

12/10/2010: The city Oshkosh Sustainability Advisory board unanimously approved the following recommendation:

The Oshkosh Sustainability Advisory Board recommends that the City be required to consult with Focus on Energy for all new building construction, HVAC replacement and modernization, and renovation projects that exceed \$25,000 in projected costs. It is the opinion of the Board that it would be to the City's advantage to partner with Wisconsin's statewide energy efficiency and renewable energy program. The goal of such partnership would be for the City to utilize the knowledge, expertise, and financial incentives necessary to plan and complete energy efficiency and renewable energy projects that may not be feasible otherwise.

This recommendation has been forwarded to the city manager and city purchasing department for consideration and future inclusion in municipal purchasing policy.

Submitted by Justin Mitchell, Sustainability Advisory Board Chair.