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#### **CHAPTER 1: OVERVIEW AND RESULTS SUMMARY**

# **Purpose of the Report**

In 2013 the Energy Center of Wisconsin (Seventhwave's predecessor) completed the first energy efficiency potential study for North Shore Gas.<sup>1</sup> It covered years 4, 5 and 6 of the company's program planning and implementation cycle. This report updates that analysis, covering program years 7, 8 and 9.

# **Types of Energy Efficiency Potential Estimates**

There are three major types of energy efficiency potential estimates, as described by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.<sup>2</sup>

- *Technical potential*: the maximum amount of energy use that could be eliminated by applying the most efficient available technology, regardless of cost-effectiveness and regardless of customer willingness to adopt the technology.
- *Economic potential*: the portion of the technical potential savings that is economically cost-effective, with no regard paid to consumer willingness to adopt the technology.
- Achievable potential: the portion of the economic potential savings not currently
  adopted in actual markets but that would be adopted in a given year as a result of
  energy efficiency programs.

Of the three, the achievable potential estimate is the only one that considers the practical realities of actual utility markets and it is the primary focus of this report. We discuss the other two potential concepts briefly later in the report.

Our study determines on an item-by-item basis which option is less expensive: (1) saving gas by improving efficiency, or (2) purchasing gas from suppliers. We make these comparison with a large database of energy efficiency measures, one that spans all of North Shore Gas's customer sectors (residential, commercial and industrial) and includes all of its segments within those sectors (e.g., single-family vs multi-family in the residential sector, or office space vs. hospitals in the commercial sector).<sup>3</sup>

#### **Statutory Energy Efficiency Goals**

Illinois statutes require North Shores Gas to garner energy efficiency savings equivalent to 1.4 percent of its sales<sup>4</sup> in program year 7, and 1.5 percent of sales in both program year 8 and program year 9. This translates into 4.1 therms for program year 7 and 4.4 million therms per year for the latter program years. The same statute also limits a utility's energy efficiency program spending to no more than 2.0 percent of its revenues.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Energy Center of Wisconsin, North Shore Gas Company Energy Efficiency Potential Study: Program Years 4, 5 and 6, May 2013.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> EPA (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency). 2007. *Guide for Conducting Energy Efficiency Potential Studies*. Washington, DC: EPA.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For this analysis we exclude the results for low-income customers and public buildings because the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) is responsible for the energy efficiency programs serving those customers.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Does not include sales to customers for which the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO) provides energy efficiency programs—the low-income customers and public buildings.

# The Budget Cap Constrains North Shore Gas in its Attempt to Capture Energy Efficiency Opportunities

As we discuss in a moment, low natural gas prices create a challenging environment for utilities seeking to promote energy efficiency improvements among their customers. North Shore Gas faces an even more-limiting factor in this regard—the energy efficiency program budget cap.

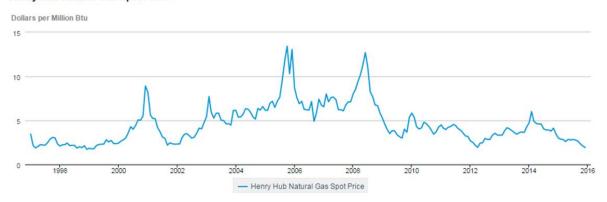
Illinois statutes limit North Shore Gas spending on efficiency programs over program years 7 through 9 to about \$3 million per year. Our analysis suggests that this budget cap prevents North Shore Gas from capturing all of the achievable energy efficiency potential that would be available absent the constraint. We show that impact at the end of this section.

# Low Gas Prices Continue to Limit Energy Efficiency Potential

Even if the budget cap were not controlling, North Shore Gas would not be able to reach the statutory energy savings goals. In the 2013 study we found that the low level of natural gas prices was a factor in that regard. Natural gas prices today remain below historical averages, at approximately half the levels seen when the Legislature established those goals in 2008. See Figure 1.

With today's low gas prices some energy efficiency measures that had been cost-effective in the past are no longer economical. A particular case in point is revealing. In our base case run high-efficiency furnaces used in single family homes have an effective cost (cost of energy saved) of \$0.48 per therm, on average. When natural gas prices were \$0.80 per therm, as they were circa 2006-2008, the reduction in gas costs associated with installing a high-efficiency furnace instead of a standard unit more than offset the incremental cost of moving to the high-efficiency model.

