Energy Conservation: MCPS -- No. 796222

Category Montgomery County Public Schools
Subcategory Countywide

Administering Agency
Planning Area

Public Schools
Countywide

Date Last Modified Required Adequate Public Facility Relocation Impact Status December 20, 2010 No None On-going

EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000)

Cost Element	Total	Thru FY09	Est. FY10	Total 6 Years	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	Beyond 6 Years
Planning, Design, and Supervision	3,090	845	295	1,950	325	325	325	325	325	325	0
Land	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	17,817	4,541	1,530	11,746	3,311	1,687	1,687	1,687	1,687	1,687	0
Other	615	300	45	270	45	45	45	45	45	45	0
Total	21,522	5,686	1,870	13,966	3,681	2,057	2,057	2,057	2,057	2,057	*
FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000)											
Federal Stimulus	1,624	0	0	1,624	1,624	0	0	0	0	0	0

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OPERATING BUDGET IMPACT (\$000)

Maintenance		-3,480	-348	-696	-1,044	-464	-464	-464
Energy		-3,738	-374	-748	-1,122	-498	-498	-498
Net Impact		-7,218	-722	-1,444	-2,166	-962	-962	-962

DESCRIPTION

The MCPS Energy Conservation Program has saved more than \$34 million since the project began in FY 1978. The project has been reviewed by the Interagency Committee on Energy and Utility Management. The program is designed to reduce energy consumption by improving building mechanical systems, retrofitting building lighting and control systems, and controlling HVAC equipment through computer management systems. Computer systems currently control the operation of most MCPS facilities.

New and modernized schools are built with the latest technological advances to achieve higher levels of energy savings. Energy conservation staff review new construction mechanical guidelines and designs. Staff also inspect and perform computer diagnostics of HVAC installations for operational efficiency and review certain aspects of indoor air quality.

An FY 2005 appropriation was approved to continue this project. The increase in expenditures, beyond the level of effort for this project for FY 2005 and beyond, is due to the need to modernize energy management systems facing obsolescence. Of the over 170 installed energy management systems, many were installed in the 1980s, are approaching the end of their life-cycle, and replacement parts are no longer available. The approved FY 2005 appropriation and the FY 2006 appropriation include \$250K to complete pilot projects and select replacement technologies, including network and web interfaces. The expenditures shown for FY 2007 will achieve an economy of scale by bidding a large package of projects together. Expenditures shown over the six-year period will be used to complete the countywide lighting modernization program at the remaining 31 facilities. Expenditures shown for FY 2008-2010 will be used for the ongoing life-cycle replacement costs of energy management and control systems at over 170 facillities, to support the extension of the program to the remaining facilities, to support a planned program of water conservation projects, and to aviod future backlog in this area. An FY 2006 appropriation was approved to continue this project. An FY 2007 appropriation was approved to continue this project at its current level of effort. An FY 2010 appropriation was approved to continue this project at its current level of effort.

An FY 2011 appropriation was approved to continue this project. Energy conservation capital improvements and construction projects are being installed in 20 to 30 schools each year. These projects require additional controls system integration outside the scope of the current budget. Of the 183 energy management system installations, 65 remain to be upgraded or replaced. Expenditures in the six-year period will address the controls system integration, the energy management system upgrades, and continue the countywide lighting modernization schedule.

OTHER DISCLOSURES

- * Expenditures will continue indefinitely

APPROPRIATION AND					
EXPENDITURE DATA					
Data First Appropriation					

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Date First Appropriation	FY79	(\$000)
First Cost Estimate Current Scope	FY96	8,061
Last FY's Cost Estimate		15,036
Appropriation Request	FY11	2,057
Appropriation Request Est.	FY12	2,057
Supplemental Appropriation Req	1,624	
Transfer		0
		7.550
Cumulative Appropriation		7,556
Expenditures / Encumbrances		4,991
Unencumbered Balance		2,565
Partial Closeout Thru	FY08	19,208
New Partial Closeout	FY09	0
Total Partial Closeout		19,208

COORDINATION

Montgomery College County Government Comprehensive Facilities Plan Interagency Committee - Energy and Utilities Management

MCPS Resource Conservation Plan County Code 8-14a

\$(000) FY11 FY12-16 Salries and Wages: 93 465 Fringe Benefits: 33 165 Workyears: 1.5 7.5

