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# NYS Electrification Pilot Programs: Paving the Way for Widespread Electrification

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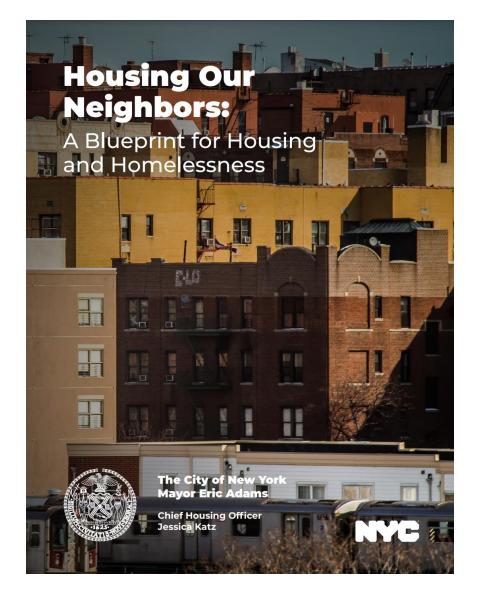
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# **The HPD-NYSERDA Electrification Pilot**

## **NYC's Commitment to Decarbonization**



### Fast-track equitable decarbonization and beneficial electrification to serve low-income households

We must ensure that the transition from a fossil-fueled economy is fair and equitable. Reaching New York City's ambitious climate targets while meeting our environmental justice goals will require significant investments in our housing stock, including scaling up beneficial electrification. Beneficial electrification reduces building emissions without creating additional costs for residents, and without stretching the energy grid in ways that may increase pollution and other environmental burdens in communities already disproportionately impacted by climate change.

**SPOTLIGHT:** Release Sustainable Design Guidelines that create a clear and equitable pathway to decarbonization

**SPOTLIGHT:** Incubate new ideas to scale beneficial electrification & resiliency

## **HPD-NYSERDA \$24M Retrofit Electrification Pilot**



### **Case Studies:**



#### Project & Building Info:

- 52-unit Gut Rehab Rental
- #2 Oil/ 1-Pipe Steam

#### Scope: Heating Only

- Central VRF + Envelope
- Heating/ Cooling is owner-paid

#### **Climate Metrics:**

- GHG Reductions: ~ 4.6 tons/ DU
- Energy Savings: ~ 54%
- Energy Cost Savings: ~ 31%

#### Project & Building Info:

- 4-building Sub Rehab Coop
- #2 Oil/ 1-Pipe Steam

#### Scope 2: Heating Only

- Mini-Splits + Envelope
- Heating/ Cooling is resident-paid **Climate Metrics:**
- GHG Reductions: ~ 3 tons/ DU
- Energy Savings: ~ 57%
- Energy Cost Savings: ~ 37%



#### Project & Building Info:

- 9-unit Gut Rehab Rental
- #2 Oil/ 1-Pipe Steam

#### Scope : Heating + DHW

- Dual-wired PTHP + HPHW
- Heating is owner-paid

#### **Climate Metrics:**

- GHG Reductions: ~ 6.9 tons/ DU
- Energy Savings: ~ 59%
- Energy Cost Savings: ~ 50%

## **HPD's Design Guidelines**

#### HPD Design Guidelines for Preservation

MODERATE REHABILITATION

Version 1.0



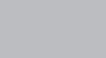
#### HPD Design Guidelines for Preservation

SUBSTANTIAL REHABILITATION & GUT REHABILITATION

Version 1.0



NEW CONSTRUCTION



HPDs Guidelines focus on equitable decarbonization & strategic electrification, requiring it where it makes the most sense and allowing waivers where it is not feasible.

## **Resilient & Equitable Decarbonization Initiative**



The First REDi initiative to launch is REDi: EB for Existing Buildings

**REDi: EB prioritizes beneficial electrification**, aligning w/ HPD's Design Guidelines, and provides free Technical Assistance to project teams.

**REDi provides up to \$35K/ DU and up to \$2.5 million per project** to implement up to 3 of the following scopes:

Scope 1: Electrification of DHW Scope 2: Electrification of Space Heating + Electrical Upgrades Boost Scope 3: Enhanced Envelope & Ventilation

# **How Does HPD Define Beneficial Electrification?**

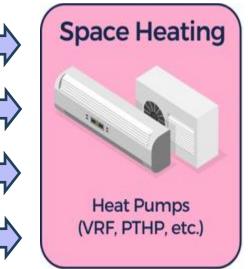


#### IT MAKES ECONOMIC SENSE

When electrification is **cost effective** and guarantees **energy savings** 

#### **IT REDUCES FLOOD RISK**

For **flood-prone sites**, where electrification would allow mechanical equipment to be moved to the roof.



- Scope includes roof insulation and window replacements
- If currently using oil or electric resistance as heating fuel
- If **steam system** requires replacement/ reconfiguration
- If the equipment is in the cellar in **flood-prone** buildings
- If the project is a **Gut Rehab**.



#### IT IS PART OF A HOLISTIC SCOPE

It is implemented along with complementary upgrades to ensure energy conservation

#### Domestic Hot Water (DHW)



- In buildings < 7 stories **and**:
- If DHW is currently using **oil** or **electric resistance** as fuel
- If the equipment is in the cellar in flood-prone buildings
- If the project is a **Gut Rehab**.

# **The REDi Application**

#### Resilient & Equitable Decarbonization Initiative (REDi) Application

The Resilient & Equitable Decarbonization Initiative (REDi) program is a long-term joint HPD-NYSERDA initiative that streamlines access to financial and technical assistance from New York State. REDi funding is secured directly through HPD, without requiring an application to NYSERDA. REDi:Existing Buildings (REDi: EB) will fund electrification of domestic hot water (DHW), space heating/ cooling, and enhanced envelope and ventilation.

#### INSTRUCTION

All light grey cells will auto-populate from information inputed elsewhere. Review which buildings are eligible to apply for REDi.

Fill in any additional content in light blue cells to the extent possible.

· Focus on buildings pursuing electrification.

SUBMITTAL DATE

· Once pre-scoping consultation has been held and eligibility clarified, submit the form to HPD Sustainability with project's IPNA and 2 years of Utility Bills for final review and approval.

