

# Make Pitman Hall Zero Emission Building

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#### What's the Problem?



Why Pitman Hall?

#### **TMU's Residence Buildings**







	International Living &	Pitman Hall	Daphne Cockwell
	Learning Centre		Centre
Date of construction	1987	1991	2019
Floor area (m²)	11,765	20,745	32,280
Primary heating method	Electricity and natural gas	Natural gas	Steam
Annual emissions (tCO₂e)	296	663	659
Emissions intensity (tCO <sub>2</sub> e/m²)	0.0251	0.0320	0.0204
Energy usage intensity (ekWh/m²)	266	259	196

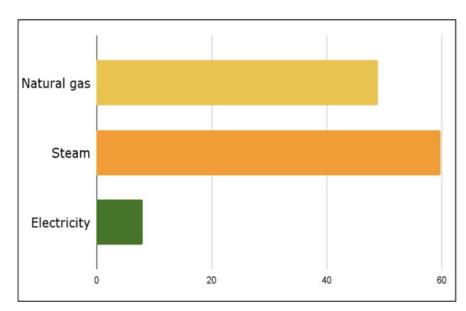




## Highest Carbon Footprint



Why such a High Carbon Footprint?



Emissions Intensity (kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/GJ)

 Dependency on Natural Gas as main source

Built in 1990's- so the infrastructure is outdated

Poor Thermal Envelope





#### How do we Solve this?



#### Principles of Net Zero Design

Energy Conservation	Energy Efficiency	Renewable Energy Source
Grey Water system implementation	Installing LED and motion sensor lights and faucets	Use unwanted heat from chiller plant
Setting Programmable thermostats	Upgrading Thermal Envelope	Photovoltaic panels





## Solution / Feasibility



- The technology is available however not widely adaptable in Canada. This technology demands geothermal expertise.
- We have designed our solution so that it is practical, cost-effective and doesn't affect day- day activities within the building.

#### Challenges:

- Intermittency of Renewable Energy: Requires solutions for storage and distribution.
- Infrastructure Upgrades: Transition may demand substantial infrastructure improvements.





## Costs Analysis



New Addition	Quantity	Cost per item	Cost (\$) estimate including installation fees
Greywater	567	500	328,800
Motion Sensor Lights	100	\$30	35,000
LED Lights	567	\$5	2,835
Programmable Thermostat	56	\$30	4,480
PV solar panels with storage	40	\$275	51,000
Bore holes/heat pumps	-	-	365,000
Three pane window	567	\$500	283,500





## Competitive Analysis



New Addition	How much we're saving annually?
Greywater	\$30,000
Motion Sensor Lights	\$56,435
Thermo Stats	\$40,000
PV solar panels with storage	\$3,442,661
Bore holes/heat pumps	\$130,000
Triple Pane Windows	\$20000
Total Savings	\$3683096







## Thank you!!







<u>Gray water cost</u>: Labour cost: 75-150/hour for plumbing a rough estimate would be 50,000-200,000. Equipment: simple systems cost between 500\$-1000\$

For residence of 567 rooms it would be approximately (567\*500) =283,500 and adding labor costs would be about (500 hours\*75)=37,500 Total=321,000

The time and cost of labor changes depending on number of workers, experience level, accessibility, etc Maintenance cost would be

- Regular Inspections: 1-2 hours per inspection, conducted monthly to quarterly. Let's estimate 2 hours per month.
- Cleaning Filters and Screens: 2-4 hours per cleaning, done quarterly to semi-annually. Let's estimate 4 hours per quarter.
- Pump Maintenance: 2-4 hours annually.
- Component Replacements: Variable, but let's allocate 8 hours annually for replacements and unexpected repairs.

So, the total estimated maintenance time per year would be:

(2 hours/month \* 12 months/year) + (4 hours/quarter \* 4 quarters/year) + 4 hours (pump maintenance) + 8 hours (component replacements) = 24 + 16 + 4 + 8 = 52 hours/year.

