

Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc Conservation and Demand Management Programs

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Ontario's Electricity Supply

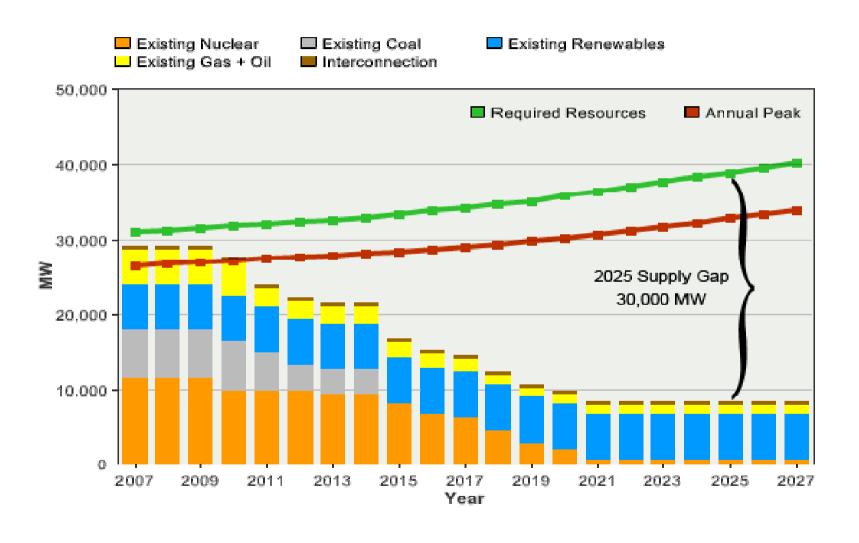
Ontario has installed capacity to generate about 31,000 Megawatts of electricity.

- Nuclear power = 52%
- Hydroelectric = 21%
- Coal = 18% (to be phased out by Dec 2014)
- Natural Gas = 8%
- Wind = 1%

Why Conserve?

- Coal facilities are to be phased out by December 31, 2014; and, many existing power facilities are reaching the end of their operating lives and will need to be refurbished or replaced over the next 20 years.
- If no new facilities are built and existing ones are retired as they reach the end of their operating lives, there will be a huge gap between available and required capacity by 2025.

Why Conserve?



Conservation is Important to Our Future

- Conservation and demand management play a vital role in the Ontario Government's plan to build a better future. Ontario has set a goal to reduce Ontario's peak demand by about 20% - or a total of 6,300 megawatts - by 2025.
- We all have a role to play in conserving electricity.
- Greater Sudbury Hydro has incentive programs to help us move in the right direction.



Electric Thermal Storage Heating

- Although the province of Ontario is summer peaking, we are a winter peaking utility. GSH customers experience cold harsh winters that result in extremely high energy costs.
- We have a large population that heat their homes with electric heat.
- This program replaces conventional heating with Electric Thermal Storage Heating (ETS) technology. ETS equipment utilizes a storage medium (such as ceramic brick) to store low cost electricity in the form of heat for use in heating 24 hours a day.
- promotes the shifting of electricity usage from "on peak" periods to "off peak" and readies the customer for smart meters / TOU billing.

Electric Thermal Storage Heating

 Greater Sudbury Hydro has received approval to run this program for 2009 through 2011.

 The program includes up to \$2,500 incentive per customer.

Electric Thermal Storage Heating

Example: The following data is based on a customer who has a thermal storage heating system. The customer is billed time of use rates. The bill period was 65 days (Nov 1/08 – Jan 5/09) and hourly data was categorized into the three regulated time-of-use periods.

•	<u>Period</u>	Sum of Billable kWh	Sum of Total	<u>Rate</u>		
•	On	962.37	\$84.69	8.8 ¢		
•	Mid	1089.93	\$78.48	7.2 ¢		
•	Off	<u>12392.42</u>	<u>\$495.70</u>	4.0 ¢		
•	Grand Total	14442.72	<u>\$658.87</u>			

The bill calculation tabulated under the regulated price plan without TOU pricing is as follows:

•	First Block	2166.67	\$121.33	5.6 ¢
•	Balance	12392.42	<u>\$798.07</u>	6.5 ¢
•	Grand Total	14442.72	\$919.40	

This customer realized savings of \$260.53 for bill period Nov 1/08-Jan 5/09.