8/21/2024

Have questions about REDi? Contact: Sustainability@hpd.nyc.gov

Max. Incentive Amounts	Scope 1 (DHW only)	Scope 2 (Space Heating)	Scope 3 (ERV/Envelope)	Note that REDI incentives are designed to offset the incremental cost of electrification of hot water and/or space heating when compared to "BAU" but					
SR0/Studio	\$1,800	\$18,000	\$2,700	due to caps, this is not always possible. Note that certain techngologies are not					
1-bedroom	\$2,100	\$21,000	\$3,200	corrently covered for Scope #2(e.g., window heat pumps), but projects may					
2-bedroom+	\$2,400	\$24,000	\$3,600	seek additional Scope 3 funding for items covered under that scope.					
Incentive Calculator: Project is eligible for the maximum incentive for the selected scope up to lower of the Per/DU or the Project Cap:									
Max. for each Scope	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	#VALUE!						
Max. for Scope 1+2	#VA	LUE!							
Max. for Scope 2+3		#VA	LUE!						
Max. for Scopes 1-3		#VALUE!							
Proje	ct Cap based on # of buil	dings:	\$2,000,000						
Will there be Operational	l Cost Savings from conv	erting to Electric Heat P	umps* compared to						
Oil	Significant savings, espe	cially when "normalizing	" the cost to today's	These estimates assume air-sealing, code-compliant root and windows, and pipe insulation/ low-flow fixtures at minimum , Increased efficiency will increase					
Electric Resistance	Significant savings, due	to in increase equipment	efficiency	savings. The REDi TAP team can help buildings assess energy costs and					
	Neutral to negative savi	ngs for electrification of	space heating	savings. The FIELP THE team can help buildings assess energy costs and savings. Note that projects will be expected to underwrite to HPD's N&O standards (or where allowed by HFD's Electric Heating Policy, HFD's Utility Allowancest					
		velope. Negative saving	s for electrification of						
Network Con-	Neutral to negative savi	ngs for electrification of	space heating						

SUBMITTAL DATE	8/21/	2024						
SUBMITTAL TYPE	Milestone 1: Presc	oping Consultation	REDi Questionnaire		Review documents on 🖡			
			Has applicant reviewed the REDi Term Shee	t and Participation Agreeme	nt and is willing to commit	to the the program requ	uirements?	Yes
Project Information	Additional Guidance	Autofilled	Has applicant reviewed the REDi Technical F	Requirements?				Yes
HPD 5-digit Project ID		68259	Has applicant reviewed the REDi Program Process?					
HPD Project Name		TBK1003-URBAN HOMESTEADING	Has applicant reviewed the HPD Electric He	ating Policy and is willing to	comply?			Yes
Developer/Sponsor Name Architect of Record	ant fills in $F$	UHAB		Will proposed electrification scope exceed the project's Term Sheet limit We are relatively early on in the scoping process for this project, so it's d when all incentives (including REDi) are factored in? Explain.				
MEP Engineer of Record		Senthal Engineering	when all incentives (including (CDI) are lac	ored m: Explain.	The building has a unique			ing bailes at the and of
HPD Primary Program project	info (e.g.	Party Transfer (TPT) - Tenant Petition	If not required by HPD, why do you want to e Explain.	lectrify your building(s)?	its useful life. Because the worthwhile to fully elect	ne building is about to un rify and input new heatin	dergo a substantial reha Ig and cooling systems. V	b, we believe it is /e also believe this will
basel	ine fuel,			aid the tenants (who will become homeowners upon completion of the rehab) building in the long term.			aab) in preserving their	
Scope of Work	abooting	Project Summary (auto-filled)	Fill in to the best of your knowledge					
Desidential Conservation	g heating	Electric Heat Pump - TBD	Electric Heat Pump - TBD					
Commercial Cases of an	flood zone,							
Proposed DHW (Domestic rehab cl	assification	Electric Heat Pump - TBD	Electric Heat Pump - TBD			Applicant fills in		
Proposed in-unit ventilation system	ll high perlormance (ERV), may be eligible for Scope 3	New Exhaust Only Ventilation	New Exhaust Only Ventilation		proposed			
Proposed Roof Scope	ll high performance, may be eligible for Scope 3	New Roof - High Performance	New Roof - High Performance		related			
Proposed Window Scope If high performance, may be eligible for Scope 3		New Windows - High Performance	New Windows - High Performance					
Proposed Wall Insulation	May be eligible for Scope 3	Partial Wall Insulation (meets Scope 3 UA)	Partial Wall Insulation (meets Scope 3 UA)		electrification			
Proposed Cooking Equipment Scope	For reference. Cooking electrification is not covered by REDi incentives.	Convert to Electric Stoves	Convert to Electric Stoves					

