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WATER VIRTUAL IN-PLANT (VINPLT) TRAINING

Week 1

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Week 1: Introduction, Energy Basics, & Power Company Relationships



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Today's Trainers



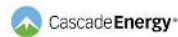
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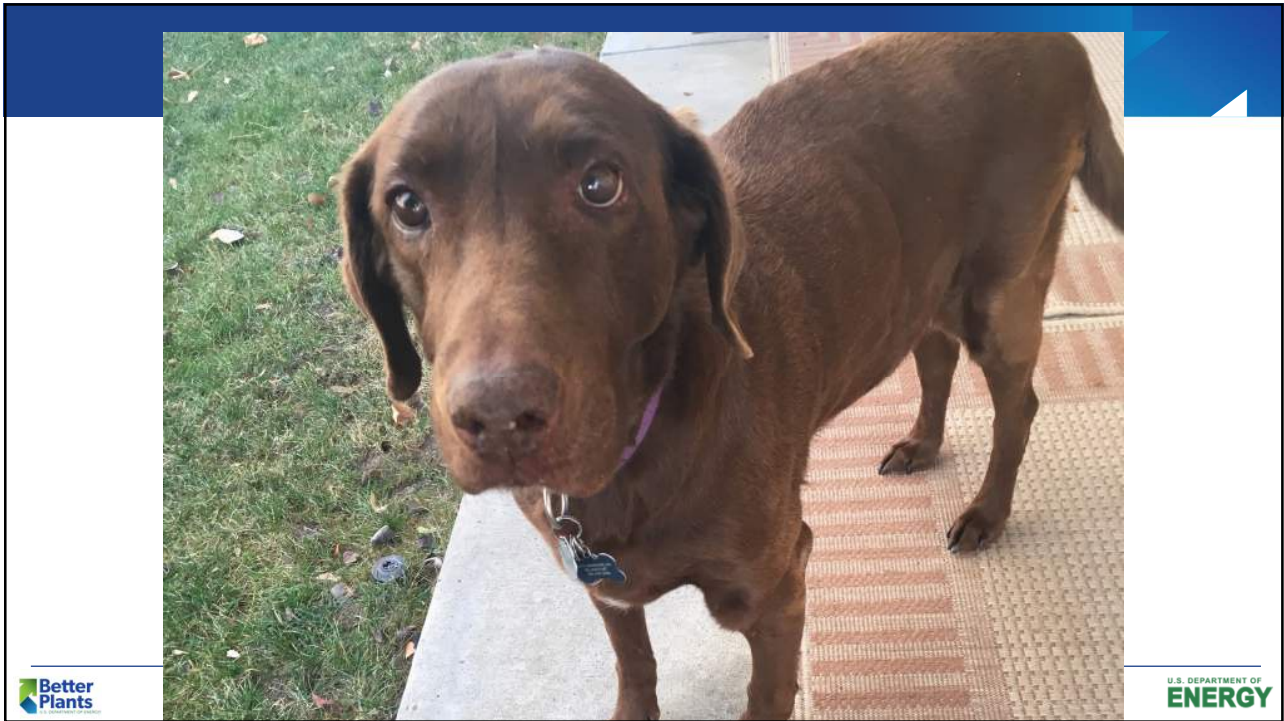
Saving energy, one gallon at a time



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Training Schedule Overview

- ~~Week 1 - Aug 28, 2023 - Introduction to Energy Storage, Energy Storage Applications~~
- ~~Week 2 - Sep 4, 2023 - Energy Storage Applications, Energy Storage Markets~~
- ~~Week 3 - Sep 11, 2023 - Energy Storage Markets~~
- ~~Week 4 - Sep 18, 2023 - The Grid, Energy Storage Applications~~
- ~~Week 5 - Sep 25, 2023 - Energy~~
- ~~Week 6 - Oct 2, 2023 - Energy Storage Applications, Energy Storage Markets~~
- ~~Week 7 - Oct 9, 2023 - Energy Storage Applications~~
- ~~Week 8 - Oct 16, 2023 - Closure~~

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Today's Agenda

Welcome and Introductions
Energy Basics
Break
Success Stories
Power Company Relationships
Kahoot!
Q&A



 

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Introductions



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Introduction to the Opportunity Register

#	Name	Description	Location	System	Submitted By	Assigned to	Status
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[Facility Basics](#)
[Find Treasure](#)
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Find ways to save your hard earned treasure!

Use one of the following calculators to determine savings opportunities within your manufacturing facility.

Once an opportunity has been found, save the opportunity to your "Treasure Chest".

Add more details to each opportunity by clicking the icon and filling out an opportunity sheet.

