



# Tap into Energy Savings Through the Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## It Makes Sense

Reducing your facility's energy use can lower your costs and decrease air pollution. Thanks to Massachusetts' nation-leading energy efficiency programs you can take advantage of financial incentives and technical support to help meet your goal of becoming more energy efficient. The Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection has partnered with the Department of Energy Resources and the Office of Technical Assistance to ensure Commonwealth businesses, institutions, and municipalities have information on energy savings opportunities and funding.

## Energy saving opportunities may be around every corner

- Lights and Lighting Controls
- HVAC Equipment and Controls
- Compressed Air Systems
- Industrial Processes, Motors and Drives
- Waste Heat Recovery
- Steam Systems
- Combined Heat & Power (CHP)
- Custom Opportunities

## Technical assistance & incentives can make the difference

- Energy-Scoping Audits and Assessments – To identify electric and gas saving opportunities
- Turnkey Efficiency Services - For small commercial and industrial customers
- Equipment Retrofitting - Paying up to 50 percent of the project cost
- Interest-Free Financing - Up to \$100,000 for qualifying projects
- Utility Bill Analysis - Identify opportunities to reduce electric demand charges
- Steam Program – Low or no-cost steam trap surveys and steam trap incentives
- Commissioning – Incentives towards expenses

## Case Study: Town of Arlington – Approach and Results

- Installed high efficiency lighting systems in various municipal buildings
- Converted streetlights to LED technology
- Replaced antiquated steam traps
- Installed an energy management system to control, monitor and troubleshoot all HVAC equipment in elementary school
- Project Cost: \$694,846
- Mass Save\* Incentives: \$218,012
- Other Grants: \$200,185
- Estimated annual MMBtu savings: 3,061
- Estimated avoided GHG emissions: 863,915 lbs
- Estimated annual savings: \$341,794
- Payback: Less than 3 years

## Interested in Learning More?

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