# Fig. 1 Natural Gas Prices at the Wellhead Henry Hub Natural Gas Spot Price



Source: U.S. Energy Information Administration

But the economics of high-efficiency furnaces look much different today. North Shore Gas can currently purchase gas at a cost of only \$0.44 per therm, which is less than the \$0.48 per therm cost of the upgrade to the high-efficiency model. As such, it is less expensive for North Shore Gas customers as a whole if the utility purchases the additional gas necessary to heat a home with the standard furnace than it is to incur the cost associated with the upgrade to the more efficient model.<sup>8</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> This does not include dollars allocated for the DCEO programs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> This is the levelized cost of the measure (an annuity payment) based on its expected life, divided by annual therms saved by the measure

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Benefit-cost ratio = \$0.80 / \$0.48 = 1.67

 $<sup>^{8}</sup>$  Benefit/cost ratio = \$0.44 / \$0.48 = 0.92

This may be a surprising result for those with knowledge of the long history of utility-sponsored energy efficiency programs. Heating load accounts for about 75 percent of North Shore Gas residential natural gas consumption, with a large portion of that gas consumed in furnaces. For many years high-efficiency furnaces formed the backbone of gas utility efficiency programs, especially in cold-weather climates. Yet, because of the improvement in the efficiency of the standard model, and due to today's relatively low gas prices, currently that standard model is the more economical choice.

This situation ripples through all sectors and segments, noticeably limiting the potential for technology-based energy efficiency savings. If natural gas prices were to rise substantially, the economics would change and energy efficiency potential would increase, but there is no compelling evidence that gas prices are headed higher anytime soon.<sup>9</sup>

# **Behavioral Programs Offer Energy Savings Opportunities**

As lower natural gas prices restrict the amount of energy savings potentially available from technology-based improvements, behavioral programs have the ability to pick up some of the energy-savings slack. Those programs focus on changing customers' actions regarding energy use (e.g., cutting shower times in half) rather than promoting technological improvements (e.g., installing a more efficient water heater).

Home energy reports fall into the behavioral category, although there can often be some ancillary associated effect on the technology-based program participation rate. <sup>10</sup> The reports provide customers with information about their current natural gas use relative to benchmarks, such as: (1) their historical consumption and (2) the use of similarly situated customers. They also include tips about actions customers can take to reduce gas use (e.g., washing clothes in cold water).

Many factors drive customer decisions about energy use, with economics being but one. While some customers save gas ultimately to save money, other customers may want to reduce consumption for environmental reasons (e.g., to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions). Still other customers may simply want to use less gas than their neighbors do.<sup>11</sup> The latter two motivations relate to the consumption of gas per se, and not necessarily to the cost of gas. With efficiency potential from technology-based programs waning, we expect that behavioral programs will play a more noticeable role in helping reduce natural gas use precisely because results from those reports are less sensitive to gas price levels. This is precisely what our analysis suggests.

Home energy reports account for 66 percent of the potential savings in North Shore Gas's residential sector. Evaluation reports for North Shore Gas's existing home energy report program confirm the magnitude of the savings potential. <sup>12</sup> Interestingly, it is difficult for evaluators to discern precisely what customers are doing to reduce gas use in response to the information provided in the reports. Nevertheless, billing analysis reveals quite clearly that the reports are an effective means of lowering customers' gas use.

#### Base Case Achievable Potential Estimates are Lower Than the Statutory Goals

While the home energy reports will likely continue to produce cost-effective energy savings for North Shore Gas, those savings cannot totally offset the dampening effect of low natural gas prices on the

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> See U.S. Energy Information Administration, *Short-Term Energy Outlook*, March 2016.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Behavioral programs often spur some customers to make technology-based efficiency improvements, either through utility program offerings or on the customer's own volition.