Click the "Treasure Chest" tab to view a summary of your found treasure.

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ENERGY BASICS



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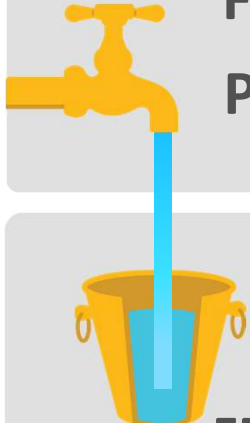
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Energy 101



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Units of Measure



Flow **gpm** $\frac{100 \text{ gallons}}{\text{minute}}$



POWER **kW** 60 kW
(demand)

Volume **gallons**

$\frac{100 \text{ gal}}{\cancel{\text{min}}} * \frac{60 \cancel{\text{ min}}}{\cancel{\text{hour}}} * \frac{24 \cancel{\text{ hours}}}{\text{day}} = \frac{144,000 \text{ gallons}}{\text{day}}$


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Bonus **\$/day**

$\frac{1,440 \cancel{\text{ kWh}}}{\text{day}} * \frac{\$0.05}{\cancel{\text{ kWh}}} = \frac{\$72}{\text{day}}$

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Reading Your Electricity Bill

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ELECTRIC
⚡
February 2019

Account ID	0004 1234-56789 8	Invoice Number	123456789
Billing Dates	12/31/2018- 1/31/2019 32 days of service	Current Charges	\$29,760.80
		Due By	2/15/2019

METER # ABC123456, Schedule 81 Secondary

Service Description		Amount
Basic Charge		560.00
System Usage Charge		593.85
Off-Peak Usage of 195446.000 kWh x \$0.0335		6,547.44
On-Peak Usage of 295347.000 kWh x \$0.0504		14,885.49
Demand Charge of 932.000 kW x \$1.9500		1,817.40
Transmission Charge of 932.000 kW x \$0.910		848.12
Distribution Facility Capacity Charge of 1017.00 kW x \$2.0600		2,095.00
		\$27,347.32
Taxes and Adjustments		
City Tax (1.5%)		410.21
Public Purpose Charge (3%)		820.42
108 Regulatory Adjustments		29.47
115 Energy Efficiency Funding		1,153.38
		\$2,413.48

Period Ending	Avg Daily Temp	Avg kWh per day	Avg Cost per day
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kWh use

kW demand

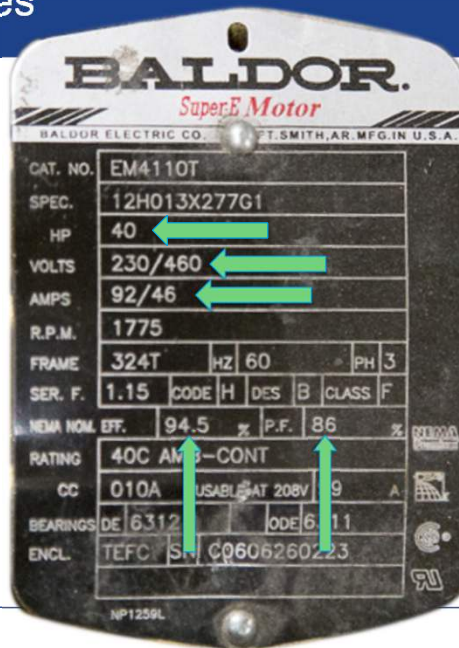
POLL

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Motor Nameplates



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Estimating Power

Estimating from Motor HP and Load Factor

HP = Motor HP from the nameplate
(horsepower)

Load Factor = Estimated capacity/loading (0-100%)

Motor Efficiency = Motor efficiency rating from the nameplate



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Motors & Power

Estimating Power from Motor HP and Load Factor

$$\text{Power (kW)} = \frac{0.75 * \text{HP} * \text{Load Factor}}{\text{Motor Efficiency \%}}$$

However, a simpler equation can be used for an estimate:

$$\text{Power (kW)} = \text{HP} \times 0.75$$



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Estimating Energy Cost



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Electricity Example

Assume

Load Factor
= 0.8

Continuous
operation

\$0.05/kWh

Power (kW)

$$= \frac{0.746 \text{ kW/HP} * \text{HP} * \text{Load Factor}}{\text{Motor Efficiency}}$$

$$= (0.75 * 40 * .80) / .945 = 25 \text{ kW}$$

Energy (kWh)

$$= \text{kW} * \text{Annual Operating Hours}$$

$$= 25 \text{ kW} * 8760 \text{ hr/yr} = 219,000 \text{ kWh/yr}$$

Annual Energy Cost (\$)

$$= \text{kWh} * \$/\text{kWh}$$

$$= 219,000 \text{ kWh} * \$0.05 = \$10,950$$





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Sample Rates (cents/kWh) Across the US


