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Stoughton Utilities Helps Municipal Facilities Save Energy

The City of Stoughton and its local citizens are saving on energy costs thanks to Stoughton Utilities' proactive approach to helping reduce energy costs in local municipal facilities.

Stoughton Utilities helped the City of Stoughton take action to increase municipal energy efficiency through a lighting retrofit in the Streets Department. By identifying and implementing efficiencies in how energy is used and purchased in municipal buildings, Stoughton will enjoy benefits including: reducing CO2 emissions, lowering energy costs and helping to improve our city's infrastructure. Additionally, the Stoughton Streets Department garage will reduce its energy use by approximately 12,500 kilowatt-hours annually, or enough to power the equivalent of one home.

"Customers may be less aware of these efforts because they happen behind the scenes," said Stoughton Utilities Director Robert Kardasz. "Reducing our city's energy use benefits our taxpayers and our local economy by helping to keep costs down for everyone."

The energy-efficiency measures implemented at the Stoughton Streets Department municipal garage were financed by Stoughton Utilities and its not-for-profit power supplier, WPPI Energy. Additional funding was provided in the form of a grant from Wisconsin's Focus on Energy Business Incentive program.

“By improving energy use within our own facilities, we are keeping those energy dollars in the community and serving as an example for energy efficiency within our community,” said Kardasz.

For more information, contact Stoughton Utilities at (608) 873-3379 or visit www.stoughtonutilities.com.



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