



CHP as a Boiler Replacement

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Penn State District Energy



Penn State is a World Class University with more than 50,000 students, faculty and staff on campus on any given day.



As a provider of utilities, Steam Services plays an important supporting role in the success of the University's mission of teaching, research and service.

Steam Services & Engineering

Buildings Served

• +700 total

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- +200 served with steam
- +19 million ft²
- +10 engineering and technical support

- +40 Operations and Maintenance Staff
 - Power Plants
 - 18 Operators
 - 8 daylight maintenance
 - 6 Coal and Ash handlers
 - 2 supervisors
 - Distribution
 - 7 Daylight Maintenance
 - l supervisor
 - 2 Staff Assistants

District Energy – Penn State





Energy Picture in 2006

Additional Steam Capacity

Steam demands began to exceed firm capacity

Aging Infrastructure

• Last steam capacity upgrade was 1971

• Essential Services

- Where/How to care for 10,000+ folks during a total loss of power to campus
- Estimated we need 12 mW to do this









ECSP CHP





Combustion Turbine

• HRSG

Total Project

\$3.9 million

\$1.4 million

\$19 million



Covers

- Planned in-service and out-of-service maintenance
- Service calls
- Complete overhaul after 30,000 hours

Costs

- \$21,000/month, \$35 per hour
- ~\$600,000 per year



Projected Electric Generation





Projected Fuel Mix



Campus Improvements









Campus Improvements

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Actual Consumption MMBTUs





Penn State's GHG Picture





Campus Improvements

CO₂ Reduction







Comply with Boiler MACT at WCSP

 Investigate a 2nd CT/HRSG installed at WCSP







WCSP CHP





Next Steps

WCSP Floor Plan after Boiler MACT









WCSP with CT/HRSG



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Energy Funding – CT/HRSG

- Could meet Energy Program requirements of 8 year payback
- Could provide stability as Power Companies eliminate coal
 - PJM 16,000 mW ~ 10% of load (retirement requests)
- Campus could operate at reduced but functional load
- Recent catastrophies
 - 2003 Cascading NE Grid Collapse
 - 2005 Hurricane Katrina
 - 2009 Kentucky Ice Storms
 - 2011 Tropical Storm Lee
 - 2012 Hurricane Sandy



Energy Funding - Planned

	CT#1	CT#2
Cost	\$20M	\$20M
Ngas/dth	\$13	\$5
Elect/kWh	\$0.04	\$0.08
Coal/ton	\$80 (\$3.20 per mmBtu)	\$125 (\$5 per mmBtu)
Funding	Essential Services - Aug 2003	Energy Funds
	Utilities - Boiler Replacement	At the expense of building improvements



Energy Funding - Planned





Energy Funding – CT/HRSG





Penn State's GHG Picture



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