Area	Industrial June 2016	All Sectors June 2016
New England	11.84	15.95
Middle Atlantic	7.18	12.92
East North Central	6.92	9.98
West North Central	7.77	10.47
South Atlantic	6.65	10.04
East South Central	6.06	9.19
West South Central	5.23	8.18
Mountain	6.79	9.90
Pacific Contiguous	10.12	13.59
Alaska & Hawaii	19.44	21.97
U.S. Total	7.03	10.53

July 2019:
US Ind. Avg: 7.18

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Electricity Example



200 hp Well

Power (kW)

$$= \frac{0.75 * \text{hp} * \text{Load Factor}}{\text{Motor Efficiency}}$$

$$= \frac{(0.75 \frac{\text{kW}}{\text{hp}}) * 200 \text{ hp} * 0.80}{0.951} = 126 \text{ kW}$$

Monthly Demand Cost (\$)

$$= \text{kW} * \$/\text{kW}$$

$$= 126 \text{ kW} * \frac{\$1.95}{\text{kW}} = \$246$$

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Electricity Example



200 hp Well

- Power = 126 kW
- Billing Cycle = 32 days
- Rate = \$0.05/kWh

Energy (kWh)

$$= 126 \text{ kW} * 32 \text{ days} * \frac{24 \text{ hours}}{\text{day}} = 97,000 \text{ kWh}$$

Bill Energy Cost (\$)