Parking Lot Controller Program



GET PLUGGED INTO...

The Ultimate Energy and Cost Saving Solution for Parking Lot Operators

As an operator of a commercial establishment, you know how taxing winter energy costs can be. By installing Intelligent Parking Lot Controllers you can save up to 65% in energy costs associated with vehicle plug-ins.

Call Greater Sudbury Hydro today for details on how to reserve parking lot controllers.

We will even pay you up to \$175 per unit installed!





Visit sudburyhydro.com or call 675-0517.

Background:

 Electronic devices that control the electricity supply to outdoor plugs used for engine block heaters, allowing fleet, building and property managers to effectively control electricity usage in their parking lots, during winter months.



- Units are Local Control Devices that are installed in place of the receptacle at the parking site.
- Simple to install and doesn't require major wiring modifications.
- Indicating LED's also warn users if their heaters are faulty as they plug in.

In contrast to timers, they automatically adjust the length of time that electricity is provided to the plugs based on outside temperature.

Above -5°C, outlets typically receive no electricity. As the temperature drops, electricity is progressively delivered for longer periods of time.

Once the temperature drops to below –20°C, the power remains on continually.

 Greater Sudbury Hydro has received approval to run this program for 2009 through 2011.

 Includes a \$175 incentive per unit available to GSH's commercial customers

Savings Estimate

- It's estimated that in the multi-residential sector, for every hour a block heater is plugged in, 30 minutes of energy is wasted.
- A 75 unit apartment building could potentially use 37.5kW based on 75 cars with 500 watt block heaters. Thus, based on operating 10 hours per day, 7 days per week, 16 weeks of winter, the potential usage could be 42000kWh annually. Studies have determined that the average direct consumption savings with the installation of the controller is over 65%, therefore, the potential annual savings is about 27300kWh or \$3,300. (Based on 12¢ per kWh)

A local school bus company with 95 buses (standard 66 passenger school buses have 1000W engine block heaters) use 95kW. Based on a connected time of 12 hours per day 5 days a week for 16 weeks, energy usage could be in excess of 91mWh costing about \$11,000. With the installation of the controller, the energy usage would be reduced to 32mWh costing \$3,800 which represents a savings of about \$7,200 per winter season. (Based on 12¢/kWh)

Report for Parking Group: Mississauga...Yards

Monday, April 23, 2007 Present Data Report

Average parking duration (A/D): 75.73 Hours Average vehicle load (B/A): 641.72 Watts Average power consumption savings ((B-C)/B): 65.45 %

