NEWS HEADLINES AND UPDATES: FROM OUR MEMBERS & ESC CHAPTERS JUNE 2, 2014

MARKET TRANSFORMATION THROUGH LEADERSHIP



The 2014 Energy Services Coalition Market Transformation Conference, July 29-30 in St. Paul, Minnesota, will showcase innovations, case studies, best practices and more in Energy Savings

Performance Contracting and public building energy retrofits. <u>Click here</u> to view the conference website.

Facility Retrofits for Energy Efficiency (*FREE*)

On May 7th NYSERDA and its partners hosted a oneday workshop in Albany to support the state's new Green



Bank. The workshop also included the launch of the New York ESC Chapter. We welcome New York to the growing ranks of ESC State Chapters. This issue of the ESC Monthly Newsletter will shine a light on ESPC in the Empire State.

New York: The Saugerties Village Board voted unanimously to enter into an energy performance contract with a base cost of \$1,535,036 and a maximum cost of \$1.7 million. The contract calls for the replacement of all the water meters in the village with radio-read meters. The current water meters are mechanical meters that have been in place for 20 to 25 years. Over time, those meters lose accuracy and the meters replacement would be more of a revenue enhancement for the village, rather than energy savings. The village is expected to receive between \$80,000 and \$90,000 annually in energy savings and additional revenues.



The Energy Services Coalition has launched a Virtual Trade Show on its website in support of this summer's 3rd Annual ESC Market Transformation Conference. <u>Click here</u> to view the new Virtual Tradeshow. Sponsors to date include:

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Bronze Sponsors: CenterPoint Energy NORESCO Osram Sylvania Trane New York: Ithaca City School District (ICSD) will decide at its June school board meeting whether to enter into an ESPC based on a recently completed investment grade audit

New York: A report by the New York State Comptroller's Office notes that Schoharie Central School District is realizing significant savings through an energy performance contract, without the use of state aid or other grants to fund the program. Schoharie Central projects a savings of \$2.19 million dollars in energy costs over the life of its contract.

New York: The New York State Education Department has put its stamp of approval on an ESPC project designed to make Highland's school buildings more energy efficient. The energy consumption savings realized through the identified improvements will fully cover the project's cost of \$1.63 million.

New York: Fulton County government is considering signing a 15 year \$1.2 million contract to upgrade energy infrastructure needs throughout county buildings.

New York: Nassau County has issued an RFP to implement energy efficiency projects at County facilities through an ESPC. The County owns and maintains hundreds of structures and properties ranging from low and mid-rise office buildings, parks and infrastructurerelated facilities of varying size.

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Missouri: City of Kirksville has completed a \$4.7 million ESPC that is expected to provide the city more than \$340,000 in annual savings over the



15-year contract. The most significant project component is the replacement of the city's 7,000 aging water meters and water system. Kirksville historically had problems with water loss within the system; the new meters will allow the city to limit rate increases and make the billing process more accurate, which will directly benefit city residents.

Cole County has entered into a \$1.2 million ESPC that includes building renovations and expansion of the existing County Emergency Medical Services facility. Upgrades to the building infrastructure and energy efficiency improvements within the 9,000 square foot facility are expected to save the County more than \$89,000 in annual energy and operational costs.

A number of other ESPC projects have been completed in Missouri recently including Riverview Gardens School District, University City School District, Hazelwood



The St. Paul (MN) Crowne Plaza Hotel, overlooking the Mississippi River, is host to the 2014 Energy Services Coalition Market Transformation Conference. This year's conference is scheduled July 29 and 30. A block of rooms has been reserved at \$133 a night.

The Conference will kickoff the evening of July 28th with a Welcome Reception. The reception is designed as a special networking opportunity for exhibitors and attendees to maximize their conference experience. The reception will feature a display of the latest technologies and trends in energy efficiency products, strategies and services from conference sponsors.

The first day of the conference on July 29, concludes with an evening reception hosted by the Minnesota ESC State Chapter. The reception will be held on an authentic sternwheeler, the Johnathan Padelford, for a two-hour scenic cruise down the Mississippi River. While taking in the School District, and Metro West Fire Protection District, among others.



Minnesota: The Hibbing Housing and Redevelopment Authority (HRA) is looking to go green for the second time in 18 months. HRA is seeking approval of the US

Housing and Urban Development before issuing a request for proposal for an ESPC.

scenic beauty that only Minnesota can offer, conference attendees can enjoy another networking opportunity while enjoying hearty appetizers and beverages. Seats are limited, so reserve now with your conference registration for an old fashioned trip down the Mighty Mississippi.



Attendance is limited so register today!

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