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11 P. Wesley Schultz, et al., "The Constructive, Destructive and Restructive Power of Social Norms," *Psychological Science*, 2007.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Navigant Consulting, *Home Energy Reports Program GPY3 Evaluation Report*, October 3, 2014.

savings expected from technology-based programs. Our base case analysis <sup>13</sup> shows that with no budget cap given current conditions North Shore Gas could capture the energy savings shown in Table 1. Those estimates lie noticeably below the statutory goals. <sup>14</sup>

Table 1 North Shore Gas Efficiency Targets and Base Case Achievable Potential (no budget cap)

Program Year	Time Period	Statutory Efficiency Target (% of sales) <sup>15</sup>	Statutory Efficiency Target (millions of therms) <sup>16</sup>	Base Case Achievable Efficiency Potential (millions of therms)
7	June 2017-May 2018	1.4%	4.1	1.8
8	June 2018-May 2019	1.5%	4.4	1.5
9	June 2019-May 2020	1.5%	4.4	1.5

When we account for the budget cap, the achievable potential figures decrease slightly. See Table 2.

Table 2
North Shore Gas
Efficiency Targets and Base Case Achievable Potential
(with budget cap)

Program Year	Time Period	Statutory Efficiency Target (% of sales)	Statutory Efficiency Target (millions of therms)	Base Case Achievable Efficiency Potential (millions of therms)
7	June 2017-May 2018	1.4%	4.1	1.6
8	June 2018-May 2019	1.5%	4.4	1.3
9	June 2019-May 2020	1.5%	4.4	1.3

#### **Incorporating Uncertainty Does Not Change the General Conclusions**

Determining energy efficiency potential requires that we estimate appropriate input values for hundreds of individual items, including the incremental cost of each measure, the energy savings potential of the measure, the portion of the customer base that will be in the market for that measure each year, the portion of the customer base that will install the measure without utility incentive payments, among other items. All of those input estimates for a particular measure (e.g., boiler tune ups) also can vary by sector (e.g., residential versus commercial) as well as by segment (e.g., single family versus large multi-family or office space vs. hospitals).

We cannot know with certainty the exact value of each of these inputs. Since the aggregate energy efficiency potential is the sum of all of the inputs, that overall estimate is therefore also uncertain. To reflect this fact, instead of relying solely on single point estimates for the inputs of each measure we conducted a Monte Carlo simulation analysis. Under that approach estimates for the input variables vary randomly from iteration to iteration within a predetermined range.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> These are the results based on the mid-point estimates for all input measures.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> The savings estimates are lower for years 8 and 9 than they are for year 7 because there is a one-time savings decay associated with home energy reports, as suggested in the Illinois Technical Reference Manual. See the body of the report for details. <sup>15</sup> 220 ILCS 5/8-104.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Information provided by North Shore Gas. Does not include revenues from customers served under DCEO's energy efficiency obligations.

For example, our analysis suggests that the average cost of sealing a home for air leaks in the North Shore Gas service area is \$400, but in any iteration in our model it could vary from \$240 to \$560, based on the uncertainty range we associate with that estimate. An individual simulation run contains a particular value within that range, as determined by a random number generator.<sup>17</sup>

We apply this approach to every key input assumptions for all measures in a simulation run. We then repeat that process 9,999 times to produce a range of aggregate achievable energy efficiency savings. Table 2 presents the 95 percent prediction interval<sup>18</sup> for the aggregate energy savings based on those 10,000 simulation runs. See Table 3. These results reflecting the limiting influence of the budget cap.

Table 3
North Shore Gas
Efficiency Targets and Upper and Lower Limits on Achievable Potential
(Monte Carlo Results—with budget cap)

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Program Year	Time Period	Statutory Efficiency Target (% of sales)	Statutory Efficiency Target (millions of therms)	Range of Achievable Efficiency Potential (millions of therms)
7	June 2017-May 2018	1.4%	4.1	1.3 to 2.3
8	June 2018-May 2019	1.5%	4.4	1.0 to 2.0
9	June 2019-May 2020	1.5%	4.4	1.0 to 2.0

The Monte Carlo results reveal that even if we focus exclusively on the upper bound estimate (which is not the expected forecast, but rather one biased to the high side), North Shore Gas's potential savings figures still lie below the statutory goals.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> We assumed a uniform probability distribution for the range of values.