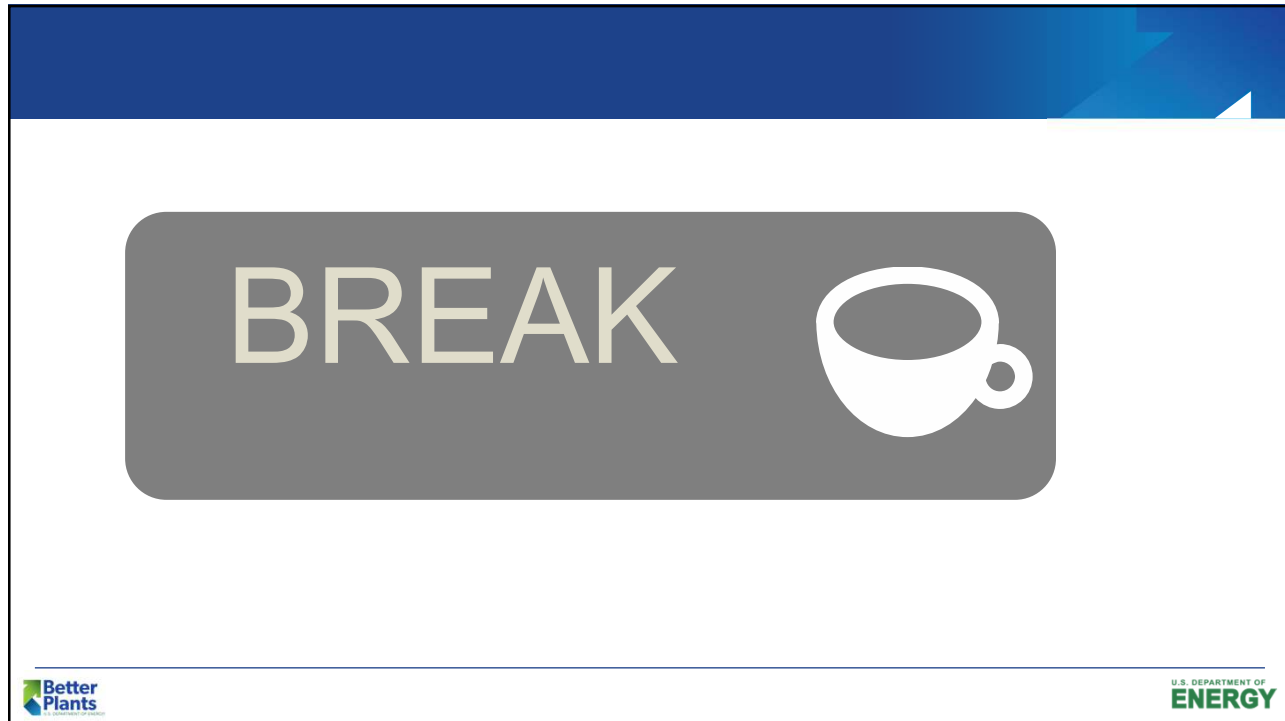
$$= \text{kWh} * \$/\text{kWh}$$

$$= 97,000 \text{ kWh} * \frac{\$0.05}{\text{kWh}} = \$4,850$$

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BREAK

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SUCCESS STORIES

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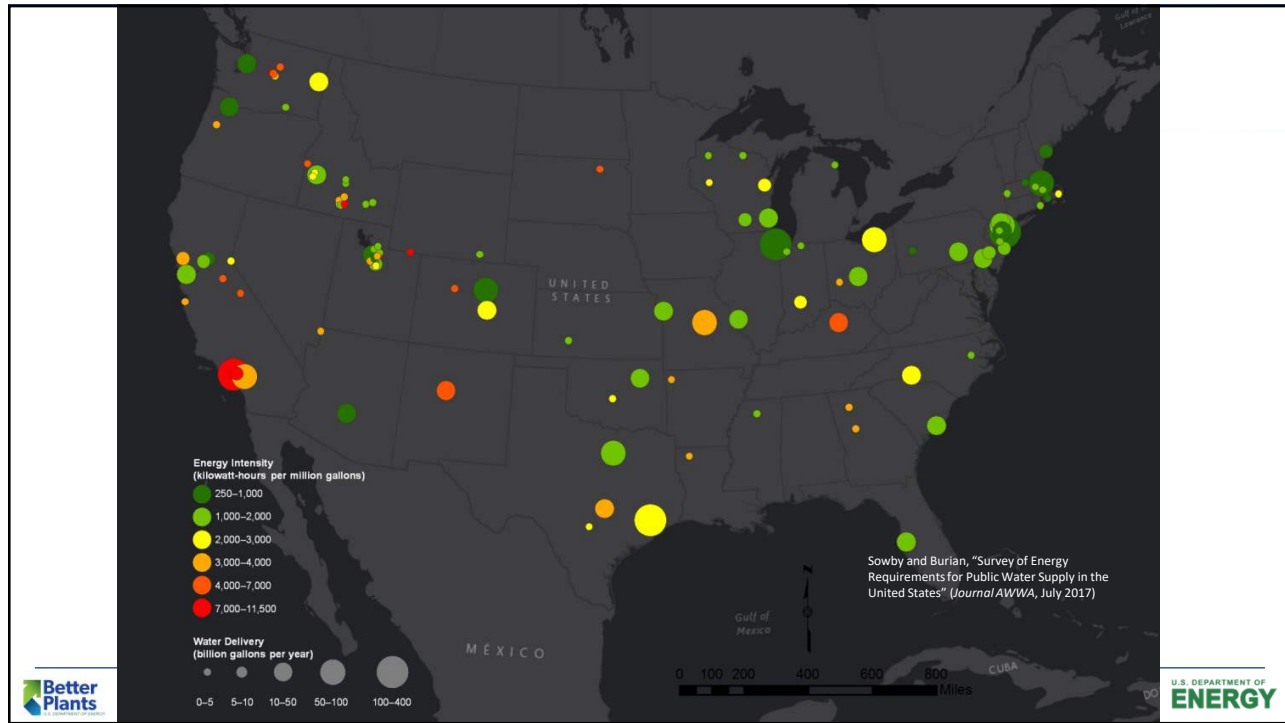
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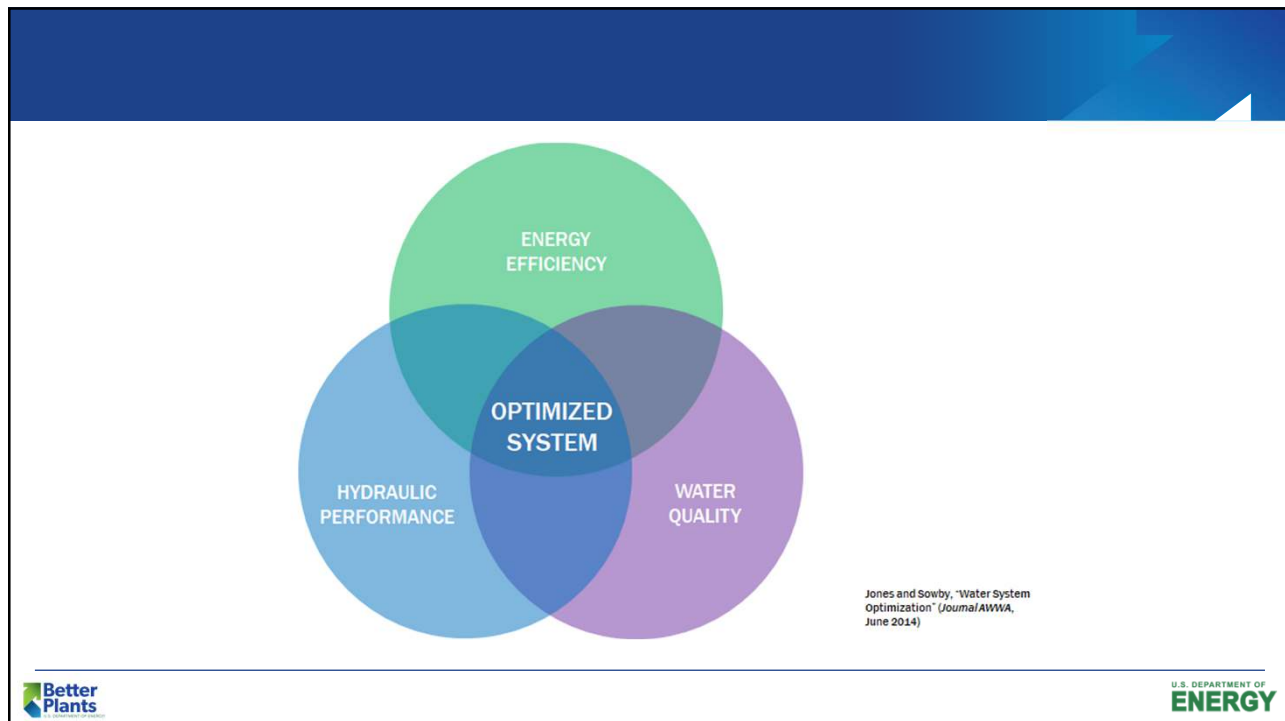
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Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District, UT

