

# ENERGY RETROFIT

## MILLIKEN MILLS COMMUNITY CENTRE



**General Committee**

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#### **BACKGROUND**

- An energy audit was conducted in August 2006
- Milliken was chosen due to its size and age
- The greatest potentials for cost effective energy savings were identified in:
  - Boiler upgrade
  - Heat recovery from swimming pool drain
  - Solar heating of swimming pool water
  - Building automation system (BAS)
  - Corridor lighting retrofit

Implementation began fall 2007



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#### **Boiler Upgrade**

- Replacement of old inefficient boilers with modern high efficiency ones
- Modification of heating system to achieve maximum output from the new boilers



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#### **Heat Recovery from Swimming Pool Drain Water**

- Recovering 70% of waste heat from drain water
- Preheating the incoming cold water to save energy
- Year round application



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#### **Solar Heating of Swimming Pool Water**

- Heating pool make up water in summer
- No additional pumping cost
- Water directly circulates through the solar panels on roof
- Designed for quick payback



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**Solar Collectors on Roof**

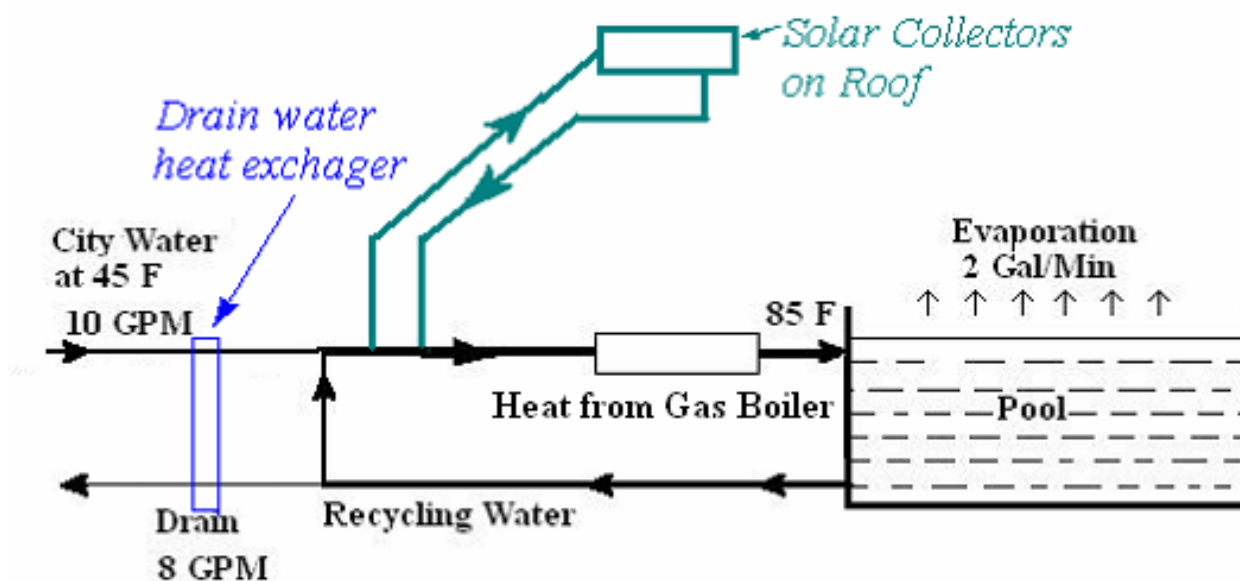




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#### Modified Pool Water Heating System





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### **Building Automation System (BAS)**

- Integration of all individual control systems
- Automated equipment shut down during non occupancy hours
- Maximize the level of comfort by prohibiting overheating or overcooling
- Ability to control and monitor the system remotely





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#### **Corridor Lighting Retrofit**

- Replaced inefficient lamps with higher efficiency Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFL)
- Automated lighting system switches off all lamps when sufficient daylight is available and during non occupancy hours



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**Corridor Lighting Retrofit**





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### Individual Energy Savings and Payback

Energy Saving Measure	Savings / year			Cost of Retrofit	Pay back (Yr)	GHG Reduction (Tonnes CO2)
	Elec. (kWh)	Gas (M3)	Dollar			
Boiler upgrade		68,000	\$27,000	\$169,265*	6.3	128.5
Drain Water Heat Recovery from Pool		17,000	\$6,800	\$17,500	2.6	32.1
Solar Heating of Pool Water		5,600	\$2,240	\$11,750 **	5.2	10.6
BAS	150,000	40,000	\$29,500	\$83,000	2.8	111.8
Corridor Lighting Retrofit	63,000		\$5,700	\$11,450	2.0	15.2