$\overline{}$				Power Cor	nsumption								
Serial	Stall	Power On	Plug-in (A)	Without (B)	With (C)	Plug-in	Park	Load	Stall	Overload	Requalify	Short Cct,	Power-Up
Number			_	IPLC (Kwh)		Count (D)	_	_			Count	Count	Count
	010815A	676,00		1814,68	480,53	47	74,44				0	2	4
	010815B	676,00		3041.35	895,47	46	109,42		70,56		0	2	4
	010816A	675,99			160,91	5	154,86		71,68		0	6	4
	010816B	675,99			169,56	10			81,51	7	0	4	4
10817A	010817A	675,99	82.53	75.69	21,14	7	11,79	917,12	72,07	0	0	0	4
	010817B	675,99			34,53	63	7,26		86,59		0	5	4
	010818A	675,99		1617,86	773,69	25	110,43	586,03	52,18		0	2	4
10818B	010818B	675,99	3044,69	1231,19	599.33	147	20,71	404.37	51,32	0	0	7	4
10820A	010820A	675,97	75,55	91,12	1,60	3	25,18	1206,08	98, 25	0	0	1	4
	010820B	675,97	9.41	3.86	0,76	3	3.14			0	0	2	4
	010821A	675,99		3439.51	1346,73	55	87.83		60,85		0	1	4
	010821B	675,99		3014.88	1209,49	51	93.94		59,88		0	2	4
	010822A	675,99		2455.13	811,45	52	70,09		66,95		0	3	4
	010822B	675,99			856,56	59	53.35				0	_	4
	010823A	675,98			513.37	19	118,57		-,,,		0		4
	010823B	675,98	2137.20		373.09	17	125,72		, -	0	0	1	4
10824A	010824A	675,98	3111.14	2053.13	846,41	38	81,87	659,93	58,77	0	0	0	4
10824B	010824B	675,98	2077.73	1230,28	444,45	19	109.35	592,13	63,87	0	0	3	4
10825A	010825A	675,99	3475.53	1814,88	478,82	32	108,61	522,19	73.62	0	0	0	4
	010825B	675,99	3377.53	1475,27	427,51	29	116,47	436,79	71,02	1	0	1	4
10826A	010826A	675,99	3454.90	3184.08	1471,64	49	70,51	921,61	53,78	0	0	6	4
10826B	010826B	675,99	4021.36	2840,69	1318,78	47	85,56	706,40	53,58	0	0	7	4
10827A	010827A	676,00	4621,50	2975.53	981,45	47	98.33	643,85	67,02	0	0	1	4
10827B	010827B	676,00	4758,64	2762,32	712,76	60	79.31	580,49	74,20	0	0	0	4
11111A	011111A	420,05	2626,90	2024,44	515,75	10	262,69	770,66	74,52	0	0	1	5
11111B	011111B	420,05	2376,59	1965,87	454,58	7	339.51	827,18	76,88		0	_	5
Totals			71716,41	46021,77	15900,35	947				12	•	79	

Vending Machine Power Controllers Program



POWER DOWN WHEN NO ONE'S AROUND...

And save 35% - 55% in energy costs

The VendingMiser*, is designed to use less energy in refrigerating beverage vending machines by automatically powering down and re-powering the cooling system at one to three hour intervals, while ensuring that the product stays cold.

Call Greater Sudbury Hydro today for details on how to reserve VendingMisers® for your business establishment. We will even pay you up to \$175 per unit installed!



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Background:

- Vending machines and self serve coolers present an excellent opportunity for energy conservation.
- They operate 24/7 and consume six times as much energy as a household refrigerator.
- Found in all local hotels/motels, restaurants, colleges, university, hospitals, high school cafeterias, recreation facilities, supermarkets and corner stores to mention a few.
- By installing vending machine power controllers, energy consumption and costs can be cut in half.



- The power controller consists of a passive infrared motion sensor and control unit.
- Monitors the presence of people in the room using infrared technology and automatically powers off the vending machine if no one is present for 15 minutes.
- Once powered off, the device monitors the temperature of the room and will power the machine on in 1.5 to 3 hour intervals.

 Greater Sudbury Hydro has received approval to run this program for 2009 through 2011.

VendingMISER*

• Includes \$175 incentive per installed device available to GSH's commercial customers

Savings Estimate

 The energy savings will depend on the pedestrian traffic in the area of the controlled machine.

Vending MISER*

 Annual savings, based on results out of the USA, are expected to be between 35% and 55% annually.

LED Traffic Light Conversion Program





 The traffic signal market in Canada and abroad is shifting toward low energy consuming LED technology and away from inefficient incandescent bulbs.

 Studies undertaken by BC Hydro, Manitoba Hydro and Natural Resources Canada have shown 85% to 95% energy savings.

 Greater Sudbury Hydro has received approval to run this program for 2009 through 2010.

Incentives will be offered for Red, Green,
 Advance Green Arrows and Pedestrian Signals.

 Yellow yield and yellow arrows are not covered.