19% reduction from baseline



Feature Article

ROBERT W. BOWEN, STEVEN C. JONES, ALAN V. FALKARD, AND TODD M. SCHULTZ

Jordan Valley Water Redefines Sustainable Water Supply Through Energy Management

A MAJOR UTAH WATER DISTRICT REDUCED ITS ENERGY FOOTPRINT BY 19% AFTER FOLLOWING A TWO-YEAR ENERGY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM. IMPLEMENTING BOTH TECHNICAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGE IN PURSUIT OF ITS VISION TO PROVIDE A MORE SUSTAINABLE WATER SUPPLY.

Serving the greater Salt Lake City area, Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District (JVWCD) is one of Utah's largest public water suppliers. Providing a substantial amount of water to cities and metropolitan districts, JVWCD serves a population of approximately 400,000. About 75% of its water comes from surface water sources on the Provo River watershed on the east slopes of the Wasatch Mountain range. The remaining 25% comes from groundwater deep beneath the Salt Lake Valley.

Planning, treating, and delivering high-quality water requires significant energy, which is one of the district's largest operating costs averaging \$4 million/year. Its response to sustainability through efficiency, JVWCD reduced its energy to improve its energy use.

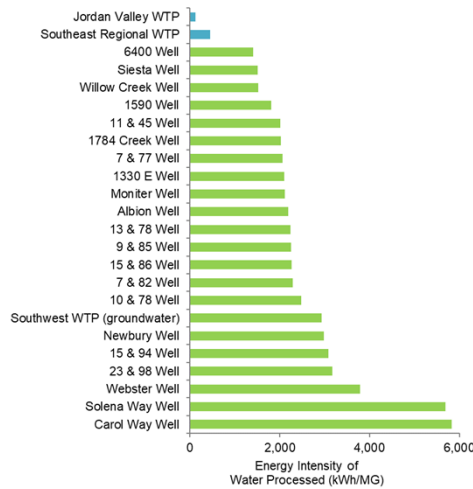
MOTIVATION
A water utility's energy footprint plays a role in financial, environmental, and social impacts. With increasing population, stricter water quality standards, and rising energy costs, energy efficiency in the water sector is emerging as a primary

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Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District, UT



“Until the team examined the data, they had assumed that the newest or most conveniently located wells were the most efficient.”



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Jordan Valley Water Conservancy District, UT

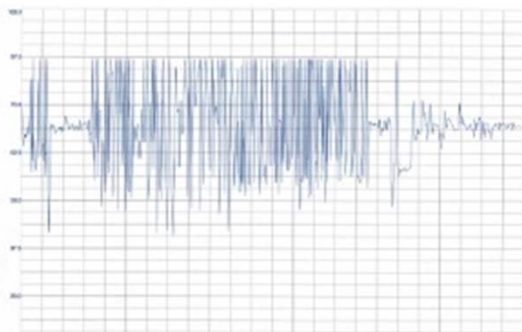
“Instead of asking, ‘How can we make this pump or building more energy efficient?’ the team asked the deeper question, ‘How can we provide an energy-efficient water supply?’”