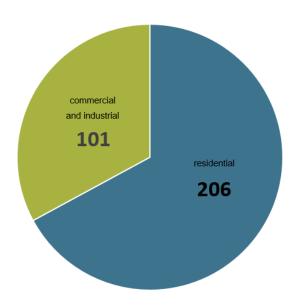
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> The chance of the actual achievable potential estimate being outside this range is 5 percent.

#### **CHAPTER 2: DESCRIPTION OF NORTH SHORE GAS**

#### **General Characteristics**

North Shore Gas serves 160,000 residential, commercial and industrial customers in the northern suburbs of Chicago. It sells over 300 million therms of natural gas per year, with 67 percent flowing to residential customers. See Figure 2.

Fig. 2 North Shore Gas Sales Mix
Sales to Residential Customers Account for
Two-Thirds of Total Sales
(millions of therms)



#### **Residential Customers**

Figure 3 describes natural gas use by residential customers that North Shore Gas serves. The left side of the figure shows gas consumption by customer segment and the right side consumption by end use.

The figure shows that the vast majority of North Shore Gas residential customers live in single family homes which reflects the suburban area that North Shore Gas serves. Space heating accounts for almost 70 percent of gas use in this sector. Adding water heating increases that figure to 91 percent. This suggests that the majority of energy savings opportunities are likely to lie in those two end use applications.

A detailed overview of end use consumption data for the residential sector can be found in Appendix A.

Forced Air Furnaces Single-Family (52.9%)Homes (90%) Space Heating Hydronic B.. (68%)(5.4%)Space-heating Indiv.-metered (2.7%)Steam Boilers Multifamily (4%) Non space-heating (8.1%)Gas Fireplaces (1.4%) Other (0.1%) Water Heaters (23.1%)Master-metered Multifamily (6%) Ranges and ovens (5.7%) Clothes Dryers (1.9%)

North Shore Gas Residential Therms

Swimming Pools (1.4%)

Figure 3: North Shore Gas Residential Customer Type and End Use Distribution

#### **Commercial and Industrial Customers**

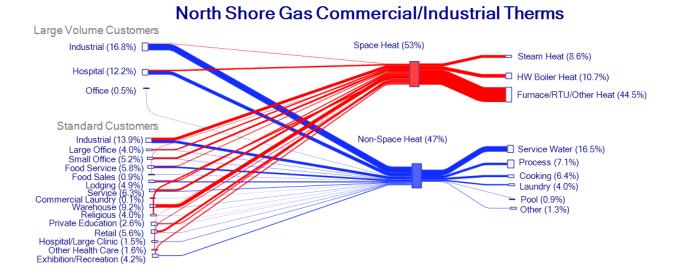
Figure 4 describes natural gas use by the commercial and industrial customers that North Shore Gas serves. As before, the left side of the figure shows gas consumption by customer segment and the right side consumption by end use.

Here we see a more diverse and heterogeneous environment vis-à-vis that observed in the residential sector. While there are certainly differences in total consumption between a large single family home and a small apartment, the latter is often a scaled-down version of the former in terms of natural gas use. That is not necessarily true in the commercial and industrial sector. A small office building is not simply a shrunken version of a large hospital.

With respect to end use consumption, again we see that space heating is the most significant item, but it is not as dominant as it is in the residential sector. Also, entirely new end uses emerge upon inspection of this sector, such as gas used in process loads. This suggests that there will be a wider range of commercial and industrial energy saving opportunities, and that programs designed to capture those savings will need to be more complex.

A detailed overview of end use consumption data for the commercial and industrial sectors can be found in Appendix B.

Figure 4: North Shore Gas Commercial and Industrial Customer Type and End Use Distribution



#### **CHAPTER 3: DATA COLLECTION AND SUPPORTING ANALYSIS**

# Primary Data Collection for the 2013 Potential Study

In the prior potential study we gathered a substantial amount of primary data. We used both surveys and on-site inspections to help us understand and characterize the North Shore Gas service area. We used that data as a guide in building our energy efficiency potential model in the 2016 study.

