

# Investigative Energy Audit For

# Koliganek IGAP Office Building



Prepared For Koliganek Village Council

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#### **PREFACE**

The purpose of this report is to provide guidance in reducing facility operating costs and enhance the sustainability of this community. The report assess the current energy usage of the facility, provide options for reducing the amount of energy used, and evaluate the cost vs. benefit of each option.

Discussions of site specific concerns, financing options, general facility information, and an Energy Efficiency Action Plan are also included in this report.

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**

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#### **OVERVIEW**

This report was prepared for the Koliganek Village Council. The scope of the audit focused on the IGAP Office Building and includes an analysis of building occupancy schedules, building shell, heating systems, heating and ventilations systems, domestic hot water, lighting, and other electrical loads. The building contains office space for administrative staff. Data was based on a site survey and interviews with the building occupants.

#### **ENERGY BASELINE**

Based on unsubsidized electricity and fuel oil prices in effect at the time of the audit, the total predicted energy costs are \$4,341 per year. This includes \$996 for electricity and \$3,345 for #1 fuel oil.

Table 1 lists the predicted annual energy usage before and after the proposed retrofits.

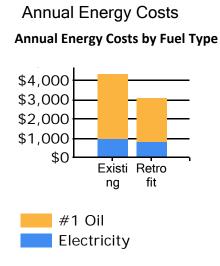


Table 1: Predicted Annual Energy Use

Predicted Annual Energy Use							
Fuel Use Existing Building With Proposed Retrofits Total Energy Savings Total Cost Savings							
Electricity	1,954 kWh	1,613 kWh	341 kWh	\$174			
#1 Oil	669 gallons	457 gallons	212 gallons	\$1,060			

# PROPOSED ENERGY EFFICIENCY MEASURES (EEM)

Table 2 below summarizes the energy efficiency measures analyzed for the Building. Listed are the estimates of the annual savings, installed costs, and two different financial measures of investment return.

**Table 2: Priority List – Energy Efficiency Measures** 

Priority	Feature	Improvement Description	Cost Estimate	Annual Energy Savings	Installed Cost	Savings to Investment Ratio, SIR <sup>1</sup>	Simple Payback (Years) <sup>2</sup>
1	Program Thermostat	Program the thermostat on the Toyo Stove to turn the building temperature down to 60 degrees afterhours	\$10 labor	\$949	\$10	1284.43	0.0
2	Air Tightening	Install weather- stripping and seal gaps around exterior doors	\$50 materials per door 2 hrs labor @\$50/hr each 2 doors each	\$176	\$300	5.44	1.7
3	LED Lighting Retrofit (60W)	Replace standard 60 Watt light bulbs with LED	\$10 per bulb 1 bulb per fixture 30min/fixture @ \$50/hr 2 fixtures	\$25	\$70	2.19	2.8
4	LED Lighting Retrofit (40W)	Replace standard 40 Watt light bulbs with LED	\$10 per bulb 1 bulb per fixture 30min/fixture @ \$50/hr 2 fixtures	\$16	\$70	1.36	4.4
5	LED Lighting Retrofit (T12)	Retrofit T12 (4 bulbs) fluorescent light bulbs with LED	\$20/bulb 2 bulbs per fixture 1.5 hrs @ \$50/hr per fixture 2 fixtures	\$57	\$775	0.44	13.6
6	LED Lighting Retrofit (T12)	Retrofit T12 (2 bulbs) fluorescent light bulbs with LED	\$20/bulb 4 bulbs per fixture 1.5 hrs @ \$50/hr per fixture 5 fixtures	\$11	\$230	0.29	21.1
			TOTAL	\$1,234	\$1,455	10.40	1.2

Highly Recommended
Recommended
Not Recommended (Based on Estimated Cost)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Savings to Investment Ratio (SIR) is a life-cycle cost measure calculated by dividing the total savings over the life of a project (expressed in today's dollars) by its investment costs. The SIR is an indication of the profitability of a measure; the higher the SIR, the more profitable the project. An SIR greater than 1.0 indicates a cost-effective project (i.e. more savings than cost).

Remember that this profitability is based on the position of that Energy Efficiency Measure (EEM) in the overall list and assumes that the measures above it are implemented first.

#### **FACILITY DESCRIPTION**

#### **Building Occupancy Schedules**

The building is occupied year-round from 8:00am-5:00pm Monday-Friday by approximately 4 office staff.

#### **Building Shell**

The exterior walls are 2x6 wood-framed construction.

The roof of the building consists of rafters, assumed to be made of 12" deep wood I-beams insulated with 6" of blue-board foam.