## **Estimates Cost Saving & GHG Reductions**

р	Est. Utility Cost Savings	Comments	Project Totals/								
			Averages								
р	Space Heating & Cooling										
Р	Estimated Cost Savings for Space Heating	Calculated, assuming commercial if included in Primary Fuel Use	42% savings	-14% savings	-3% savings	N/A, Not in S	Scope	56% savings	45%	savings	54% savings
Р	Annual Heating Costs for apartments (per M&O)	Excludes Commercial Space	\$128,535	\$14,350 /year	\$26,445 /year	Not in Sco	ope	\$12,710 /year	\$14,3	50 /year	\$26,445 /year
P	Estimated Heating Costs for Commercial Space	Uses M&O estimate but multiplied proportionally (comm SF/ resi SF)	\$0	\$0 /year	\$0 /year	#VALUE	9	\$0 /year	\$0	/year	\$0 /year
Р	Annual Cooling Costs for apartments (per M&O)	Excludes Commercial Space	\$765	\$85 /year	\$85 /year	\$0 /yea	r	\$85 /year	\$85	/year	\$85 /year
Р	Annual Cooling Costs for apartments (per M&O)	If Owner Paid	\$53,295 /year	\$5,950 /year	\$10,965 /year	Not In Sco	ре	\$5,270 /year	\$5,95	i0 /year	\$10,965 /year
р	Domestic Hot Water										
Р	Estimated Cost Savings for Hot Water	Calculated	9% savings	-22% savings	-22% savings	-22% savir	ngs	31% savings	N/A, No	t in Scope	N/A, Not in Scope
Р	Annual DHW Costs for apartments (per M&O)	Excludes Commercial Space	\$89,910 /year	\$12,950 /year	\$23,865 /year	\$23,680 /y	/ear	\$11,470 /year	Not Ir	n Scope	Not In Scope
Р	Estimated DHW Costs for Commercial Space	Calculated, for reference only	\$0 /year	\$0 /year	\$0 /year	\$0 /yea		+- ·	40	/year	#DIV/0!
Р	Combined Space Heating + DHW										
Ρ	Estimated Savings for Heating and Hot Water	Calculated		-17% total savings	-9% total savings	-7% tota	Sa	avings (if any)	are	ıl savings	37% total savings
Р	Estimated GHG Emissions Reductions (%)			80%	82%	25%	esti	imated for hea	ating	1%	62%
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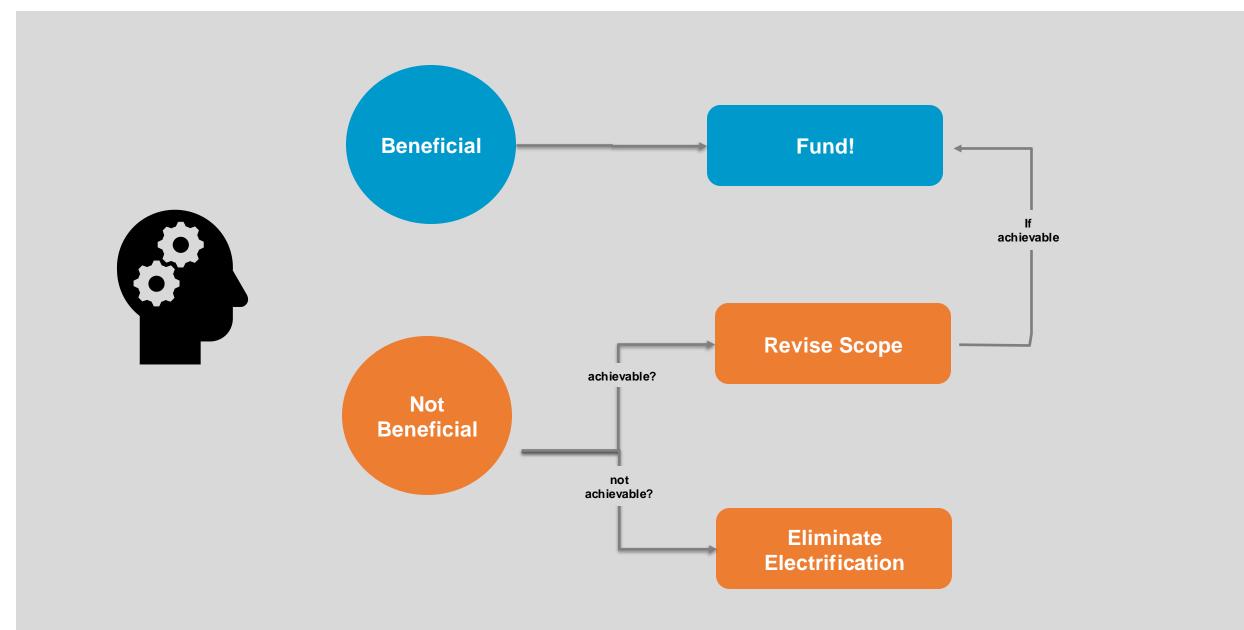
# **Estimates Cost Impacts**

							Increr	nental costs a	are		
Р	Cost Analysis	Comments	Project Total				<u></u>	lculated and			
Т	Proposed DHW system	DHW Systems Proposed	\$111,895 /sf	\$170,000.00	\$331,650.00	\$30	La			\$0.00	\$135,000.00
Т	Proposed Heating System	Heating System Residential	\$725,436 /sf	\$680,000.00	\$1,558,755.00		com	pared to "BAL	J″ 🤇	064,000.00	\$2,115,000.00
т	Proposed Cooking Scope (assumes all units w/ kitchen)	Cooking	\$28,074 /sf	\$30,600.00	\$59,697.00	\$1				7,400.00	\$81,000.00
т	Electrical Upgrades	Electrical Upgrades	\$133,684 /sf	\$102,000.00	\$198,990.00	#1	N/A	\$106,800.00	\$2	58,000.00	\$270,000.00
Т	Proposed Ventilation system	Envelope Ventilation	\$139,796 /sf	\$127,500.00	\$248,737.50	\$228,	225.00	\$133,500.00	\$3	22,500.00	\$337,500.00
Т	Proposed Roof Scope	Envelope Roof	\$111,837 /sf	\$102,000.00	\$198,990.00	\$182,	580.00	\$106,800.00	\$2	58,000.00	\$270,000.00
Т	Proposed Window Scope	Envelope Window	\$221,595 /sf	\$170,000.00	\$331,650.00	\$304,	300.00	\$178,000.00	\$6	02,000.00	\$630,000.00
Т	Proposed Wall Insulation	Envelope Wall	\$0 /sf	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0	.00	\$0.00		\$0.00	\$0.00
Р	Total Estimated Hard Cost (Residential Portion Only)	Based on proposed scope	#N/A	\$1,382,100.00	\$2,928,469.50	#1	N/A	\$1,571,740.00	\$3,5	581,900.00	\$3,838,500.00
P	BAU Cost for Non-Electric Scope*	For Comparison		\$26,500 /DU	\$40,100 /DU	#1	N/A	\$42,200 /DU	\$8	3,200 /DU	\$60,000 /DU
P	Incremental Cost/ DU	-	#N/A	\$14,300.00	\$22,000.00	#1	N/A	\$45,100.00	\$9	5,900.00	\$32,800.00

Р	Incentive Eligibility based on Scope(s)	Comments	Project Total						
Р	Scope 1 Incentive	All		\$2,400	\$2,400	\$2,400	\$2,400	\$0	\$0
Р	Scope 2 Incentive	All		\$24,000	\$24,000	\$0	\$24,000	\$24,000	\$24,000
Р	Scope 2 Wiring Boost	All		\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
Р	Scope 2 Service Boost	All		\$2,500	\$2,500	\$0	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
Р	Scope 3 Incentive	All		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
P	Combined Incentive Eligibility by building	Pro-rated, based on Scope		\$565,200	\$942,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$870,000
P	Max Incentive based on Scope	Pro-rated, based on Scope						\$2,377,200 Max Incentive	Based on Funded Scopes
Ρ	Max Incentive based on Per-Project Cap	\$1.25 M (single bldg), \$2.5 M per project				Incentives	are	\$2,500,000 Maximum	ncentive Based on Cap
P	Incentive for this Project	Max						\$2,377,200 Tot	al Project Award
Ρ	Incentive Gap	Based on proposed scope				calculated bas	sed on	-\$122,800 li	ncentive Gap
						scope and pr	oject		

size

# **Results Assists with decision making**



### The REDi ProForma

#### **REDi: EB Project Proforma**

74298

Date

Urban Renaissance

Application

Section 1a: Project Information

Submittal Type/ Date

HPD Project ID

Developer

Architect

HPD Project Name

Incremental Cost/ DU



Section 1b: HPD/ TAP Narrative

\$31,800 per/ DU

TAP to replace this text with custom text about: Cost overruns, Buildings

that are "Review Track" or "Revise Scope", and reasons why (project

cap exceeded, savings not achieved, cost too high and some rescoping is recommended.... The Proforma may suggest alternative scopes