#### 2013 Residential Customers

We conducted telephone surveys for 696 of North Shore Gas residential customers using a sampling design stratified by customer gas usage, distributed across the sector segments. We followed up on the survey with 47 site visits to a subset of customers who completed the telephone survey. These visits allowed us to inspect the residence and determine more specifically the type and efficiency of the appliances, and also to inspect the building shell and in some cases perform a blower door test. We interviewed residents to gather additional information about behavioral aspects of energy use.

#### 2013 Commercial and Industrial Customers

We used a similar combination of surveys and site visits to gather primary data for this sector. It was important to split the customers into large and small in terms of volumes of sales because large customers often approach energy-related decision making in a different manner than do the smaller firms even in the same subsector. For example, large hospitals often have an energy manager while small clinics generally do not. We completed 356 telephone surveys in the commercial and industrial sector spread across the various customer segments. We also conducted 30 site visits to gather additional general information about this diverse sector.

# Primary Data Collection for the 2016 Potential Study

The data collection conducted in 2013 provided a useful foundation upon which to build this study. We needed updated information in this case, but we didn't need to start from scratch.

Given that we had a substantial amount of data for North Shore Gas customers, and given that the data was gathered only three years ago, rather than conduct another massive round of surveys and site visits, we were able to update our information through the use of a smaller survey sample. We determined that we did not need any new site visits.

We conducted 705 telephone surveys in the residential sector. In the commercial and industrial sector we conducted 374 surveys. The residential and commercial/industrial survey instruments are attached as Appendices D and E, respectively.

#### Illinois Technical Reference Manual

Much of the data we need to analyze energy efficiency measures—the incremental cost, useful life and expected annual savings—can be found in the *Illinois Technical Reference Manual*. Rather than just blindly accepting every estimate, however, we checked the data against our independent data. In nearly all cases the information in the manual seems to be on track, which reflects the considerable effort that has gone into assembling the data.

One exception that seems worthy of further review, however, is the cost of high-efficiency furnaces, a technology we discussed in the Overview section. The estimate of the incremental cost of the furnace contained in the manual seems to be on the high side based on our review of recent data. In this study we used the information in the manual.

If that cost were lower, high-efficiency furnaces then might be cost-effective. If we did use a lower incremental cost, one that led to a conclusion that high-efficiency furnaces are cost-effective, the contribution to achievable potential would be 86,000 therms per year.

#### **Other Studies**

We used other studies from Illinois and other cold-weather climates to guide our analysis. Selected examples include:

# • Evaluation Reports

- o Navigant Consulting, *Joint Utility RCx EPY6 GPY3 Report*, March 18, 2015.
- Navigant Consulting, Commercial & Industrial (C&I) Custom Rebate & Gas Optimization Services Programs GPY3 Evaluation Report, January 12, 2015.
- o Navigant Consulting, *Home Energy Reports Program GPY3 Evaluation Report*, October 3, 2014.
- Navigant Consulting, GPY3 Evaluation Report for TRM-Based Programs, January 2, 2015.

#### Other Potential Studies

- Max Neubauer, Cracking the TEAPOT: Technical, Economic, and Achievable Energy Efficiency Potential Studies, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy, August 2014.
- o Andrey Gribovich and Stefano Galiasso, *Illinois Public Sector and Low-Income Housing Energy Efficiency Potential Study*, Energy Resources Center, August 22, 2013.
- o GDS Associates, *Michigan Electric and Natural Gas Energy Efficiency Potential Study*, November 5, 2013.
- Optimal Energy, *Potential for Natural Gas Fuel Efficiency Savings in Vermont*, February 10, 2015.
- The Cadmus Group, Assessment of Energy Capacity and Energy Savings in Iowa, February 28, 2012.

#### Billing Analysis—All Sectors

North Shore Gas provided us with a billing extract for the residential, commercial and industrial sectors that contained the following data:

- Premises-level detailed usage data Monthly billing data allowed us to weather-adjust usage from the years 2013 through the first half of 2015 in order to estimate total annual gas consumption for each premises. In addition, the weather-adjustment techniques provide a means to isolate annual space heating load for each premises.
- A sector indicator (residential, commercial or industrial).