The building foundation consists of a concrete footer with a wood stem-wall foundation. All plumbing is located in the crawlspace below the floor.

There are 4 large windows in the building; all are double-paned.

There are 2 entrances into the building.

#### **Heating Systems**

The heating systems used in the building are:

#### **Toyo Stove**

Fuel Type: #1 Oil

Input Rating: 40,000 BTU/hr

Steady State Efficiency: 87 % Idle Loss: 0 % Heat Distribution Type: Air

Stove Operation: 9 Months/Year

#### **Individual Space Heaters**

Fuel Type: Electric
Input Rating: Variable
Steady State Efficiency: 100%
Idle Loss: 0 %

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Simple Payback (SP) is a measure of the length of time required for the savings from an EEM to payback the investment cost, not counting interest on the investment and any future changes in energy prices. It is calculated by dividing the investment cost by the expected first-year savings of the EEM.

Heat Distribution Type: Air

Heater Operation: Approx. 1 Month/Year

#### **Space Heating Distribution Systems**

The building is primarily heated by the Toyo Stove. During abnormally cold weather, individual rooms become too cold and electric space heaters are used to heat the rooms.

#### **Building Ventilation Systems**

The building relies on operable windows for ventilation.

#### **Domestic Hot Water System**

The building is not provided with domestic hot water.

#### **Lighting**

The interior space is lit with T12 fluorescent trougher fixtures and incandescent light bulbs. The lights use an estimated \$353 kWh annually.

#### **Other Electrical Loads**

The building is supplied with a drip style coffee machine, a microwave and computers for the staff.

#### Major Equipment

**Table 3: Major Electrical Equipment** 

Equipment	Rating (Watts)	Approx. Annual Usage (kWh)
Coffee Pot	~1000	130
Laptop Computers w/ Monitors	~50	352
Microwave	~1000	130

# **PROJECT FINANCING**

The total estimated cost of the recommended EEM's is \$450. The payback for the implemented EEM's is approximately 0.4 years. ANTHC is willing to assist the community with acquiring funds to complete the scope of work recommended in this energy audit.

There are several options for financing energy efficiency projects within the State of Alaska. These include the use of grants, loans, and other funding opportunities. Below is some information on potential funding opportunities.

**Energy Efficiency Revolving Loan Program** – This is a loan administered by the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) for use by any applicant who is also the owner of the building where the work will take place. It provides a loan for permanent energy-efficiency projects with a completion window of one year.

**Sustainable Energy Transmission and Supply Program** – This is a loan administered by the Alaska Energy Authority (AEA) for a government, business, or other organized body of people. It provides a loan for energy-efficiency or power transmission or distribution projects.

**USDA-RD Communities Facilities Direct Loan & Grant Program** - This is a loan or grant provided by the US Department of Agriculture – Rural Development (USDA-RD) for any essential community facility in a rural area. It provides a loan or grant to develop essential community facilities with upgrades or equipment for improvement.

#### **MEASUREMENT AND VERIFICATION**

The results of these recommended measures can be measured through the collection of energy use data through the monthly bills provided by the local electric utility and the local fuel oil supplier. Collecting data and performing a historical comparison is the simplest method of validating the energy and cost savings seen by the measures. Additionally, active remote monitoring systems are available that can collect and store data regarding energy and fuel usage. These systems allow the user to track the usage in real time and can be shared more easily with partners across the state.

# **APPENDICES**

# **Appendix A - Scanned Energy Billing Data**

# 1. Electricity Billing Data

Electric	▼ ID:			Notes:					Rate S	Schedule Ty	pe:			
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual	
Qty	222	222	177	148	118	118	118	148	177	177	192	222	2,039	kWh
kW Demand	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Cost	113	113	91	75	60	60	60	75	91	91	98	113	1,040	
Year	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016		