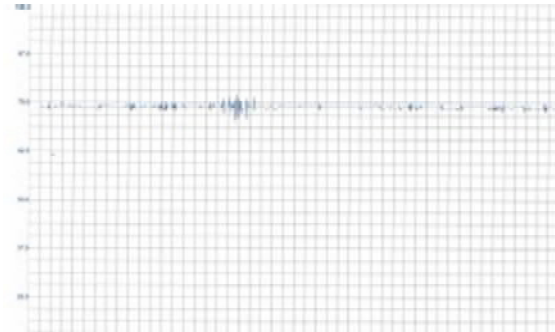
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City of Blackfoot, ID

- 11% reduction from baseline



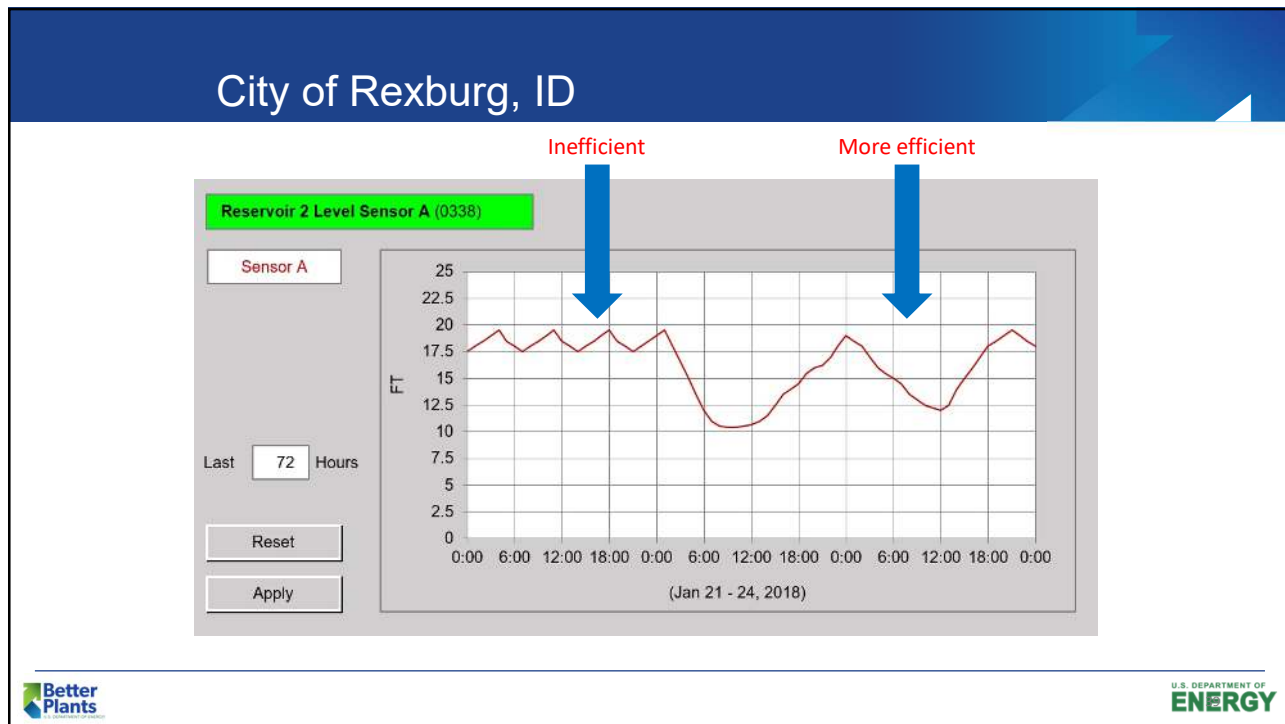
Well #11 before PID loop tuning



Well #11 after PID loop tuning



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City of North Salt Lake, UT


- 25% reduction from baseline

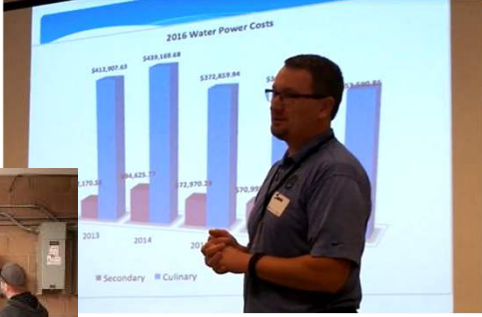
Energy Management



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ENERGY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM LEADS TO OPERATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS

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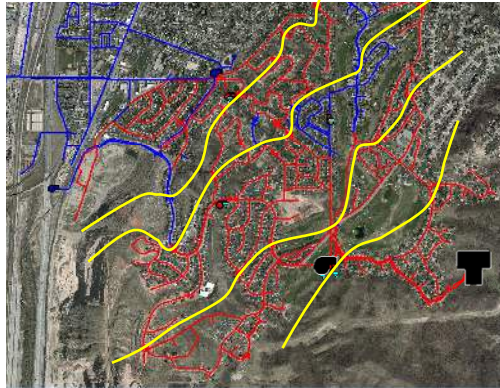
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- 25% reduction from baseline

BEFORE
adjusting PRVs

Pumped water
falls back to
lower zones

Low elevation



High elevation



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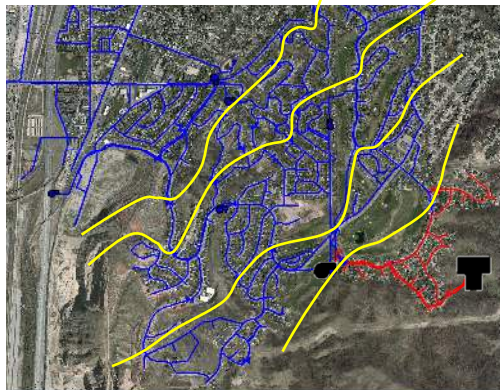
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AFTER
adjusting PRVs

Pumped water
stays in upper
zones

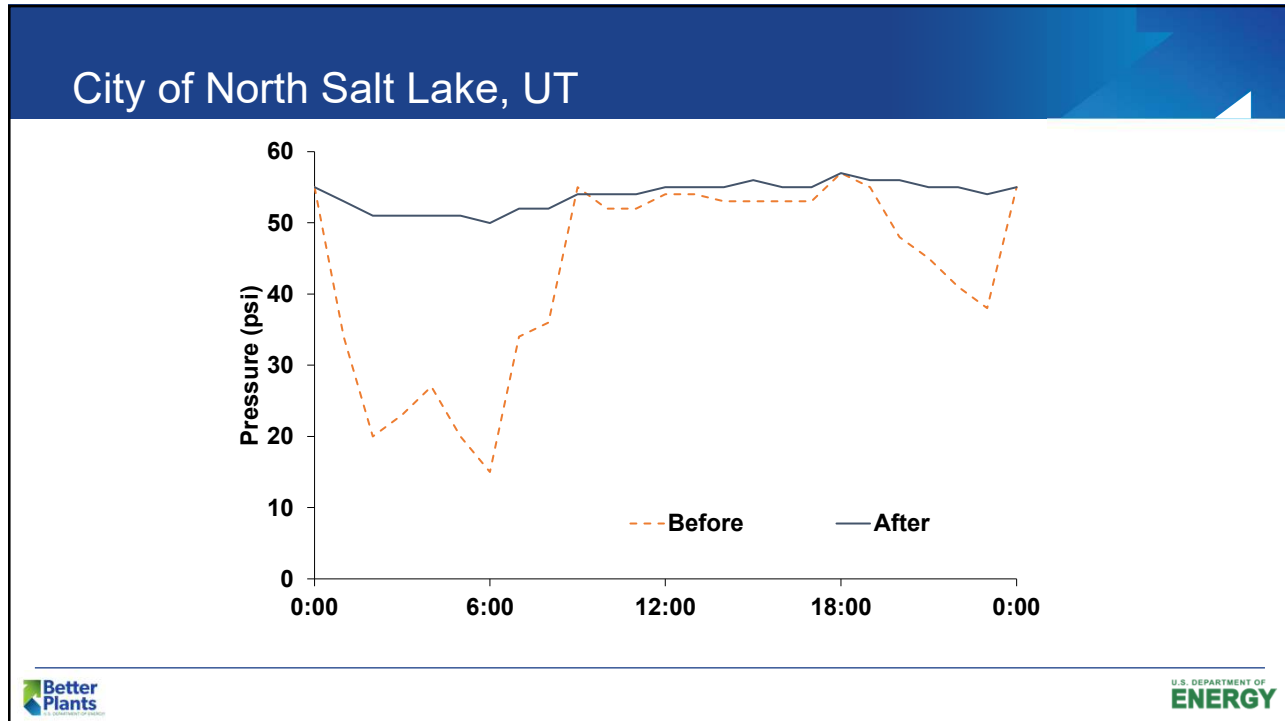
Low elevation



High elevation




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SUEZ Water Idaho (Boise, ID)



“The cohort will make your system better because you’ll understand your system better. It forces you to ask, ‘is this system as efficient as it could be?’ And the answer is, ‘probably not.’”