- *A premises-type indicator* Principally, we used this indicator to isolate and remove governmentally-owned premises that would fall under DCEO's purview.
- Service class code indicator This allowed us to stratify on meter configuration (mainly residential), space heat/no space heat and to identify large volume demand commercial and industrial customers.
- Renter/owner premises type This indicator was used with the premises-type indicator to identify and segregate governmentally-owned premises.

We used stratified random sampling based on rate class and usage to draw a sample of premises for which we later received personally identifiable information. We used those premises as the sampling frame for phone survey completion discussed earlier.

#### **CHAPTER 4: TECHNICAL AND ECONOMIC POTENTIAL**

#### **Technical Potential**

#### The Concept

Technical potential provides a theoretical outer bound estimate of energy efficiency potential. Rather than reflecting any practical aspects of real markets, a technical potential is akin to the results one obtains in a frictionless surface experiment in physics. Technical potential assumes that the most efficient technology always displaces less-efficient versions.

This assumes rapid turnover of even fairly new equipment. As a case in point, if a commercial customer installed an efficient water heater last year and a university lab develops a slightly more efficient water heater design, the technical potential estimate assumes that the customer will immediately scrap the former and install the later, even if the new equipment costs \$7,000, for example.

#### Estimate

We estimate that the technical potential savings for North Shore Gas is about 50 percent, which would suggest that within a year North Shore Gas would be selling only a little more than half of the gas it sells today.

#### **Drawbacks**

Technical potential estimates are of limited value, at best, in a practical setting because they flow from assumptions that are far removed from reality. It is interesting to note that over half of the energy efficiency potential studies that American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy (ACEEE) reviewed in a recent meta-analysis did not provide a technical potential estimate.<sup>19</sup>

#### **Economic Potential**

#### The Concept

This energy efficiency potential estimate improves upon the technical potential estimate by incorporating economic considerations. It eliminates from consideration any measures that are not cost-effective, i.e., that effectively cost more to meet energy services needs than to do so by purchasing gas supplies.

#### Estimate

We estimate that the economic potential savings for North Shore Gas is about 28 percent. This suggests that North Shore Gas would immediately see its gas sales cut by more than one quarter.

#### Drawbacks

Moving from technical potential to economic potential steps us a bit closer to reality, but the gap between that estimate and the actual situation is still quite wide. The notion that perfect markets guide consumers to make all economic investments in terms of energy use (or other resources) is an abstract theoretical concept. Analysis of real, imperfect markets tells a different tale. Numerous studies have identified the frictions in real markets—market barriers—that prevent the economy from delivering immediately all of the cost-effective energy resources. 1

## The Cost of Energy Saved

To its credit, the economic potential estimate brings into focus the notion of cost-effectiveness, which is important. To develop this estimate we need to determine whether the benefits of reduced energy use

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Max Neubauer, *Cracking the TEAPOT: Technical, Economic and Achievable Energy Efficiency Potential Studies*, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy, August 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Hal Varian, *Intermediate Microeconomics*, W.W. Norton & Co., 2014.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> See, for example, David Austin, *Addressing Market Barriers to Energy Efficiency in Buildings*, U.S. Congressional Budget Office. 2012.

exceed the cost of making the energy efficiency investment. To do that we need the following items for each measure:

- 1. The incremental cost of the measure
- 2. The estimated life of the measure
- 3. The annual energy savings
- 4. The discount rate (to convert future cash flows to their associated present values)
- 5. The avoided cost of gas

We will step through the process with a specific measure—steam pipe insulation for a particular single family home. The data for that measure are:

1.	The incremental cost of the measure	<b>\$75</b>
2.	The estimated life of the measure	15 years
3.	The annual energy savings	100 therms
4.	The discount rate <sup>22</sup>	5.3%
5.	The avoided cost of gas <sup>23</sup>	\$0.44 per therm

Using this data we convert the upfront cost to a levelized annuity payment. We need to do that because the gas cost savings will occur over the life of the measure, so we need to express the cost over the same period. This is similar to the process used to convert the upfront cost of a home purchase to a monthly mortgage payment. In this case, we calculate an annual payment.

The payment can be determined using the PMT function in Excel. In this case the annualized equivalent of an upfront cost of \$75 spread over 15 years at a 5.3 percent discount rate is \$7.37 per year.