Architect											
MEP Engineer	1	-	-								
HPD Primary Program	LIHTC Year 15		Projects are	encouraged to sc	hedule an early de	sign charette.					
Section 2: REDi S	cope, Cost &	Funding Sum	mary. Items	in red need a	ttention!						
REDi Eligibility:	Fund!	Fund!	Review Track	Review Track	Review Track	Fund!	haaa	d on HPD M&O	atandarda (aa		naid agata*
			Only	Only	Only		- base		standards (as	sumes owner-	-paid costs
Project Information	-						_				
Building Address:						,	\$5.00	\$185.00	\$185.00	\$119.00	\$330.00
Ownership Type	Rental	Rental	Rental	Rental	Rental	Соор	365.00	\$23,680.00	\$11,470.00	Not In Scope	Not In Scop
Number of Units	20	32	35	18	20	32	ident	Owner	Owner	N/A	N/A
Existing Fuel Type	Natural Gas	Natural Gas	Natural Gas	#2 Oil	#2 Oil	#4 Oil	05.00	\$0.00	\$205.00	\$205.00	\$205.00
Floodprone?	Stormwater	Stormwater	No	No	No	No	445.00	Not in Scope	\$12,710.00	\$14,350.00	\$26,445.00
What is Building's 1107	Flooding	Flooding	Article 201	Not flood up	Not oubject to	Article 321:	ident	N/A	Owner	Owner	Owner
What is Building's LL97 Pathway?	Not subject to LL97, building < 25.000 sf	Article 321: Prescriptive Pathway	Article 321	Not flood-prone site	Not subject to LL97, building < 25.000 sf	Prescriptive Pathway	5.00	\$0.00	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$85.00
Proposed Scope	20,000 31	T activity			20,000 31	T atriway	965.00	Not In Scope	\$5,270.00	\$5,950.00	\$10,965.00
REDi Scope	Scope: 1 2	Scope: 1 2 3	Scope: 1	Scope: 1 2	Scope: 2	Scope: 2	vner	N/A	Owner	Owner	Owner
Scope 1: Hot Water Heating	Electric Heat Pump, Central	Electric Heat Pump, Central	Electric Heat Pump, Central	Electric Heat Pump, Central	Electrification of DHW Not in Scope	Electric DHW units, In-unit					
Scope 2: Heating System	Electric Heat Pump - TBD	Electric Heat Pump-Cold	Electrification of Heating Not in	Electric Heat Pump-Cold	Electric Heat Pump-Central	Electric Heat Pump-Cold					
Scope 2: Electrical Upgrades (assumed)	Electrical Wiring + Partial Service	Electrical Wiring + Partial Service					1				
Scope 3: Envelope	Partial Wall Insulation (Does	Partial Wall Insulation (Meets	Not in Scope	Not in Scope	Not in Scope	Not in Scope		Section 4: HP	D Approvals <sup>*</sup>		
(Insulation)	Not Meet Scope	Scope 3 UA)			-		_	HPD Director			
Cooking (not funded, included for reference)	No stoves in Scope	Convert to Electric Stoves	Convert to Electric Stoves	Convert to Electric Stoves	Convert to Electric Stoves	Convert to Electric Stoves		HPD Signature			
Estimated Energy Cost							-	Date			
Savings*	-10%	3%	-9%	46%	27%	32%		*HPD Program Ar	proval is required	for projects seekin	a Pilot Eundina
Estimated Project Cost I											.g . not r unding
Hard Cost**	\$1,436,500	\$3,260,120	\$1,256,759	\$1,571,740	\$3,581,900	\$3,838,500					
Eligible REDi Incentive	\$565,200	\$1,050,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$870,000					
Net Cost after REDi	\$871,300	\$2,210,120	\$1,256,759	\$1,571,740	\$3,581,900	\$2,968,500					
, viect Hard Cost			\$14,946	6,000.00							
Estimated Business as Usual (BAU) Cost			\$7,462,000.00					r Letter (PIOL) will b	be issued		
Eligible REDi Funding		\$2,485,200 based on fundable scope					w/ REDi: EB Technical Requirements.				
Available REDi Funding		\$	2,485,200 Based o	on REDi Project C	ар		of 4 months for the required rounds of Design Review by the TAP.				
Net Incremental Cost			\$4,998,800.00 iew by HPD BLDS, which may take additional time.								

Summarizes the REDi Tool results and REDi incentive amounts for the development team and HPD.

Upon TAP sign-off of design and scope, a Final Incentive Letter will be issued prior to closing.

the REDi scope at 100% DD.

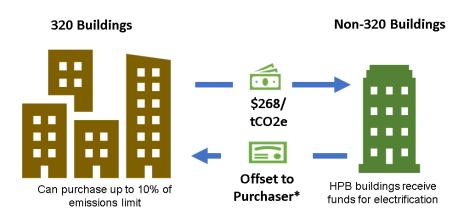
# LL97 Offsets and the "GreenHOUSE Fund"



LL97 Allows building owners to offset up to 10% of their emissions limits

Offsets must be local, verifiable, and permanent

The achieve these goals, NYC developed the GreenHOUSE Fund, which will use offsets to fund electrification projects in HPD's REDi program



# The Climate Friendly Homes Fund (CFHF)

### The Climate Friendly Homes Fund (CFHF)

As part of the 2022 approved Housing Plan 2.0, the \$250MM Climate Friendly Homes Fund was established to electrify 10,000 units of existing housing by 2027.

CFHF will provide up to **\$25,000/unit for regulated and unregulated affordable multifamily housing**, between 5 and 50 units, for full and partial electrification.