\* After \$12,735 Enbridge Incentive

\*\* After \$11,750 (50%) Federal Incentive



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### Energy Consumption, Savings and Payback Summary

2005 Consumption			Savings / year			Cost of Retrofit	Pay back (Year)	GHG Reduction (Tonnes CO2)
Elec. (MWh)	Gas (M3)	Dollar	Elec. (MWh)	Gas (M3)	Dollar			
2,059	382,305	\$318,819	213	130,600	<b>\$71,240</b>	\$328,965 ***	<b>4.6</b>	298.2 (Or 54 cars off road)

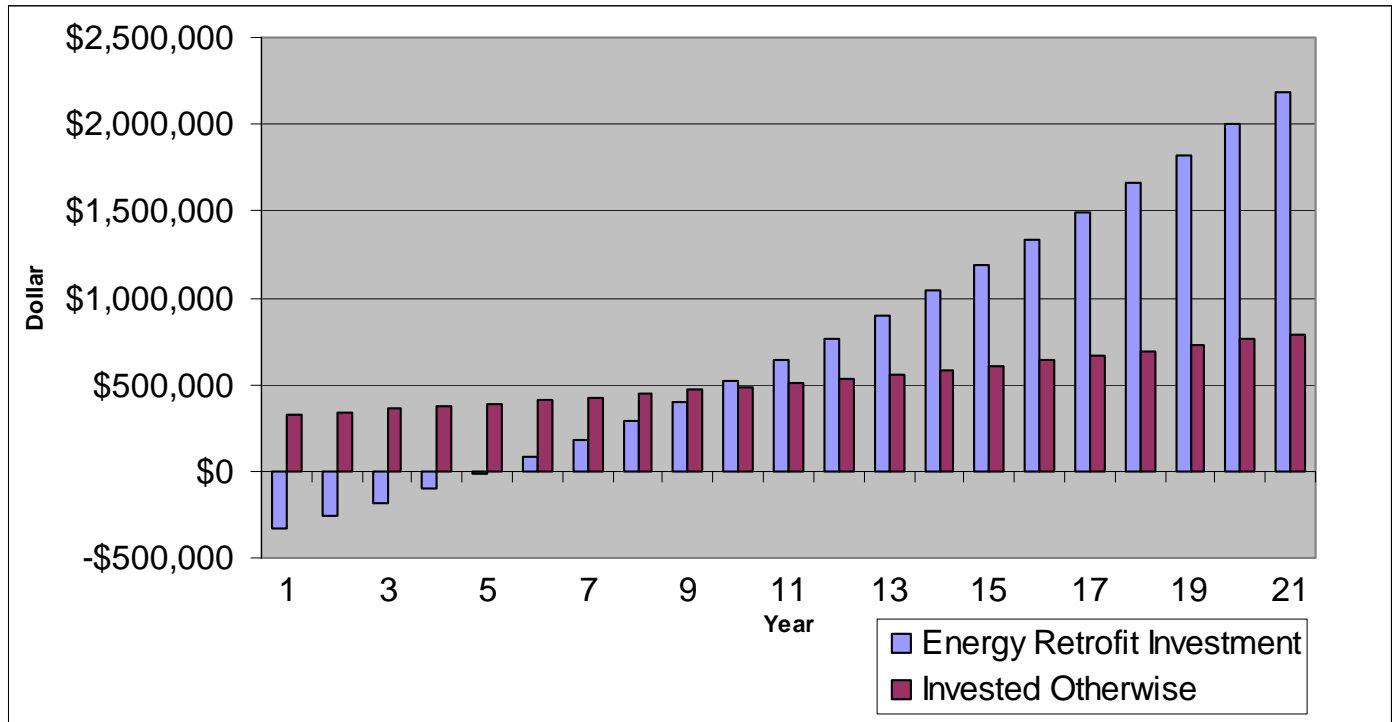
\*\*\* Total Cost includes \$24,000 for consultancy and \$12,000 for Energy Audit



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#### **20 Year Financial Benefit**



**Annual Return on Investment (ROI): 21.7%**

**If invested otherwise: 4.5%**



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#### **CONCLUSION**

- First comprehensive energy retrofit in a Town facility
- Project was jointly undertaken by Asset Management, MECO and Recreation Department
- Successfully secured Enbridge incentive dollars for projected gas savings as well as Ontario Solar Thermal Heating Incentive (OSTHI) and NRCan incentive for solar collectors
- Staff will measure and monitor energy savings
- Staff is continuously exploring energy saving opportunities in other Town Facilities