentive cheques from energy savings activities
 - Billing errors resulting in credits
- Avoided Costs (utility rate savings):
 - Contracts or rates that required action to secure a lower price, fee or cost (GA)

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Savings and Avoided Costs:

Savings / Avoided Costs	Levy Benefits (Tax Base)	Rate Benefits (Water Rates)	Corporate Total (\$)
Avoided Costs:	\$14,273,900	\$5,802,700	\$20,076,600
Direct Savings:	\$6,852,100	\$661,600	\$7,513,700
Total Savings:	\$21,126,000	\$6,464,300	\$27,590,300

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Key Drivers:

Direct Savings:

 Reduced operating costs by \$400,000 from lighting retrofits in Corporate Buildings (Levy) and \$400,000 from the High Lift Pump project (Rate)

Avoided Costs:

 Avoided paying \$1.5M in electricity costs due to reclassification of certain consumers to Class A Tariff in 2012

Budget Impact

2012 Budget vs. Actuals Examples

- Corporate Levy
 - Natural Gas Budget \$4.07M, Actual \$3.27
 - Electricity Budget \$10.4M, Actual \$10.2M
 - Total Budget \$14.5M, Actual \$13.5M
- Rate Budget
 - Natural Gas Budget \$754k, Actual \$674k
 - Electricity Budget \$10.7M, Actual \$9.3M
 - Total Budget \$11.5M, Actual \$10M

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Energy Markets:

- Electricity
 - Global Adjustment charges costs more than commodity
 - Regulatory costs continue to increase (recent increases announced)
- Fuel
 - While market remains volatile and difficult to predict, summer forecast is stable
 - Fuel reserve of \$1.5M available to absorb volatility
- Natural Gas
 - Hedging program and market lowering costs decreases may not continue
 - Shale gas finds has impact on the supply side
 - Economy and weather not a significant impact on demand at this time
 - Producers looking at shutting down drilling rigs which may lead to lower supply

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Natural Gas Costs vs. AMO/LAS:

City of Hamilton Annual Natural Gas Commodity Price

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Future Projects and Initiatives for 2013

- Building Automation System Optimization
- Energy Monitoring and Targeting
- Dedicated Energy Manager OPA assisted
- Hamilton Water Study
- Outdoor LED's at Fire Stations
- Arena Chiller Optimization Pilot
- Solar
 - 330 Wentworth to be operational by Q3
 - 2 new sites waiting for OPA / FIT approval

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Other Office of Energy Initiative Activities

Operational roles:

- Hamilton Renewable Power Inc.
 - Woodward and Glanbrook operational oversight
 - Manage contracts and issues with HCE
 - Analysis of options for increased revenue

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- Manage contracts and operational issues with HCE
- Analysis of options for increased revenue (sale of environmental attributes)

District Energy

- CUP and new sites (Courthouse, McMaster etc.)
- Mechanical maintenance services of downtown core (not including City Hall)

Rates and Regulatory

- Global Adjustment
- OEB Unmetered Load (street lighting) Working Group

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Awards

- Association of Energy Engineers
- Ontario Power Authority



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How we get results:

- Leveraged
- **Expertise**

- Leveraged
 - **Results**

- Corporate
- **Energy Policy**

- **HUC** targets
- **City of Hamilton**

Horizon Utilities Corp.



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