#### Key Goals of CFHF include:

- Targeting electrification in low-moderate income (LMI) census tracts and disadvantaged communities (DAC)
- Develop a benchmarking database
- Tracking bids and construction costs to identify trends in electrification hard-costs
- Comparing projected performance with actual, benchmarked performance
- Training, public awareness, and market building



#### **Program Parameters**

CFHF represents the largest investment in small and mid-sized, mid-cycle buildings in NYS LIDACs to date:

- New approach to incentivizing electrification focused on creating a larger pool of early adopters
- Significantly reduce the cost burden associated with electrification retrofits for building owners AND end users
- Examine existing market challenges and barriers to adoption
- Pilot limited, off-site project assessment and screening to limit soft costs
- Consistent reporting and pricing for feasibility screening, design services, construction monitoring, and other soft costs

In Year 3 of administration, CFHF has:

- Implemented a new, expedited feasibility screening to condense program evaluation timelines by at least 4 weeks
- Expanded eligibility criteria to include co-ops, condos, and larger buildings (case-by-case)
- Expanded ability to pair with additional financing sources including NYSERDA incentive programs
- Received over 400 applications (~15,000 units of housing) in 19 months of active originations
- Evaluated 120 eligible applications totaling 5181 units (excludes draft applications)

#### **Pipeline + Construction Cost Data Sample Size**

Active Applications	Active Total Units	Projects with Final Pricing/ Contractor Bid	Units with Final Pricing/ Contractor Bid
135	5785	14	434

- Current pipeline reflects drafts, completed applications (pre-screening), applications screened for eligibility and feasibility, and active closings
- Sample size for construction cost data based on projects with available:
  - G703/contractor final pricing template
  - Submitted contractor bids
  - Cost estimates from audit/feasibility screening
- Definitions:
  - Greenlight internal evaluation of eligibility criteria (size, physical condition, financial condition, location and/or regulatory status)
  - Scope A Off-site audit, submitted IPNA, and/or new feasibility screening
  - Scope B Property assessment, contractor procurement, and project closing stage

	Space Heating and Cooling	DHW	Other Measures	Total Cost
Projected Cost/Unit	\$14 <i>,</i> 356.95	\$3 <i>,</i> 839.10	\$3,147.44	\$19,484.62
Actual Cost/Unit	\$12 <i>,</i> 402.83	\$5,911.75	\$7,738.11	\$23,285.14

\*Other measures include lead/asbestos testing, air-sealing and other ECMs, contractor general requirements, and electrical service upgrades

\*14 projects included in this analysis – 9 with final approved pricing, 5 with contractor bids

\*Projected cost based on estimates produced by Momentum tool and engineer assessments

#### **Cost Comparison between Estimate and Final Pricing**

(Projects with G703 or Contractor Bid)



#### Main Street, Poughkeepsie

Grant Award/Status: \$575,000, Closed Number of units: 23 Number of buildings: 4

Scope of work: Full-Electrification – 100% covered by grant

- Replacement of existing hydronic heating system with mini/multi-split HPs (Mitsubishi M-Series)
- Replacement of unitized, gas-fired HW heaters with integrated tank HP HWHs (recommended spec: A.O. Smith, SANCO2, Rheem)
- Air-sealing and electrical service upgrades



	Space Heating and Cooling	DHW	Other Measures	Total Cost
Projected Cost	\$12,600	\$1,800	\$6,079.80	\$20,479.80
Actual Cost	\$15	,910	\$7,882.80	\$23,792.80

**14% increase** – contractor bids less competitive

#### Case Study – Garden Style, Mid-Hudson

#### Route 6, Middletown

Grant status: \$2.675M, Closed 60% complete Number of units: 107 Number of buildings: 6 Scope of work: Full-Electrification – 100% covered by grant

- Replacement of existing condensing boiler with unitized mini-split ASHPs (Mitsubishi M-Series)
- Installation of integrated tank HP HWHs in all units (Rheem ProTerra)
- Related electrical service upgrades
- WAP scope to be completed including air-sealing and existing system demo/removal



	Space Heating and Cooling	DHW	Other Measures	Total Cost
Projected Cost	\$18,810.93	\$2,000	\$21.06	\$20,831.99
Actual Cost	\$10,157.20	\$5,552.86	\$6,764.54	\$22,474.60

**7% increase** – slight increase based on WAP participation and electrical wiring upgrades.

#### Frear Ave, Troy

Grant status: \$125,000, Closed 80% complete Number of units: 5

Scope of work: Full-Electrification – 100% covered by grant

- Replacement of existing electric resistance baseboards with directly metered mini-split, ASHPs (Mitsubishi M-Series)
- Replacement of existing gas-fired conventional boiler with centralized integrated tank HP HWH (Rheem ProTerra)
- Related electrical service upgrades (including utility service upgrade covered by National Grid), air-sealing



	Space Heating and Cooling	DHW	Other Measures	Total Cost/Unit
Projected Cost	\$18,000	\$1,700	\$3,208	\$22,908
Actual Cost	\$12,600	\$3,100	\$3,302.97	\$19,002.97

**21% decrease** – simplified scope with direct metering for heating/cooling

#### **Case Study – Small Historic, Capital Region**

#### 2nd Street, Troy

Grant status: \$232,000\*, Closed Number of units: 8 Number of buildings: 1

Scope of work: Full-Electrification – 99% covered by grant

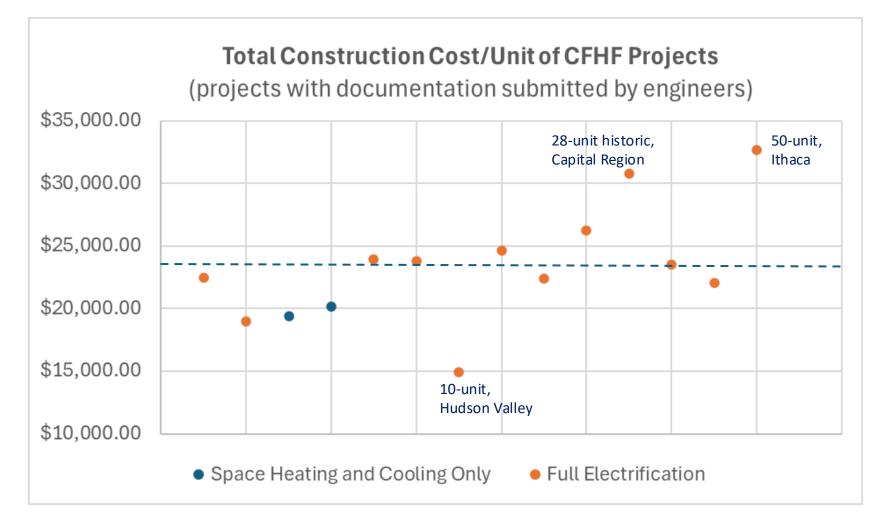
- Replacement of existing one-pipe steam system with centrally wired/metered mini/multi-split ASHPs (Mitsubishi M-Series)
- Replacement of existing central electric resistance HWH with integrated tank HP HWH (Rheem ProTerra)
- Air-sealing, electrical service upgrades and wiring, historic preservation work, and lead/asbestos abatement