# **Appendix B - Energy Audit Report - Project Summary**

ENERGY AUDIT REPORT - PROJECT SUMMARY - Created 9/26/2017					
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<b>General Project Information</b>					
PROJECT INFORMATION	AUDITOR INFORMATION				
Building: Koliganek Village Council	Auditor Company: ANTHC				
Address: Koliganek	Auditor Name: Curtis Boudreau, Kevin Ulrich, Cody Uhlig				
City: Koliganek	Auditor Address:				
Client Name: Herman Nelson					
Client Address: P.O. Box 5057	<b>Auditor Phone:</b> (907) 729-3528				
Koliganek, AK 99576	Auditor FAX:				
Client Phone: (907) 596-3434	Auditor Comment:				
Client FAX:					
Design Data					
Building Area: 896 square feet	Design Space Heating Load: Design Loss at Space: 26,297 Btu/hour with Distribution Losses: 26,297 Btu/hour Plant Input Rating assuming 82.0% Plant Efficiency and 25% Safety Margin: 40,087 Btu/hour Note: Additional Capacity should be added for DHW and other plant loads, if served.				
Typical Occupancy: 4 people	<b>Design Indoor Temperature:</b> 70 deg F (building average)				
Actual City: Koliganek	<b>Design Outdoor Temperature:</b> -21.9 deg F				
Weather/Fuel City: Koliganek	Heating Degree Days: 11,175 deg F-days				
<b>Utility Information</b>					
Electric Utility: Koliganek Village Council - Commercial - Lg	Fuel Oil Provider: Koliganek Village Council				
Average Annual Cost/kWh: \$0.510/kWh	Average Annual Cost/Gal: \$5.00/gal				

Annual Energy Cost Estimate								
Description Space Heating Ventilation Fans Lighting Refrigeration Other Electrical								
Existing Building	\$3,413	\$8	\$353	\$163	\$404			
With Proposed Retrofits	\$2,331	\$8	\$201	\$163	\$404			
Savings	\$1,081	\$0	\$153	\$0	\$0			

Building Benchmarks							
Description EUI EUI/HDD ECI (kBtu/Sq.Ft.) (Btu/Sq.Ft./HDD) (\$/Sq.Ft.)							
Existing Building	106.0	9.49	\$4.85				
With Proposed Retrofits	73.5	6.58	\$3.47				

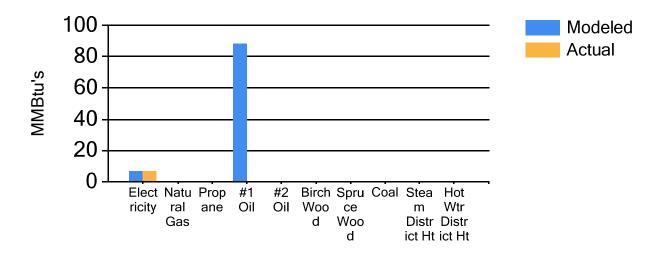
EUI: Energy Use Intensity - The annual site energy consumption divided by the structure's conditioned area. EUI/HDD: Energy Use Intensity per Heating Degree Day.

ECI: Energy Cost Index - The total annual cost of energy divided by the square footage of the conditioned space in the building.

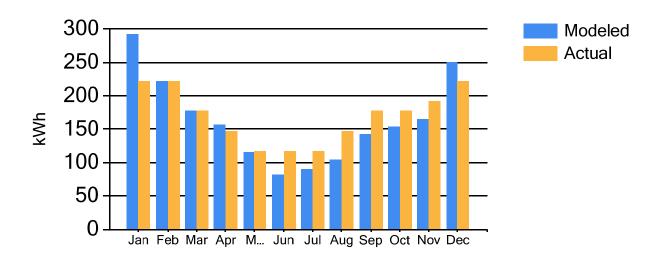
# Appendix C - Actual Fuel Use versus Modeled Fuel Use

The graphs below show the modeled energy usage results of the energy audit process compared to the actual energy usage report data. The model was completed using AkWarm modeling software. The orange bars show actual fuel use, and the blue bars are AkWarm's prediction of fuel use.

#### **Annual Energy Use**



#### **Electricity Use**



# **Appendix D - EUI Calculation Details**

The Koliganek Village Council provides electricity and fuel to the residents of Koliganek as well as to all commercial and public facilities.

The average cost for each type of fuel used in this building is shown below in Table 4. This figure includes all surcharges, subsidies, and utility customer charges:

Table 4: Energy Cost Rates for each Fuel Type.

Average Energy Cost					
Description	Average Energy Cost				
Electricity	\$ 0.51/kWh				
#1 Oil	\$ 5.00/gallons				

Table 5 shows the calculated results for the building Energy Use Index (EUI), which determines the total energy usage for a type of building for comparison with other buildings of the same type. This allows the user to determine the relative energy use of a building in relation to others of the same type or use.

**Table 5: EUI Calculations** 

Energy Type	Building Fuel Use per Year	Site Energy Use per Year, kBTU	Source/Site Ratio	Source Energy Use per Year, kBTU		
Electricity	1,954 kWh	6,669	3.340	22,273		
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#1 Oil	669 gallons	88,311	1.010	89,194		
Total		94,979		111,467		
BUILDING AREA		896	Square Feet			
BUILDING SITE EUI 106 kBTU/Ft²/Yr						
BUILDING SOURCE EUI 124 kBTU/Ft²/Yr						
* Site – Source Ratio data is provided by the Energy Star Performance Rating Methodology for Incorporating						
Source Energy Use do	cument issued March 2011.					

