

Member Progress Update

## **BETTER BUILDINGS ALLIANCE**

Please complete the following information and	return to your Bett	er Buildings Allia	nce Account Manag
Organization Company Name:			
Organization Company Contact Name:			
E-mail Address:			
Energy Savings Goal(s):			
Baseline Year:			
Year of Data Reported in this Form:			
	<b>Baseline Year</b>	Current Year	Previous Year
Square Footage of United States Building Portfolio Committed to Energy Savings Goal:			

Source Energy Consumed (See instructions tab for guidance)	<b>Baseline Year</b>	<u>Current Year</u>	Previous Year
Electricity (kBtu)			
Natural gas (kBtu)			
Other (please specify type and units)			
Total Source Energy Consumed, (kBtu):	0	0	0
Total Energy Usage Intensity (kBtu/sq ft)			
Improvement in EUI since Previous Year:			
Improvement in EUI since Baseline Year :			

Please describe (1) any methods undertaken to normalize energy use data and (2) any adjustments to baseline energy use:

Please describe any Better Buildings Alliance project team activities or resources adopted by your organization that improved energy performance in your building portfolio. If possible, provide: systems and buildings impacted, approximate energy savings (in \$ or Btu), type of fuel, geographic location, and additional descriptive details about the projects:

Please describe other innovative and impactful technologies and practices implemented by your organization to reduce energy use that you would like to share with DOE and other Alliance members:



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#### **Reporting Form Field:**

**Company Name:** 

**Company Contact Name:** 

E-mail Address:

**Energy Savings Goal:** 

**Base Year:** 

Year of Data Reported:

Source Energy Consumed:

Total Source Energy Consumed (kBtu):

Improvement in EUI since Previous Year(%):

Improvement in EUI since Baseline Year (%):

Please describe (1) any methods undertaken to

normalize energy use data and (2) any adjustments to baseline energy use.

Total Energy Usage Intensity kBtu):

## Square footage of building portfolio committed to energy savings goal:

#### Instructions:

Provide the name of the organization that has committed to the voluntary partnership

Provide the name of the person with the organization who is responsible and knowlegable of this information.

Provide the email address for the organizational contact.

Please list your energy reduction goal for your portfolio. For example, Better Buildings recommends a goal of 2% reduction per year for 10 years from a specific baseline year. If you do not have reduction goals in this format, please list any energy goal that applies to your U.S. Portfolio.

Identify the base year for your pledge agreement, in YYYY format.

Identify the current reporting year, in YYYY format.

Provide the square footage of the building portfolio committed to the energy savings goal that your organization has set. This will used as to determine the EUI calculation. In most cases, this should incorporate all buildings in your portfolio. Some exceptions may apply. For instance, building management companies that do not have permission from clients to include client buildings in the total energy reduction goal may not be able to count those buildings. Contact your Account Manager or write to BBA@ee.doe.gov if you have additional questions.

Site energy is the amount of heat and electricity consumed by a building as reflected in utility bills. Source energy on the other hand is the raw fuel that is burned to create the heat and electricity, which is then used by a specific site. The factors used to restate site energy in terms of the total equivalent source energy units are called the source-site ratios. To calculate your source energy use, simply multiply your site energy use (in Btu) by the source-site ratio. For electricity generated on site (for example, with a CHP system), the recommended method for tracking is to report only the BTU content of the input fuel and not the resulting electricity.

	Site	Source-Site Ratio
Natural Gas	100 kBtu per therm	1.05
Electricity (purchased from grid)	3.412 kBtu per kWh	3.14
Electricity (on-site solar or wind)	3.412 kBtu/kWh	1
Fuel Oil, Diesel	138.6905 kBtu per gallon	1.01
Propane	91.6476 kBtu per gallon	1.01
Steam	1194 kBtu per kLbs	1.2
Hot water	100 kBtu per therm	1.2
Chilled water	12 kBtu per Ton Hour	1
Wood	15380 kBtu per ton	1
Coal/Coke	12.465 kBtu per pound	1

This represents the total primary energy consumed; this number is calcuated by the spreadsheet ( to calculate please sum all energy sources: electricity, natural gas, other).

This represents the total energy intensity; this number is calculated by the spreadsheet (to calculate this number please divide the total source energy consumed by the total square footage committed to the energy savings goal).

This number is calcuated by the spreadsheet, reflecting the change in energy intensity experienced in current year.

This number is calcuated by the spreadsheet, reflecting the change in energy intensity since the baseline year.

Please describe any methods undertaking to normalize or adjust your energy use data for the reporting period." Subsequently, the instructions would read: "Briefly describe any adjustments or normalization that occurred for the current and baseline reporting periods (i.e., weather normalization or changes in occupancy). If there were significant changes to the size of the building portfolio, please explain those changes. For additional information, contact bba@doe.gov.

Please describe the energy efficient technologies, strategies, and practices employed during the previous year to decrease intensity. Please identify systems impacted and approximate savings from project team activities: (Ex: used lighting specifications to upgrade 5 parking lots for savings of 10,000 MMBtu and \$5,000 per year; used implementation model for savings of 10,000 MMBtu)

Briefly describe, in general, the range of technologies, strategies and practices employed during the current year that resulted in a reduction in energy-intensity. Be sure to identify activites conducted in cooperation with program project teams. Identify systems and if possible, buildings that were impacted. Optional details: approximate energy savings (in \$ or Btu), type of fuel, geographic location, and additional descriptive details about the projects.

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Natural gas (kBtu)

Other - Fuel Oil #2 (kBtu)

Total Source Energy Consumed, (kBtu):

Total Energy Usage Intensity (kBtu/sq ft)

Improvement in EUI since Previous Year:

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## **BETTER BUILDINGS ALLIANCE**

#### Please complete the following information and return to your Better Buildings Alliance Account Manager: XYZ company Organization Company Name: Jane Smith Organization Company Contact Name: jsmith@xyz.com E-mail Address: Energy Saving Goal: To reduce energy consumption by 20% by 2020 **Baseline Year:** 2010 Year of Data Reported in this Form: 2013 **Baseline Year** Current Year Previous Year Square footage of United States building portfolio 1,318,410 1,236,050 1,297,225 committed to energy savings goal: Source Energy Consumed (See instructions tab for guidance) **Baseline Year** Current Year Previous Year 157,910,819 Electricity (kBtu) 154,464,883 155,326,946

 157,910,819
 154,464,883
 155,326,946

 45,006,250
 44,798,400
 45,865,186

 18,335,879
 11,552,716
 13,733,764

 221,252,948
 210,815,999
 214,925,896

 179
 160
 166

3%

11%

Improvement in EUI since Baseline Year :

Please describe (1) any methods undertaken to normalize energy use data and (2) any adjustments to baseline energy use: Our data has been normalized for occupancy and weather through ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager.

Please describe any Better Buildings Alliance project team activities or resources adopted by your organization that improved energy performance in your building portfolio. If possible, provide: systems and buildings impacted, approximate energy savings (in \$ or Btu), type of fuel, geographic location, and additional descriptive details about the projects:

We participated on the lighting and electrical project team calls and used lighting specifications to upgrade 5 parking lots for savings of 1,000 MMBtu and \$5,000 per year; used implementation model for savings of 72,000 MMBtu; participated on the Market Solutions team to identify green lease clauses that we are adding to new leases

Please describe other innovative and impactful technologies and practices implemented by your organization to reduce energy use that you would like to share with DOE and other Alliance members:

We are currently evaluating the opportunity to use solar panels at one of our properties to generate energy for use within the building. We expect the project to produce 20% of the building's energy use.