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The following pages will outline a case study, which shows the benefits in energy and cost savings of properly installed mechanical insulation.

Insulation is a proven means for conserving energy, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, increasing process productivity, providing a safer and more productive work environment, controlling condensation (which can lead to mold growth), supporting sustainable design technology and a host of other benefits.

Mechanical insulation does all of this, while providing a return on investment (ROI) rate, which is seldom rivaled. Despite the proven ROI, insulation is often overlooked and its benefits undervalued. Insulation is truly the lost or forgotten technology. Can you think of a more important time than now to think about how insulation can help you?

An insulation system is a technology, which needs to be engineered and maintained throughout the entire process. Several studies have estimated roughly 10 to 30 percent of all installed insulation is now missing or damaged.

The practice of not replacing or maintaining an insulation system in a timely and correct manner reduces the full benefits of insulation, and in return, decreases the ROI. In many cases, significant other issues - such as excessive energy loss, corrosion under insulation (CUI), mold development, increased cost of operations and reduced process productivity or efficiency - develop.

You can learn more on www.MechanicalInsulatorsLMCT.com, where additional case studies can be viewed.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any additional questions. Thank you,

Peter Ielimi

Executive Director Mechanical Insulators Labor Management Cooperative Trust

# ENERGY AUDIT MCADAM HIGH SCHOOL



Total Heat Loss

5 year savings of

\$ 2,587.25

CO<sub>2</sub> Reduction of 2.25 MT/Year

### **Benefits:**

- Simple payback period
- CO<sub>2</sub> Reduction
- Personnel safety

Audit Done By:

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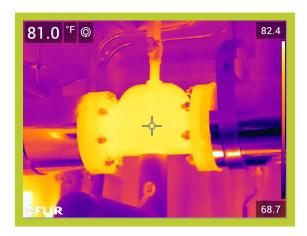




Operating Temperature, Ambient Temperature, Insulation selected 108\*F 72\*F Fiberglass Emittance of Surface Expected Useful Life of Insulation System Operating hours per year Efficiency of fuel Conversion%

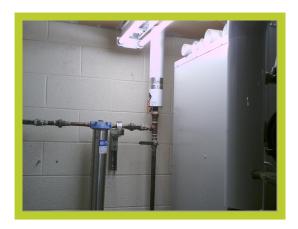
THICKNESS	HEAT LOSS	FUEL COST \$/yr	1styr SAVINGS.	5yr. SAVINGS	CO2 EMMISSIONS
0	1800	\$ 22.50	\$22.50	\$112.50	0.1
1	380	\$ 5.40	\$17.10	\$85.50	0
1.5	310	\$ 4.50	\$18.00	\$90.00	0

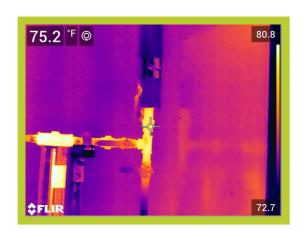




Operating Temperature, Ambient Temperature, Insulation selected 82\*F 72\*F Fiberglass Emittance of Surface Expected Useful Life of Insulation System Operating hours per year Efficiency of fuel Conversion%

THICKNESS	HEAT LOSS FUEL COS		1styr	5yr.	CO2
		\$/yr	SAVINGS.	SAVINGS	EMMISSIONS
0	1,436	\$ 58.84	\$58.84	\$294.20	0.28
1	228	\$ 9.44	\$49.40	\$247.00	0.04
1.5	168	\$ 6.98	\$51.86	\$259.30	0.04





Operating Temperature, Ambient Temperature, Insulation selected 82\*F 73\*F Fiberglass Emittance of Surface Expected Useful Life of Insulation System Operating hours per year Efficiency of fuel Conversion%

THICKNESS	HEAT LOSS	FUEL COST \$/yr	1styr SAVINGS.	5yr. SAVINGS	CO2 EMMISSIONS
0	189	\$ 7.77	\$7.77	\$38.85	0.03
1	39	\$ 1.62	\$6.15	\$30.75	0
1.5	33	\$ 1.35	\$6.42	\$32.10	0





Operating Temperature, Ambient Temperature, Insulation selected 82\*F 72 \*F Fiberglass Emittance of Surface Expected Useful Life of Insulation System Operating hours per year Efficiency of fuel Conversion%

THICKNESS	HEAT LOSS	FUEL COST \$/yr	1styr SAVINGS.	5yr. SAVINGS	CO2 EMMISSIONS
0	756	\$ 31.08	\$31.08	\$155.40	0.12
1	156	\$ 6.48	\$24.60	\$123.00	0
1.5	132	\$ 5.40	\$25.68	\$128.40	0

## **Mechanical Room**





Operating Temperature, Ambient Temperature, Insulation selected 83\*F 72 \*F Fiberglass Emittance of Surface
Expected Useful Life of Insulation System
Operating hours per year
Efficiency of fuel Conversion%

THICKNESS	HEAT LOSS	FUEL COST \$/yr	1styr SAVINGS.	5yr. SAVINGS	CO2 EMMISSIONS
0	10,116	\$ 415.08	\$415.08	\$2075.40	1.80
1	1,620	\$ 66.98	\$348.10	\$1740.50	0.36
1.5	<b>1.5</b> 1,260		\$363.96	\$1819.80	0.36

### Mechanical Room





Operating Temperature, Ambient Temperature, Insulation selected 90\*F 72 \*F Fiberglass Emittance of Surface
Expected Useful Life of Insulation System
Operating hours per year
Efficiency of fuel Conversion%

THICKNESS	HEAT LOSS	FUEL COST \$/yr	1styr SAVINGS.	5yr. SAVINGS	CO2 EMMISSIONS
0	2,080	\$ 85.24	\$85.24	\$426.20	0.40
<b>1</b> 320		\$ 13.16	\$72.08	\$360.40	0.08
<b>1.5</b> 236		\$ 9.72	\$75.52	\$377.60	0.04

<sup>\*</sup>Estimated Calculations supplied by 3E Plus Mechanical Insulation Energy Calculator  $^{\star}$ 

Results	
Simple Payback Period, yrs	5.2
Internal Rate of Return (IRR or ROI)	18.4%
Net Present Value,	\$7,628

	Calculations							
Year	Investment	<b>Annual Savings</b>	Annual Cash Flow	<b>Cumulative Cash Flow</b>				
0	\$-2,712	\$0	\$-2,712	\$-2,712				
1	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$-2,195				
2	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$-1,678				
3	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$-1,161				
4	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$-644				
5	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$-127				
6	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$390				
7	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$907				
8	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$1,424				
9	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$1,941				
10	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$2,458				
11	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$2,975				
12	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$3,492				
13	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$4,009				
14	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$4,526				
15	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$5,043				
16	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$5,560				
17	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$6,077				
18	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$6,594				
19	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$7,111				
20	\$0	\$517	\$517	\$7,628				