- Incentives are as follows:
 - \$55 Red and Green
 - \$88 Red, Green and Advanced Arrow

Where partial conversions have already been completed, incentives shall be as follows:

- \$20 Red
- \$30 Green
- \$30 Advanced Arrow
- \$30 Pedestrian

Demand
Response
(Peaksaver ™
Program



 Kenmore ENERGY STAR' Front Loader Washer and Drver".

by June 30th and receive a FREE

programmable thermostat and installation, a \$25 rebate on your hydro bill – a package worth more than \$400; and, a chance to WIN A LAUNDRY ROOM MAKEOVER. a \$4.500 value

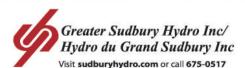
· Wicker Laundry Baskets,

Dryer Rack,

which includes:

 One Year Supply of Hi-Efficiency Laundry Detergent,

• \$500 Cash for Renovation Costs



*Offer available to all Creater Sudbury Hydro electricity customers with central air conditioning, who join the Peat/Saver program by June 30th, 2009, **Prize includes a Truffle coloured Kennrore Elite 4.4 cu. ft. Sierra HE 5t Steam Front Load Washer and 7.5 cu. ft. HE 5t Steam Front Load Dryer (not as shown).

<u>PeakSaver™</u>

To be eligible:

- The applicant must be a residential or small commercial customer of Greater Sudbury Hydro.
- 2. Customers must own a central air conditioner.

Program is designed to help ensure that the demand for electricity does not exceed supply in the province and our community during summer peak demand times.

Attempt to avoid brown-outs and black-outs when supply is constrained.

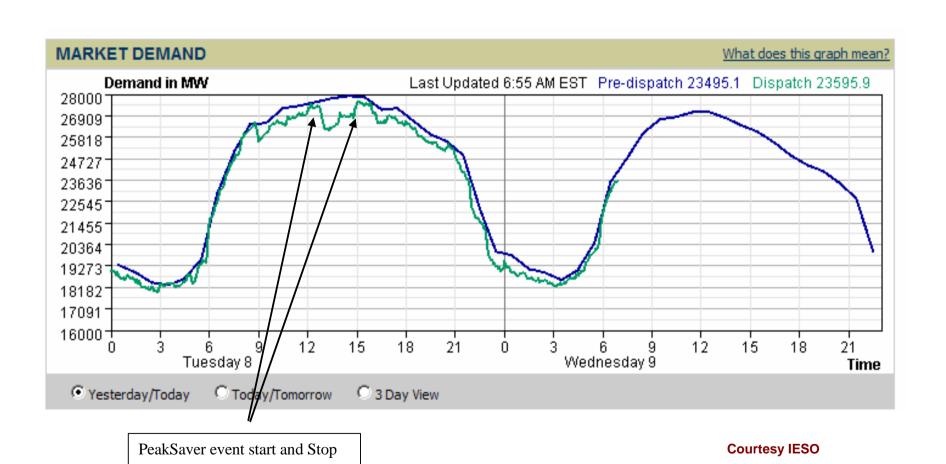
To avoid a reoccurrence of the black-out that we experienced on August 14, 2003.

The special programmable thermostat and/or switch plus installation are free of charge and a one time \$25 credit applied to their hydro bill (value worth more than \$400).

Many consumers have chosen to have the thermostat installed on their AC unit and a switch on their water heater (when combined with the thermostat, the value is worth more than \$800)

In return the customer allows the utility to raise the set point of the thermostat or shut off the switch during peak demand periods.

- Activation period between 1:00pm and 10:00pm.
- Maximum of 4 hours per day and to an aggregate maximum of 40 hours per year
- May to September inclusive (never activated during heating season).
- unlikely to occur on holidays or weekends.
- ** The yearly limit could also be exceeded for system reliability or emergencies.



- Toronto, ON, July 9, 2008
- "....the program, saved in excess of 40 megawatts during a day in which temperatures reached as high as 32 degrees and the humidex went as high as 38 degrees in some parts of the province. The 40 MW of peak reduction is equivalent to the peak electricity requirements of about 10,000 homes." (OPA Website)

PeakSaver™

As an Added Bonus. . .

If you schedule an appointment to have the thermostat or a switch installed on your central air conditioning unit before June 30, 2009, you could win a laundry room makeover valued at \$4500.00 dollars.



The Refrigerator Roundup is an Ontario wide program designed to remove older inefficient refrigerators and freezers from the Ontario grid.