	Space Heating and Cooling	DHW	Other Measures	Total Cost	
Projected Cost	\$7,894.25	\$2,230	\$6,216.63	\$16,340.88	
Actual Cost	\$13,275		\$11,363.39	\$24,638.39	
	*Increased grant award to cover electrical service and wiring upgrade		<b>34% increase</b> – electrical se upgrades to accommodate p		

electrical service and wiring upgrade costs related to centralized metering **34% increase** – electrical service upgrades to accommodate program requirement to keep heating and HW production centralized

#### Challenges



\* Outliers on high and low end represent pricing trends observed by region

\* High-end bids struggling to contract and fill financing gaps

#### **Program Goals – Construction Cost Data**

Overview	Clean Heat - Space Heating (Mini/Multi Split Heat Pumps)							
Workflow	Line Item	Quantity	Units	Unit Price	Estimate	Ebrown's Team	Tmo	
Comments	Option 2: 1 Ton Mini-Split (Units 2-4)	3	each	\$14,250.00	\$42,750.00	-		
RFP #16 Electrical Upgrade Package	Option 2: Air Transfer Fan (AS-1)	3	each	\$250.00	\$750.00	-		
RFP #17 Clean Heat - AWHP DHW RFP #23 Clean Heat - Space Heating	Option 2: Multi- Head Mini-Split (Unit 5)	1	each	\$14,500.00	\$14,500.00	-		
(Mini/Multi Split Heat Pumps) Documents	Disconnect Electric Baseboard	1	property	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	-		
Pricing Sheet	Multi-Head Mini- Split (Unit 1)	۱	each	\$14,500.00	\$14,500.00	-		
Contractors	Option 1: Multi- Head Mini-Split (Unit 2 and 4)	2	each	\$14,500.00	\$29,000.00	-		
Request for Information	Option 1: Multi- Head Mini-Split (Unit 3 and 5)	2	each	\$14,500.00	\$29,000.00	-		
Bid Review					\$133,000.00	-	-	
RFP #15 Mechanical/Plumbing Upgrades Package	4						Þ	
RFP #14 Air sealing package	Estimate	Ebrown's Team	$\rightarrow$	noag's $ ightarrow$ Admin's Team	s Team →	Singh's $ ightarrow$ Fdm Team	nestima Team	
	<b>Total</b> \$133,000.00	-	-	-	-	-		

RFP #13 Insulation - roof

#### **Challenges – Contractor Engagement**

We propose to install (1) 50 gallon eleytric water heater and disconnect current water heaters.

Price: \$4,500.00

### **Program Goals – Construction Cost Data**

Project Name:	Contractor Pricing Sheet Ithaca Project #1						
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Contractor Name: Job Ad dress(es ):	Construction Co #1			_			
Date Submitted:	9/13/2024	Ł		_			
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CFHF Measure	Unit Type/Description	Quantity Per U	nitPrice		TOTAL		
Electrical	<ul> <li>a. Electrical permit and inspection fees are included.</li> <li>b. A temporary generator has been included to power house loads during the cutover for the new electrical service.</li> <li>c. Based on the new mechanical equipment electrical loads, the existing electrical service will need to be upgraded from the existing 600-amp feeder to an 800-amp main breaker MDP. Therefore, costs have been included to upgrade to a 1,600-amp service.</li> <li>d. Installation of the new switch gear and moving the existing house loads over to this new switch gear is included.</li> <li>e. Replacement of the existing HP2, located on the 6th floor) with an 800-amp panel is included.</li> <li>f. Provide new feeders to the new roof-top equipment from the new HP2.</li> </ul>						
Electrical Service Upgrades	g. Install a new 225-amp panel and associated feeders to the new plumbing equipment on the ground floor. h. Temporary power for the temporary gas booster room is also included.	1\$	406,054.00		Ś	406,054.00	
		19	400,054.00	TOTAL Electric:	\$	406,055.00	
Plumbing/DHW							
RFP #39 Clean Heat - DHW	a. The temporary relocation of gas booster pump to garage. b. Provide and install all required piping to accommodate new equipment as required. c. A temporary shutdown to transfer the hot water supply to the new system once the new system has been installed and wired, is included. d. LG electric heat pumps	1\$	487,860.00	TOTAL Plumbing/DHW :	Ş	487,860.00 487,861.00	
Space-Heating/Cooling				TOTAL Plutibility/DHW.	2	487,801.00	
RFP #40 Clean Heat - Heating & Cooling	<ul> <li>a. The replacement of the existing MAU-1, RTU-1, HRU-1 and HRU-2 units with new Aaon packaged heat recovery and air handing units' models: RNA-011, RNA-015, RNA-007 and RNA-009, has been included.</li> <li>b. Modification of the existing ductwork and curbs to accommodate the new rooftop unit has been included.</li> <li>c. Rigging of new units has been provided.</li> <li>d. Decommission ing and disposal of old units has been included.</li> <li>e. Replacement of the existing 100,000 BTU gas fired boiler and replacement with new electric boiler has been included.</li> <li>f. Modification of existing 100,000 BTU gas fired boiler and replacement with new electric boiler has been included.</li> <li>g. Included is the cutting and capping of boiler venting.</li> <li>h. Startup of all the units will be provided.</li> <li>i. Engineering fees to facilitate delivery of clean heat application and required calculations have been included.</li> <li>j. Engineering fees to facilitate delivery of clean heat application and required calculations have been included.</li> </ul>	1\$	463,887.00	TOTAL Space Conditioning:	\$ \$	463,887.00 463,888.00	
<u>Air-Sealing</u>	<ul> <li>a. Sealing of any penetrations to accommod ate upgraded systems.</li> <li>b. Installation of miscellaneous roof flashings and patching as required for the upgraded roof top units.</li> <li>c. Unit caulking around the floor to wall base has been included. Per RFI response from the design team, no floor or trim removal has been included.</li> <li>It is assumed that all flooring is hard flooring and there will be no sealing at carpet locations.</li> </ul>						
RFP #38 Air Sealing Package	d. Unit caulking has been included around the windows and entry door.	1\$	250,855.00	TOTAL Air-sealing:	\$ \$	250,855.00 250,856.00	
Gen Requirements/Gen Conditions/Etc						£30,030.00	
Item 1	Permits				\$	15,000.00	
Item 2	General Conditions				\$	10,000.00	
ltem 3				TOTAL General:	Ś	25.000.00	
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TOTAL Development Cost:	\$ 1,608,660.00						