Table 6 shows information on common energy use benchmarks used to characterize the efficiency of a building.

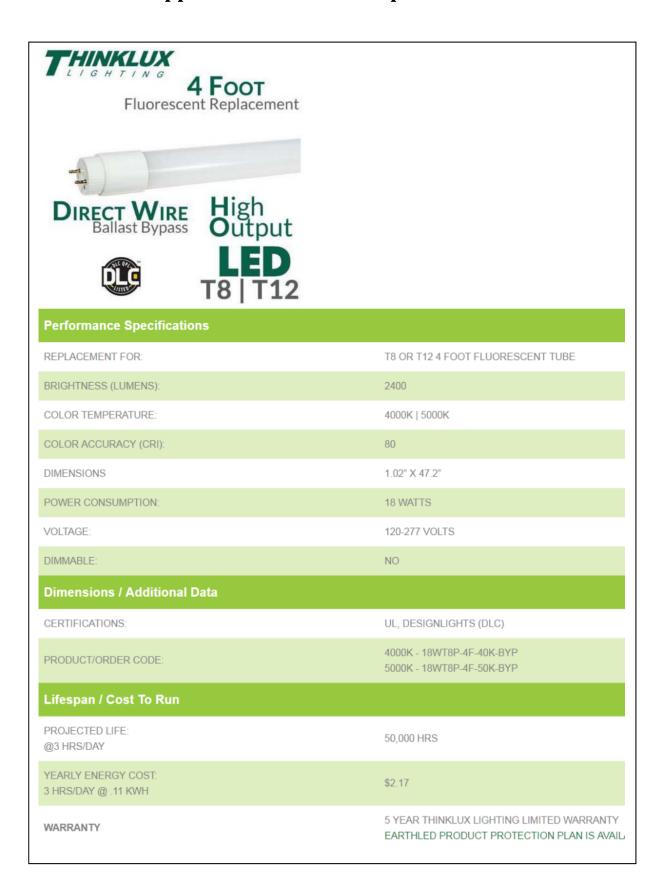
Table 6: Energy Efficiency Benchmarks for Building

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# **Appendix E - Materials Specifications**



# ULTRA LED™ A-line Lamps

#### Omnidirectional



Rated up to 15,000 hours at 70% lumen maintenance, SYLVANIA ULTRA LED A-line omnidirectional lamps offer years of service and reduce energy and maintenance costs. SYLVANIA ULTRA LED lamps are environmentally preferred products. They are RoHS compliant and contain no mercury, lead or other hazardous materials. They emit no UV or IR radiation. A CRI of 80 ensures good color definition and 2700K, 3000K, 3500K and 5000K color temperatures, these lamps can be used in many applications in both homes and businesses.

#### **Key Features & Benefits**

- Dimmable down to 10%\*
- Long life: up to 15,000 hours (L<sub>70</sub>)
- UV and IR free
- Mercury and lead free
- RoHS compliant
- Available in 2700K, 3000K, 3500K and 5000K color temperatures
- Suitable for indoor/outdoor environments
- Reduces energy consumption up to 85%
- Last up to 20 times longer than incandescent lamps
- No warm-up time, instant-on with full light output and stable color

Performance may vary depending on dimmer used in application. Please refer to Dimmer Compatibility List (RETRO-DIM) for a list of compatible dimmers or visit www.SYLVANIA.com/LEDRetrofit











#### **Product Offering**

Ordering		Color	Typical	
Abbreviation	Wattage	Temperature	Lumens	
LED5.5W A19	5.5	2700K, 3000K, 3500K & 5000K	450	
LED9W A19	9	2700K, 3000K, 3500K & 5000K	800	
LED12W A19	12	2700K, 3500K & 5000K	1100	
LED16W A21	16	2700K, 3500K & 5000K	1600	
LED25W A21	25	2700K	2550	

#### **Energy Savings**

<b>Basic Product</b>	LED	LED	Similar	Incandescent	Incandescent	Watts	Energy	LED Life vs.
Description	Life (hrs.)	Lumens	Incandescent	Life (hrs.)	Lumens	Saved	Savings*	Incandescent
LED5.5A19	15,000	450	40W A19	1500	465	34.5	\$56	10x
LED9A19	15,000	800	60W A19	1000	850	51	\$84	15x
LED12A19	15,000	1100	75W A19	750	1170	63	\$103	20x
LED16A21	15,000	1600	100W A19	750	1600	84	\$138	20x
LED25A21	15,000	2550	150W A21	750	2670	125	\$165	20x