We then use that figure to determine the cost of energy saved, as follows:

$$cost of energy saved = \frac{annual cost}{annual therm savings}$$

In this situation:

cost of energy saved = 
$$\frac{\$7.37}{100 \text{ therms}} = \$0.07 \text{ per therm}$$

This tells us that instead of purchasing gas at \$0.44 per therm it would be much less expensive for North Shore Gas if it could wrap steam pipes, which would cost it the equivalent of less than ten cents per therm. We conduct this sort of analysis for all measures in the database. If the cost of energy saved for a measure is less than \$0.44 it is included in the economic potential; if it exceeds \$0.44 per therm it is excluded.

#### **Total Resource Cost Test**

This analysis reveals that we are using the Total Resource Cost test, which determines cost-effectiveness without regard to which party bears which portion of the cost and how the benefit stream might be

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> This is the same discount rate we used in the 2013 study. In discussions with Franklin Energy (North Shore Gas's program implementer) we verified that 5.3% is close to the utility's after-tax weighted cost of capital, which is a frequently-used reference point for a discount rate in potential studies.

This is the avoided cost used by other Illinois gas utilities in recent analysis. It is close to current gas price levels.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Max Neubauer, *Cracking the TEAPOT: Technical, Economic, and Achievable Energy Efficiency Potential Studies*, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy, August 2014.

#### **CHAPTER 5: ACHIEVABLE POTENTIAL**

#### The Concept

When reviewing the definitions of energy efficiency potential note that in only the case of achievable potential does the final estimate have a time dimension (savings per year), which is a critical distinction. While economic potential uses the life of the measure to estimate the savings, once we know the result under that definition of achievability we assume that cost-effective resources are implemented immediately. The technical potential estimate, too, assumes immediate action on the part of all customers for all measures. As discussed, this is an extremely unrealistic assumption. Achievable potential is about the savings the utility can capture in a given year, which recognizes market realities.

### **Types of Energy Efficiency Opportunities**

The analysis of achievable energy efficiency potential requires close attention to the specific nature of energy saving opportunities. We describe four types.

#### Replace on Burnout

With no efficiency programs in place, markets might drive us close to the economic potential estimate over the long run, but in real markets the pace is likely to be quite slow, perhaps taking several decades to achieve that result. Many natural gas appliances have long lives, and customers do not tend to replace equipment until it wears out. In such cases, North Shore Gas then has to wait for equipment failure before it has the opportunity to make an efficiency improvement. We refer to this as "replace on burnout."

To put this in context, a hypothetical example may be illustrative. Since water heaters have useful lives of approximately 20 years, only 5 percent  $(1/20^{th})$  of the commercial water heating equipment might be available for an efficiency upgrade each year. But as we shall see, even that estimate is a bit high in terms of load that is available for efficiency improvements.

We know that some customers already have the most efficient appliance installed and when that equipment fails they will replace it with the most efficient model whether or not North Shore Gas has an efficiency program in place. There are no efficiency gains there. Another group of customers did not install the most efficient unit in the past, but they plan on doing so going forward with or without a utility incentive payment. There is an efficiency gain in that case, but it occurs naturally and not because of the utility program.

Assume that the consumption of natural gas for the water heating end use of these two groups of customers represents one-quarter of the total commercial water heating load. That means that the remaining commercial water heating end use load  $EU_{water}$  that in a given year could be upgraded to the more efficient water heater is given by:

$$EU_{water} = TURN \times (1 - NAT)$$

Here TURN is the annual appliance turnover (5 percent in this case) and NAT is the naturally occurring efficiency upgrades (25 percent in this case), so the portion of the commercial water heating end use load that could be upgraded is:

$$EU_{water} = 0.05 \times (1 - 0.25) = 0.038$$
 or 3.8%

But to derive achievable potential there are more adjustments. The customers that use this 3.8 percent of the commercial water heating load are not the energy efficiency pioneers. These are the slow adopters.