# **NYCHA's Clean Heat for All**

# CH4A launched in 2021 to solve gap in technology for migrating from central steam to beneficial electrification

Maintaining centralized steam system poses various challenges

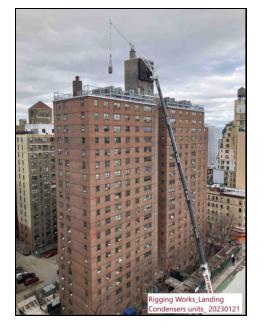
- Replacing aging steam boiler systems requires significant funding and heavy construction underground and within buildings
- Fully renovated system will still have limited energy and cost efficiency, with ongoing overheating
- Outages impact full building or development rather than individual apartments
- Skills to properly maintain steam systems are becoming difficult to recruit and train for
- Cannot meet decarbonization requirements as per LL97, nor help address extreme heat issues

Other available technologies are not suitable for NYCHA context, cost-prohibitive and/or have high O&M needs

- Mini-split, Multi-split, and Commercial VRF systems are cost-prohibitive, require significant design, and construction timelines, and have long-term risks associated with them
- Only few sites are suitable for ground source heat pump (geothermal)

# **Early NYCHA Electrification Efforts**

#### **Commercial VRF at 830 Amsterdam**









#### **Through-wall PTHPs at 1700 Hoe Ave**





# **Clean Heat for All Challenge**

#### WHO: NYCHA-NYPA-NYSERDA

**WHAT:** Partnership to develop new all-in-one packaged cold climate heat pump installed through existing window.

#### HOW: RFP for bulk purchase

- Minimum Requirements Specifications
- Additional Design Target Specifications (scoring system)
- Initial purchase order of production units

#### WHERE: NYCHA campus developments

**NYCHA estimated internal demand:** 156,000 heat pump units to reach climate goals

**External demand:** Letters of interest from 13 stakeholders: PHAs, government agencies, ESCOs representing over 75,000 housing units. *Price guarantee allows others to purchase at the same price.* 



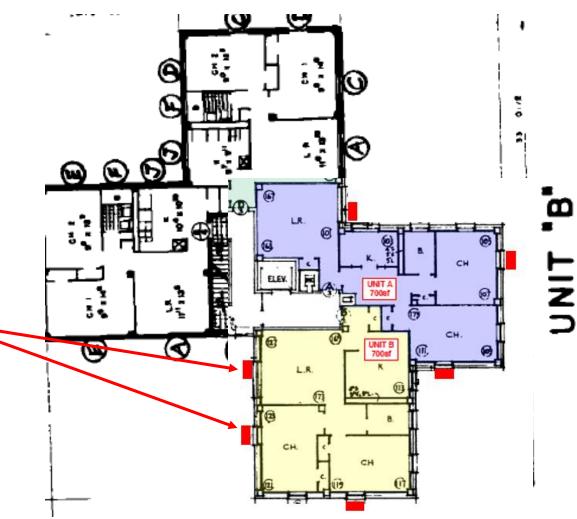
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# **RFP Desired Product Specifications**

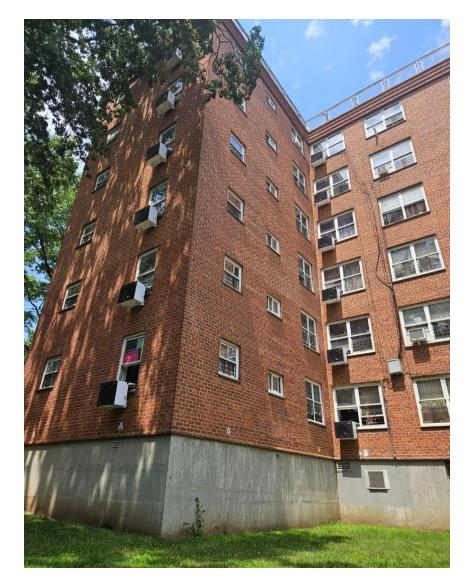
- Form factor with approximate size and weight of a typical window or through-the-wall AC with all refrigerant piping hermetically connected within the unit and no exterior core drilling required for installation;
- Run on 115 VAC +/- 10% single phase, 60 Hz and plug into a standard 3-prong outlet, 15 amp circuit;
- Minimum efficiency of 1.85 COP at 17°F outdoor temperature and 70°F indoor temp in heating mode, at rated capacity;
- Shall operate down to 0°F and shall not use backup resistance heat for space heating;
- Variable speed compressor with capacity of 9,000 Btu/hr heating at 17°F outdoor temp;
- Condensate line and pump (if needed) are internal and discharge outdoors or nearby indoors with no need for plumber labor;
- Can be installed so it is airtight around its perimeter without any degradation to the overall R-value or infiltration of the building envelope;
- Provide BACNet compatibility for BMS integration with no external proprietary cloud software required; and
- Can be installed by unskilled labor within approximately two hours.

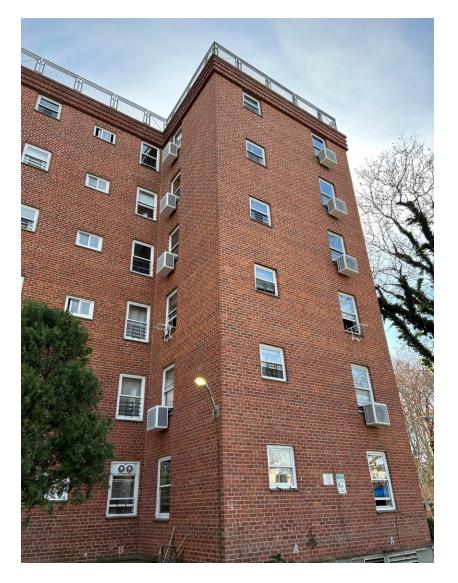
# Two window heat pump products selected and piloted at Woodside

- Two adjacent lines of apartments selected at two 6-story buildings
- 6 apartments per line, 12 apartments in each building, 24 total apartments
- Buildings currently heated by 2-pipe steam
- Steam service was disconnected for the pilot apartments but left in place for the control apartments
- One heat pump installed in each bedroom and living room
- No direct heat given in kitchens and bathrooms
- Electric meters installed in each apartment and on each riser
- Space temperatures measured in each room



