# Facilities Conservation Improvement Program (FCIP) City of Lawrence

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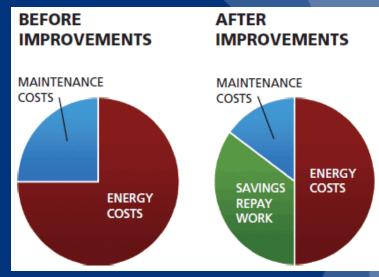
### Timeline:

- December 30, 2015: City Commission authorized staff to initiate FCIP project to save energy, save money, and improve buildings and facilities.
- January 2016: Staff in Public Works and Parks & Recreation submitted preferred buildings and facilities to include in FCIP.
- February March: City issued Requests for Information, selected Energy Service Companies for interviews, selected 360 Energy Engineers as preferred firm.
- April-May: Ongoing communication amongst City staff and 360 to ensure that the firm's approach meets the needs of the City.
- Today: Requesting Commission authorization to initiate a contract with 360 Energy Engineers for the next stage of the FCIP project, the Investment Grade Audit.

# The Performance Contracting Model:

A method for making energy efficiency building improvements in which energy and operational cost savings cover the debt service.

- Energy savings are identified with energy audit.
- City's partner firm leads all facets of project design and implementation.
- Energy savings pay for the project.
- Energy savings are guaranteed by the firm.



# The Facilities Conservation Improvement Program:

# A state program that facilitates performance contracting in public buildings.

- Third-party oversight experienced consulting to help you get the best value in the energy performance contracting model.
- Informed and knowledgeable review of energy audits and contract documents, and provides pre-negotiated contracts.
- Provides technical, legal, and financial oversight.

http://www.kcc.state.ks.us/energy/fcip/

# Benefits of FCIP participation:

- Save energy in our buildings and facilities,
- Reduce utility bills,
- Address deferred maintenance,
- Reduce maintenance costs,
- Provide important comfort and safety upgrades,
- Provide leadership on sustainability and greenhouse gas emissions reduction goals.

# Potential FCIP Projects

#### Lighting

New lamps and ballasts, fixtures, daylighting (i.e. LED traffic signals downtown, parking lots)

#### Heating

Replace boilers, steam traps, pumps (i.e. Community Health Building boiler replacements)

#### Cooling

Replace chillers, cooling towers, RTUs, etc.

#### Controls

New Energy Management Systems and commissioning

# Water Low-flow fixtures, waterless urinals, water treatment

- Building Shell Insulation, windows, roofs (i.e. assessment of City Hall windows)
- Alternative Energy
  Wind, solar, geothermal
- And more

plants

### What is the Process?

#### **FOUR MAIN STEPS**

Preliminary Audit
 Determine if savings are available

March 9

Investment Grade Audit
 Identify and quantify savings/improvements

May-July

- Energy Performance Contract
   Construction of improvements
- Measurement & Verification
   Energy and operational cost savings
   Shortfall check for unrealized savings

#### Approve Investment Grade Audit

- City Commission approves IGA
- Authorizes 360 Energy Engineers to complete detailed analysis of facilities
- Goal: build final projects for implementation
  - Contingent fee: \$64,000 if City does not proceed with project involvement of the control of the



- Review selected City facilities
- Create energy models and calculations
- Gather input from City staff
- Estimate project costs
- Develop preliminary project scope



#### Completion of Draft IGA Report

- Details of energy audit findings
- Conceptual project scopes of work
- Detailed energy savings projections
- Individual project cost estimates
- Review with City staff prior to commission presentation/work session



#### Commission Draft IGA Approval

- City Commission reviews draft IGA
- City staff makes recommendations regarding scope of project
- Commission provides preliminary approval of scope for development



#### 360 Project Design

- Develop detailed project plans
- Create drawings for applicable projects
- Detailed specifications for all scope
- Work with City Finance office to identify preferred project financing options



#### **Contactor Pre-Approval**

- City staff advertises projects to contractors, invites them to submit for pre-approval
- 360 conducts pre-approval process to ensure experience, resources, etc.
- City staff and 360 approve final list of



#### 360 Subcontractor Solicitation

- Provide bid specs to potential subcontractors
- Conduct site visit with each trade
- Manage questions, addenda, etc.
- Receive bids for all project components
   Receive bids for project financing, if City
  elects to use 3<sup>rd</sup>-party financing



#### **Bid Qualification and Review**

- 360 conducts reviews of bids received
- 360 makes recommendations of most qualified low-bidder for each project
- City staff and 360 review bid tabulations
- City staff and 360 agree upon final list of recommended subcontractors



#### **Final IGA Report Submission**

- State Energy Office approves report findings
- 360 provides final project price, guaranteed savings, and detailed scope of work
- City staff reviews final IGA Report
- City and SEO attorneys approve contract docs



#### **Final Contract Approvals**

- Commission reviews staff recommendations
- Commission authorizes project implementation contract with 360 Energy Engineers
- City Commission reviews staff financing
- Commission authorizes project financing