Plumbing companies usually charge 150/hour so (52\*150)=7800

Total =328,800

Additional costs maybe me involved due to specific wiring etc







Reduction in Water Usage: Installing a greywater system can reduce the demand for fresh water by recycling and reusing greywater for non-potable purposes. Let's assume a conservative estimate of 30% reduction in water usage due to the implementation of the greywater system.

Current Water Costs: To estimate the potential savings, we need to know the current water costs for the building. Let's assume an annual water cost of \$100,000 for the 567 rooms.

Estimated Annual Savings: With a 30% reduction in water usage, the estimated annual savings would be:

Annual Water Savings = 30% of \$100,000 = \$30,000







Motion sensor lights: 100\*30= 30,000

Installation labour: 50-150\$= (50\*100)=5000

Total=58,350

<u>Thermostats</u>: \$20 to \$100 each=11,340

Installation labour: 50-150\$=(50\*56)=2,800

Additional costs may be involved due to Integration with Existing HVAC Systems.

Annual savings for triple pane window: \$20000 (Estimated 20% of \$100000)







#### Motion sensor lights:

Reduction in Electricity Usage: We'll continue to assume a conservative estimate of a 50% reduction in electricity usage for lighting due to the implementation of motion sensor lights in the hallways.

Current Electricity Costs: As per the update, the annual electricity cost for lighting in the building is \$30,000.

Number of Lights: With 7 motion sensor lights on each of the 14 floors, there would be a total of 7 \* 14 = 98 motion sensor lights.

Estimated Annual Savings per Light: With a 50% reduction in electricity usage, the estimated annual savings per light would be:

Annual Electricity Savings per Light = 50% of (\$30,000 / 98 / 365) = \$1.533

Total Estimated Annual Savings: Multiply the estimated annual savings per light by the total number of lights installed to get the total estimated annual savings:

Total Estimated Annual Savings = \$1.533/light/day \* 98 lights \* 365 days/year

Total Estimated Annual Savings = \$56,435.74

Reduction in Energy Usage: Installing thermostats allows for more precise control over heating and cooling systems, which can lead to energy savings. Let's assume a conservative estimate of 10% reduction in energy usage for heating and cooling due to the implementation of thermostats.

Current Heating and Cooling Costs: To estimate the potential savings, we need to know the current heating and cooling costs for the building. Let's assume an annual heating and cooling cost of \$200,000 each, for a total of \$400,000 per year.

Number of Thermostats: You mentioned installing 7 thermostats on each floor. Therefore, for 14 floors, there would be a total of 7 \* 14 = 98 thermostats.

Estimated Annual Savings per Thermostat: With a 10% reduction in energy usage, the estimated annual savings per thermostat would be:

Annual Energy Savings per Thermostat = 10% of (\$400,000 / 98) = \$408.16

Total Estimated Annual Savings: Multiply the estimated annual savings per thermostat by the total number of thermostats installed to get the total estimated annual savings:

- Total Estimated Annual Savings = \$408.16/thermostat \* 98 thermostats
- Total Estimated Annual Savings = \$40,000.68







Storage costs: the cost of lithium-ion batteries for residential energy storage systems ranges from \$300 to \$500 per Let's assume each panel has a capacity of 300 watts, and you get an average of 5 hours of sunlight per day.

Total Daily Energy Production = Number of Panels \* Wattage per Panel \* Sunlight Hours per Day

- = 40 panels \* 300 watts \* 5 hours
- = 60,000 watt-hours (or 39 kilowatt-hours, kWh)

Total Storage Capacity (kWh) = Total Daily Energy Production (kWh)

Total Cost of Battery Storage = Cost per kWh \* Total Storage Capacity (kWh)

Let's assume a mid-range cost of \$400 per kWh:

Total Cost of Battery Storage = \$400/kWh \* 60kWh

= \$24,000







#### **Daily Energy Savings from Solar:**

Total daily energy generation = 39 kWh/room \* 567 rooms = 22,113 kWh

Daily energy savings at \$0.15/kWh = 22,113 kWh \* \$0.15/kWh = \$3,316.95

Daily Energy Usage Offset by Solar:

Total daily energy usage = 30 kWh/room \* 567 rooms = 17,010 kWh

Percentage of energy usage offset by solar = (22,113 kWh - 17,010 kWh) / 17,010 kWh = 0.300 (30%)

Daily energy savings from offset usage at \$0.15/kWh = 0.30 \* 17,010 kWh \* \$0.15/kWh = \$765.45

Nighttime Energy Usage Offset by Battery Storage:

Assuming battery storage offsets 50% of nighttime energy usage:

Nighttime energy usage = 50% \* 17,010 kWh = 8,505 kWh

Daily energy savings from battery storage at \$0.15/kWh = 0.50 \* 8,505 kWh \* \$0.15/kWh = \$637.88

**Total Daily Savings:** 

Total daily savings = Daily energy savings from solar + Daily energy savings from offset usage + Daily energy savings from battery storage

**=** \$3,316.95 + \$765.45 + \$637.88



Two-Year Savings:Total two-year savings ≈ \$4,720.28/day \* 365 days/year \* 2 years ≈



Energy usage intensity of Pitman Hall = (259 eKWh/m^2)

Number of cells = Energy Usage Intensity/ power per cell

Number of cells = (259\*1000)/200

Number of cells = 1295

One PV panel has 36 cells = 1295/36 = 35.97

Therefore we are approximating for 40 panels

Cost of 40 panels including installation = \$27000







#### **Chiller Plant/boreholes/heat pumps**

Engineering and Design: \$20,000 - \$50,000

Borehole Drilling: \$5,000 - \$15,000 per borehole (assuming multiple boreholes)

Heat Exchange System: \$50,000 - \$100,000 (including piping, pumps, and controls)

Heat Pumps: \$10,000 - \$30,000 per heat pump (depending on size and efficiency)

Integration with Existing Chiller Plant: \$30,000 - \$50,000 (including equipment upgrades, piping modifications, and control system integration)

Permits and Regulatory Compliance: \$5,000 - \$20,000 (depending on local regulations and permitting requirements)

Labor Costs: \$50,000 - \$100,000 (depending on the scope of work and labor rates)

Adding these rough estimates together, the total cost could range from approximately \$170,000 to \$365,000 or more.total annual maintenance cost for a borehole-based heating and cooling system might range from \$2,000 to \$5,000 per borehole, depending on factors such as system size and complexity







Cooling Savings: By using the boreholes for cooling, you can extract heat from the building and dissipate it into the ground. The savings would come from reduced electricity usage for traditional cooling systems like air conditioning. We'll assume a conservative estimate of 20% reduction in cooling energy usage.

Heating Savings: Similarly, using the boreholes for heating can provide savings on heating costs by extracting heat from the ground and transferring it to the building. We'll assume a conservative estimate of 20% reduction in heating energy usage.

Hot Water Savings: Boreholes can also be used for heating water, providing additional savings on hot water heating costs. We'll assume a conservative estimate of 20% reduction in hot water heating energy usage.

Cold Water Savings: While boreholes are typically used for extracting heat, they can also be used to pre-cool water, reducing the load on traditional cooling systems and potentially saving on energy costs. We'll assume a conservative estimate of 10% reduction in cold water usage.

Let's assume the following annual energy costs for cooling, heating, and hot water for the building:

• Cooling: \$200,000

Heating: \$300,000

Hot Water: \$100,000

Based on the assumptions above, the potential annual savings from implementing boreholes would be:

Cooling Savings: 20% of \$200,000 = \$40,000

Heating Savings: 20% of \$300,000 = \$60,000

Hot Water Savings: 20% of \$100,000 = \$20,000

Cold Water Savings: 10% of \$100,000 = \$10,000

Total Potential Annual Savings = Cooling Savings + Heating Savings + Hot Water Savings + Cold Water Savings

= \$40,000 + \$60,000 + \$20,000 + \$10,000 = \$130,000