The program also ensures that the appliances are disposed of and recycled in a responsible manner

- No need to remove your appliance from your home pick-up is free and we'll haul it out of your home and
 dispose of it in an environmentally way so that all
 that remains to go into the landfill will fit into a
 cowboy hat.
- We ask that refrain from putting these appliances at roadside for pick-up and transport to our local landfill; but rather ... to take advantage of this service with the next pick-up dates as follows:
 - May 21/09 / May 26/09 / June 4/09 / June 10/09 / June 17/09 / June 24/09

The Primary Appliance must be a refrigerator or freezer that is:

Working condition

Manufactured in 1994 or earlier

Is between 10 and 27 cubic feet

 Secondary appliances such as window air conditioners and refrigerators and freezers under 10 cubic feet also qualify if a primary appliance is being picked up.

 Window A/C units must be removed from window prior to pick up.

AS A BONUS!

Receive a 10% discount coupon towards the purchase of an Energy Star® refrigerator from THE NOTRE DAME BOYS and Sears; and, if you purchase before August 31, 2009 you will save an additional 8% PST exemption.

PLUS!

If you bring us the bill of sale, with the make and model number of the Energy Star® refrigerator, you will be entered to win the equivalent value of your purchase, to a maximum of \$2500, to be applied to your future electricity bill.



 Up to \$1050, taxes included, of free energyefficient upgrades available for small businesses.

 Project must be a retrofit. New construction does not qualify.

- Linear Fluorescent Lighting (T12 T8)
- Compact Fluorescent Lighting
 - Standard Spiral Type
 - Flood or Spot Lights
- Water Heater and Pipe Insulation
- Faucet Aerators

- Participants will receive a free energy assessment.
- If eligible, a work order will be issued to upgrade their electrical equipment.
- Minimum \$300 to maximum \$1050 including all taxes for all retrofit measures installed.
- Participants will have no out-of-pocket expenses unless they wish to exceed the \$1050 limit.

 The 2008 Power Blitz program was very successful and Greater Sudbury Hydro paid out more than \$134,000 in incentives.

- All retrofit measures are decommissioned and disposed of in accordance with all laws and regulations and environmental best practices.
- They cannot be sold or used elsewhere.

Electricity Retrofit Incentive Program

ERIP

The program offers incentives for energy conservation and load management initiatives undertaken within existing buildings in the commercial, institutional, industrial and agricultural sectors.

To be eligible:

- The facility must be within the Greater
 Sudbury Hydro Service Territory and serviced
 by GSH
- 2. Must have an active account with GSH
- 3. Project must be a retrofit. New construction does not qualify.

Two types of projects:

- 1. <u>Prescriptive</u> predefined technologies. The incentive is based on what is installed.
- Custom Measures that result in electrical demand reduction. The incentive offered is based specifically on the level of improvement.

Prescriptive Examples:

Most Common:

1. Lighting

- Fluorescent lighting systems (T8, T5, CFL)
- Metal Halide lighting systems
- LED "exit" signs
- Occupancy sensors

2. Motors

Three-phase premium-efficiency motors 1-200 hp

3. Cooling Equipment

 Unitary A/C units up to 25 tons that are Energy Star qualified or CEE (Consortium for Energy Efficiency) compliant

Other Items Covered Under Prescriptive Measures:

Transformers

Heating

Ventilation

Certain Agribusiness Equipment

Custom Project Examples:

- Replacement of existing electrical equipment with new higher efficiency electrical equipment
- Replacement of oversized existing electrical equipment with new "right-sized" efficient electrical equipment
- Implementation of more efficient operation procedures and controls

All technologies must be commercially proven.

Benefits

In 2008, Greater Sudbury Hydro paid out more than \$108, 000 in incentives to commercial customers which will help them to improve their bottom line by lowering their electricity bill.

In 2009, to date we have approved incentives totaling about \$135,000.

In some cases the incentives cover over 20% of the material cost and some customers will recover the project cost, as a result of energy savings, in as little as 5 months.

Find Out More

For more information -

Call us at: 675-0517

Or visit our website at:

www.sudburyhydro.com

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