### Project Implementation360 manages all aspects of implementation

- Frequent progress updates with City staff
- Written updates to commission
- Full system commissioning
   Ongoing performance maximization

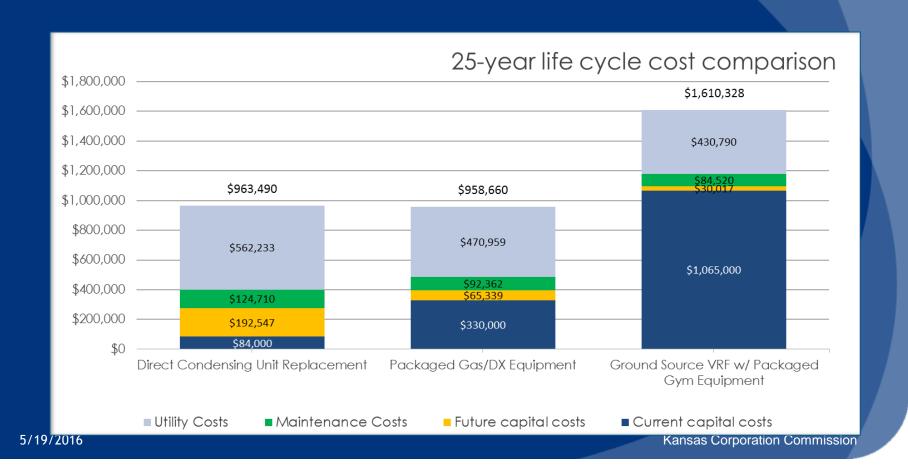


### The Investment Grade Audit

- Comprehensive analysis of 40 buildings/facilities
   – looks at opportunities in lighting, heating, cooling, water, renewable energy.
- ESCO delivers final audit with potential performance contract project, with energy conservation measures and financing recommendations.
- Audit cost is based on pre-negotiated rates, but the cost becomes part of the performance contract, and can be rolled into total project financing.

## Sample Investment Grade Audit Results

# Holcomb Recreation Center HVAC System Replacement: Life Cycle Cost of HVAC System Alternatives



# Audit Scope

Staff have recommended 40 buildings/facilities within the City that are in need of energy improvements. Include:

- City Hall
- •Lawrence Arts Center
- •Community Health Building
- •Holcomb, East Lawrence, Community Building
- Aquatic Centers both indoor and outdoor
- •Fire Stations
- Airport facilities
- •Various lighting opportunities parks, parking lots, school crossing beacons, downtown traffic signals

# 360 Energy Engineers Overview

- Founded in Lawrence in 2010 to operate differently than traditional ESCOs
  - ✓ Core project team has led growth of industry since Kansas began FCIP in 2000
  - ✓ Founders saw good and bad of PC industry working with traditional ESCOs and as client
- The 360 Vision
  - ✓ Balance the benefits of design/bid/build with those of traditional performance contracting.
  - ✓ Full in-house engineering to deliver turnkey projects.
  - ✓ Transparency and ongoing customer involvement
  - ✓ Vendor neutrality enables use of qualified low-bidders and local subcontractors
- Originally located in BTBC; moved to Hobbs-Taylor in 2014
- Becoming part of Willdan Group provided access to the most complete portfolio of Municipal Services in the U.S.





# **Other Relevant Projects**

#### **University of Kansas**

- Retro-commissioning Ambler Student Recreation Center
- LED parking garage lighting upgrades
- Measurement and verification services

#### **Harvey County, Kansas**

- Installation of geothermal heat pumps at Courthouse
- County-wide lighting retrofit
- Window and door replacements

#### City of Belton, Missouri

- On-Call Energy Services
- Projects in development
- Evaluation of street-lighting acquisition











# **Other Relevant Projects**

#### City of Eudora, Kansas

- Water meters & AMI
- Street lighting conversion to LED
- Building Energy Improvements

#### King County, Washington

- Corrected major IAQ issues in world-class aquatic center
- Corrected major ventilation issues in locker rooms
- Replaced antiquated HVAC Systems

#### City of Elk Grove, California

- Replaced approximately 10,000 streetlights with LED
- Managed project from design through implementation
- Oversaw transparent competitive bidding process











# Why 360 Energy Engineers

- 100% design of selected projects before contract approval
  - ✓ Ensures City staff fully understands scope they are buying
  - ✓ Allows for competitive bidding process
  - ✓ Clarity reduces risk and ensures lower subcontractor pricing

#### Commitment to Lawrence

- √ 360's growing presence in Lawrence benefits local community
- ✓ Company seeks to maximize use of local contractors
- ✓ Transparent and flexible in approach to IGA and project implementation

#### Best Financial Value

- ✓ Design and competitive bidding ensure lower subcontractor pricing
- ✓ Lower markups than traditional ESCOs considered during selection process





# Request from Commission

 Authorize the City Manager to initiate an Investment Grade Audit Agreement with 360 Energy Engineers to conduct investment grade audits of approximately 40 city buildings and facilities.