<sup>\*</sup>Energy savings over life of lamp calculated at \$0.11/kWh

### Man-Door Gasket for Top Sill and Side Jambs

### Pemko 303\_PK (PG) Standard Perimeter Gasketing

- Category J gaskets for use with listed steel frames and/or classified steel covered composite, hollow metal doors rated up to and including 3 hours; wood and plastic covered composite doors rated up to and including 1-1/2 hours; and wood core doors rated for 20 minutes.
- Rigid jamb weatherstrip is shown mounted on openings with 1/16" gaps; however, each weatherstrip can seal gaps up to the depth of its seal.
- O Seal depth is provided on each illustration.
- O Stainless Steel fasteners are standard.
- Other fasteners are available.
- Model 303\_ is available with self-adhesive, two-sided tape (TST) and tek screws (3 slotted holes per part) for easy installation.
- To obtain this option, add "TST" to the end of the part number when ordering (i.e. 303APK36TST).
- This perimeter gasketing is supplied with a PemkoPrene® ("PK") insert item number PK47 (available in gray or black).

#### Ratings



Air Infiltration Tested

#### **BHMA**BHMA Certified



Smoke Tested - UL1784



Fire Rated - UL10C - Positive Pressure



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**Environmental Product Declaration** 



Health Product Declaration

# Declare. Decl



GREENGUARD Gold Certified

#### Finishes



303APK: A - Mill Finish Aluminum Aluminum with Gray PemkoPrene insert



303BDGPK: BDG - Bright Dip Gold Anodized Aluminum with Black PemkoPrene insert



303CPK: C - Clear Anodized Aluminum with Gray PemkoPrene insert



303DPK: D - Dark Bronze Anodized Aluminum with Black PemkoPrene insert



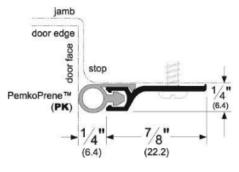
303GPK: G - Gold Anodized Aluminum with Black PemkoPrene insert



303PWPK: PW - Painted White Aluminum with Black PemkoPrene insert



303SNPK: SN - Satin Nickel Anodized Aluminum with Black PemkoPrene insert



### **Man-Door Bottom Sweep**

# Pemko 18062\_NB Brush Seal/180 Degree Aluminum Retainer

- o This brush gasketing is supplied with a Nylon Brush ("NB") insert item number P38062 (available in gray or black).
- o Painted white insert is item number P516062W.

#### Ratings

# **BHMA**BHMA Certified



Smoke Tested - UL1784



Fire Rated - UL10C - Positive Pressure



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#### **Finishes**



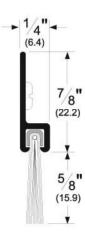
18062CNB: C - Clear Anodized Aluminum with Gray Nylon Brush insert

18062DNB: D - Dark Bronze Anodized Aluminum with Black Nylon Brush insert



**18062GNB:** G - Gold Anodized Aluminum with Black Nylon Brush insert

18062PWNB: PW - Painted White Aluminum with White Nylon Brush insert



# **Programmable Thermostat**

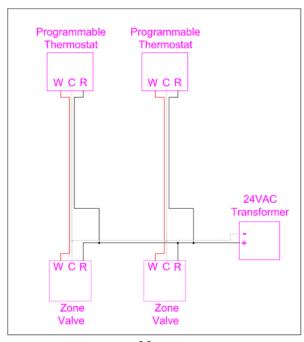
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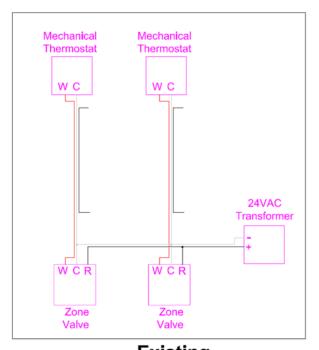


Menu Driven Display
7 Day Programmable with 2, 4 or 6 Events Per Day
9701i2 - 1 Heat / 1 Cool

#### **Worry-Free Memory Storage**

Even during power outages, the thermostat maintains set point and programmed parameters.





New Programmable Thermostat Wiring

Existing Mechanical Thermostat Wiring

(Red) Thermostat Off/On Signal, typically red or white
 (Gray) -24VAC Common, typically white or blue
 (Black) +24VAC Power Supply, typically red, black, or orange