## **Exterior View**

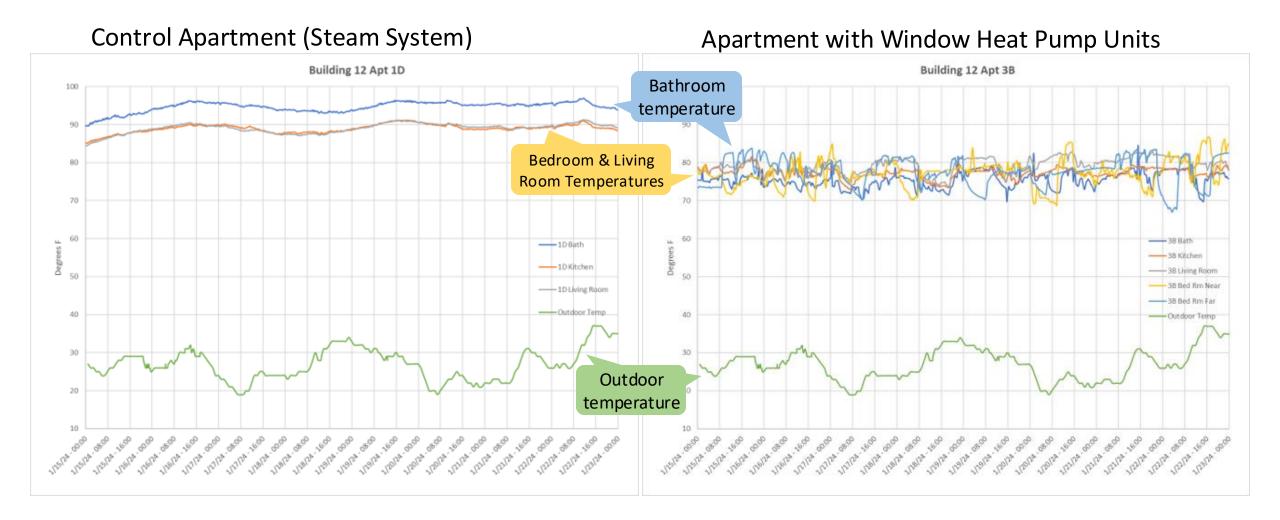




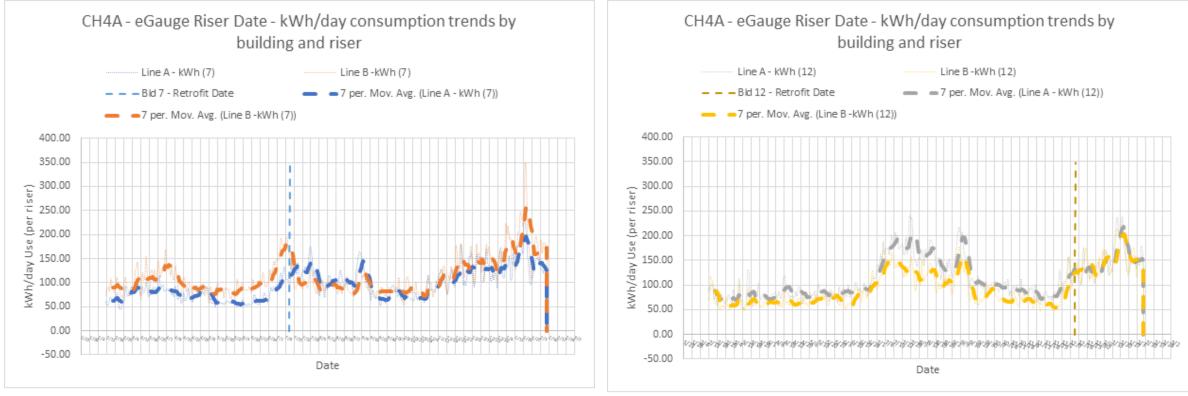
# **Installation completed by NYCHA maintenance staff:** 24 apartments completed in 8 days (excluding outlets)



# **Preliminary Results:** Consistent comfortable temperatures



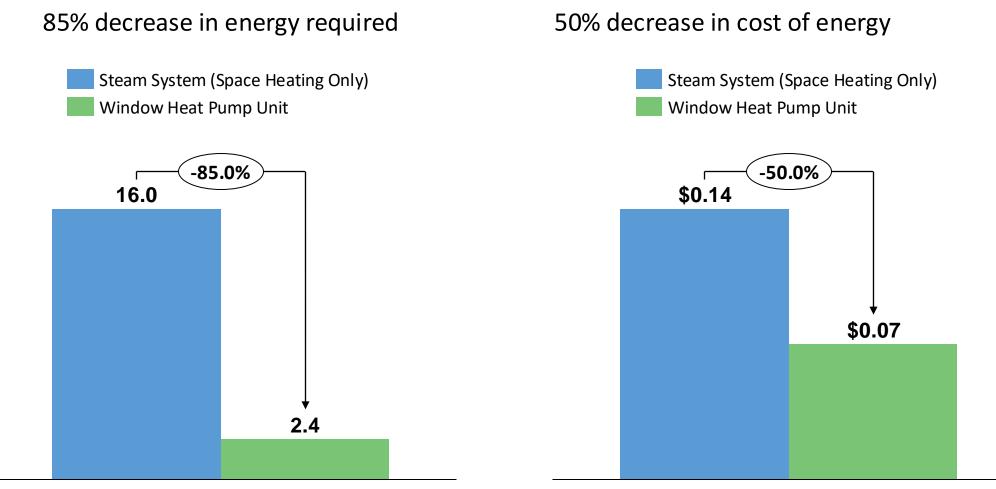
# **Preliminary Results:** Lower electric consumption than would have been expected



July 13<sup>th</sup> Install

November 28th Install

# **Preliminary Results:** 85% decrease in heating energy use and 50% decrease in heating energy cost



\$ per apartment per heating degree day

# **Lessons Learned and Continuing Efforts**

#### Successes

- Produced and demonstrated viability of 120V cold climate room heat pumps within three years of RFP launch
- Exceeded expectations for both efficiency and price point
- Demonstrated a new model for public–private partnerships through customer-centric process of R&D
- Involved residents in the M&V and feedback process

#### Challenges

- Buy-in from key stakeholders necessary for further scaleup
- External partners need to understand these types of products and how they align with their programs
- Many questions regarding longevity and O&M can only be answered through more run time and larger sample sizes
- Other costs: electric upgrades and hazmat remediation may be required on case-by-case basis



New triple pane casement window with heat pump sleeve, from Intus Windows

# Moderated and Open Q&A Thank you!