All the benefits of an on-site energy manager at a fraction of the cost

Eligible facilities are invited to take part in an innovative cost-shared On-Site Energy Manager program, dedicated to improving process and energy efficiencies, implementing clean energy solutions, and creating a path to building electrification in industrial and commercial settings. As a program participant, you will either seek support for a new permanent hire, select an On-Site Energy Manager from a list of NYSERDA qualified consultants, or seek a hybrid of supplementing permanent staff with a Consultant. This manager will work exclusively with your organization to monitor your processes and energy usage, then make recommendations for improvement.

To demonstrate the value of this position, NYSERDA will pay up to 75% of the On-Site Energy Manager’s contracting fee capped at either $200,000 or $100,000 based on your site’s annual energy spend. It’s an effective way to understand the benefits of a dedicated energy manager with minimal risk. Sites that continue the role post NYSERDA support and achieve additional 1% energy savings impacts may be eligible for a bonus payment.

The On-Site Energy Manager will:

■ Identify, diagnose, and prescribe areas for improvement
■ Engage in strategic planning, feasibility studies, awareness communications, data collection, and reporting
■ Drive managerial and behavioral changes
■ Provide leadership and organizational continuity for implementing change
■ Account for a facility’s approach to energy efficiency and productivity improvements
■ Work effectively with cross-functional teams and senior management

Who can apply

New York State commercial and industrial facilities or campuses that do not have an existing, dedicated, full-time energy manager on-site and who pay the electric System Benefits Charge (SBC) can apply to this program.