- Bill Carr,
 former Suez Water
 Production Manager

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City of Kimberly, ID



"You have to put the effort into it. But once you get going, we found it's just as easy to operate efficiently as it is to not."

- Jed Kloer,
City of Kimberly
Public Works Foreman

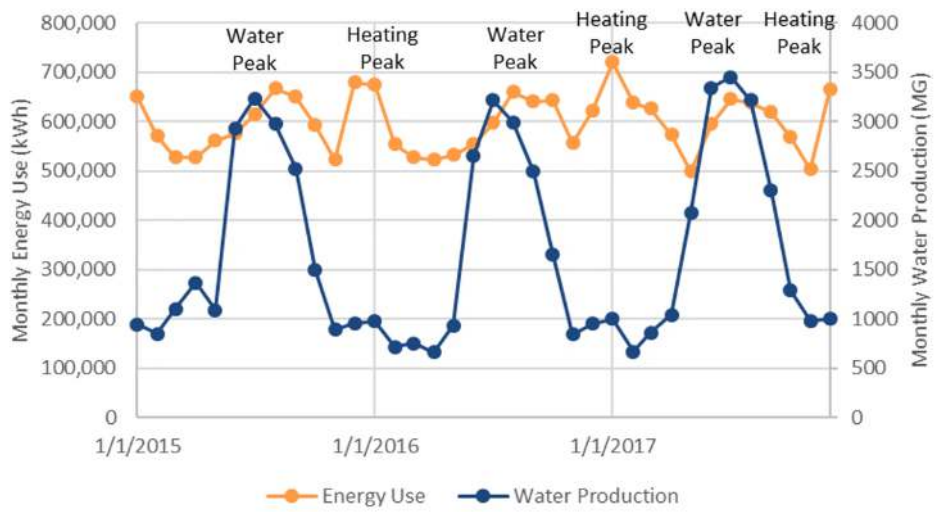


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Heating for equipment for humans?



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Nob Hill Water, WA

- 7% reduction from baseline
- Reduced the number of pumps running
- Adjusted HVAC settings
- Fixed water leaks



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City of Yakima, WA

- 15% reduction from baseline
- Fixed compressed air leaks
- Fixed water system leaks
- Adjusted tank level setpoints
- Chlorine residual improved



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POWER COMPANY RELATIONSHIPS



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City of McCall

Idaho Power
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The City of McCall recently worked with Idaho Power and **SPF Water Engineering, LLC** to install variable frequency drive controllers at one of their pump stations.

The City received a \$32,446 incentive from Idaho Power's Commercial and Industrial Energy Efficiency program and is saving 180,258 kWh/year. That's enough energy to power over 15 average size homes for a year!



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What's in it for you?

- \$\$\$\$
 - Save 10 hp, then we're talking about \$10 - \$16K.
- Free assistance
- You get ongoing energy savings for life of the equipment.
- Often reduced maintenance cost from turning off or turning down equipment.
- Aesthetic and comfort improvements – e.g. better lighting, better HVAC.



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Incentives

- Typically capped at 50 to 70% of project cost:
 - You get the lesser of the rate-based incentive OR 50 to 70% of project cost.
 - Project cost can include design fees and can be incremental cost between "baseline" and "efficient" equipment for new construction.
- Paid based on Measured and Verified (M&V) savings.
 - The payment comes after the project is complete, so capital funds still needed upfront to cover the project.



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Estimating payback

- Estimated annual savings: 100,000 kWh
- Estimated energy cost: \$0.05/kWh
- Estimated annual savings = 100,000 kWh x \$0.05/kWh= \$5,000
- Estimated project cost: \$50,000
- Estimated payback before incentive
- = project cost/annual savings=\$50,000 / \$5,000/year=10 years
- Estimated incentive = lesser of 70%*\$50,000=\$35,000 or 100,000 kWh*\$0.18/kWh=\$18,000
- Estimated payback with incentive
- =(\$50,000-\$18,000)/\$5,000/year = 6.4 years

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Homework

- Microsoft Forms
- One per water system
- Tell us about your water system

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On your smart phone
Go to: <https://kahoot.it/>
Game PIN:

KAHOOT!



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Takeaways

- Look at your water system from a different perspective



- 1 hp = 0.75 kW
- You can save energy without sacrificing water quality too!
- Talk to your power provider about incentives

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Closing

Questions
Comments
Discussion

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SEE YOU TUESDAY!

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