

Cowlitz PUD Presents **EnergySPICE**

Energy Savings Plan Industrial Conservation Effort

Electric Energy Efficiency Program for Industrial Customers

What is the EnergySPICE Program?

The **Energy Savings Plan Industrial Conservation Effort** Program provides financial incentives to industrial customers for the development and installation of electrical energy saving measures at their facilities. **Energy SPICE** provides an incentive of up to \$0.25 per kilowatt-hour* of verified annual energy savings or 70% of incremental project costs, whichever is less.

** Note: For very large projects with estimated annual savings exceeding one million kWh, the incentive rate is capped at \$0.15/kWh. For lighting projects, incentive rate is capped at \$0.18/kWh.*

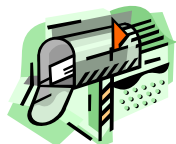
Eligibility

- Any industrial customer of Cowlitz PUD (PUD) is eligible.
- Only improvements/measures that save electrical energy are eligible. Energy savings must be measurable and verifiable as determined by standard engineering practices.
- **Before** project materials are purchased and installed, an 'EnergySPICE Project Proposal' (Proposal) form must first be submitted to the PUD and subsequently approved by the Bonneville Power Administration (BPA).
- Projects having less than a six month 'simple payback' (without incentives) are not eligible.
- Lighting projects with less than 200,000 kWh annual savings are not eligible under this program.

Steps for Participation

1. Customer completes Proposal form and submits to PUD.
 - a. Download blank [Custom Project Proposal](#) form.
 - b. View ['sample' completed Proposal](#).
2. Completed Proposals are reviewed by PUD and then BPA staff to determine if program requirements are met.
3. Upon BPA approval (typically within 10 business days of submittal), the Customer will be notified. The PUD will generate a project 'Formal Agreement' (Agreement) and send it to the Customer. The Customer will have 30 days to sign and return the Agreement to the PUD.
4. After the project is completed, Customer notifies the PUD that the project is ready for inspection and verification by PUD and/or BPA staff.
5. Customer prepares and submits to the PUD for review a Project Completion Report which includes the verified Energy Savings (as determined by a "Measurement & Verification Plan" specified in the Proposal) as well as supporting documentation of claimed Project Costs.
6. After review, PUD forwards the Completion Report to BPA. Once BPA approves the Completion Report (typically within 10 business days), it is included in the next monthly PUD invoice to BPA (for all recent conservation measures). Upon receipt of BPA conservation funds, PUD processes Customer invoice and mails check within 30 days.
7. Note: Regardless of the final verified kWh savings and verified Project Costs, the final incentive is capped at no more than the original 'estimated' incentive in the project Proposal.

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