Even if North Shore Gas will pay for 50 percent of the incremental cost of the equipment, our research shows that only about 30 percent of these customers will participate in the program.<sup>25</sup> This reduces the total end use in play for this measure to 1.1 percent of the load.<sup>26</sup>

But that isn't the energy efficiency savings, it's simply the load to which the efficiency would apply in this year. If that energy savings rate for the water heater efficiency upgrade is 20 percent, the efficiency program will ultimately deliver an energy savings of about 0.2 percent of the commercial water heating load in a given year.<sup>27</sup>

1.1% of load making efficiency improvement x 20% savings rate = 0.2% total energy savings

The economic potential estimate would be much higher because it would not recognize the slow turnover rate (turnover would be assumed to be 100 percent). It would assume that all customers that were not planning on installing the high-efficiency model would do so. So the water heating load in play would not be 3.8 percent as we would reasonably expect, but rather:

$$EU_{water} = 1 \times (1 - 0.25) = 0.75 \text{ or } 75.0\%$$

Instead of only 30 percent of the customers making the efficiency upgrade, all customers would do so—and North Shore Gas wouldn't even have to run a program to capture that savings. In fact, there would be no benefit at all from such a program as there would being no cost-effective resources that the market didn't capture.

Over time (about 20 years), the turnover issue will resolve itself as all water heaters will eventually burnout. But even then, since not all customers will install the most cost-effective water heater, the real market will never capture the full energy efficiency potential. Utility energy efficiency programs can help by capturing some, but not all, of that efficiency opportunity. Therefore, absent some unusual energy efficiency program design (e.g., the utility pays 100 percent or more of the incremental cost of the measure) achievable potential never fully captures economic potential, even over the long run.

#### Retrofit

Some efficiency improvements do not depend on equipment failure and therefore for those measures there is no natural impetus to take action in this regard. A water heater that fails must be replaced at that point; air leaks in a home never have to be sealed. The customer could seal them to reduce gas use, but there is no urgency.

We refer to all actions of this kind as "retrofit." The achievable potential estimate must reflect this fact as well—while it might be economical to take retrofit actions, that doesn't mean that such activities will naturally occur at a high rate, if at all. The economic potential calculation assumes that all cost-effective air sealing will occur within one program year. Under more realistic assumptions, we estimate that through its efficiency programs North Shore Gas could capture only 1 to 3 percent of such retrofit opportunities each year.<sup>28</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Our program participation rates are derived from reviews of other studies, many which include quantitative analysis based on payback rates and technology diffusion studies. We consider those analyses, as well as real options analysis (see Kihm and Cowan, *Uncertainty, Real Options, and Industrial Efficiency Analysis*, 2009 Summer Study on Energy Efficiency in Industry, American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy) in developing our estimates using our judgment.

 $<sup>^{26}</sup>$  0.038 x 0.300 = 0.011

 $<sup>^{27}</sup>$  0.011 x 0.200 = 0.002

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> The availability of retrofit opportunities varies by customer sector and segment.

#### **New Construction**

Building to beyond efficiency code can offer cost-effective savings to customers. Note that there is no turnover issue here—a building is in the new category only once, upon its initial construction. Therefore the entire load associated with all new buildings could be available for efficiency improvements, at least in theory. But many buildings are constructed just to meet the code and therefore the achievable potential is lower than the economic potential estimates would suggest.

#### Direct Install

The remaining category involves direct installation of energy efficiency measures. In the North Shore Gas multifamily program, for example, program staff will rely upon the building manager to install low-flow shower heads in all of the residential units in the building. The ability of North Shore Gas to achieve these savings then depends on the willingness of the building manager to participate in the program. Some do; others do not. The economic potential estimate assumes that all building managers will participate in the program in the year in question.

# Aggregate Achievable Potential Estimates by Sector

Considering all of these market realities, we estimate that the achievable energy efficiency potential for North Shore Gas in program year 7 is 1.1 million therms in the residential sector (0.5 percent of residential sales) and 0.7 million therms in the commercial and industrial sector (0.7 percent of commercial and industrial sales), producing the aggregate 1.8 million therm figure (0.6 percent of total sales) shown in the Overview section. These estimates do not reflect the effect of the budget cap. Considering that constraint, overall therm savings decline to 1.6 million therms in program year 7, again as shown at the outset of this report.

# **CHAPTER 6: TOP EFFICIENCY MEASURES BY SECTOR**

Tables 4 and 5 lists the individual measures that offer the greatest energy efficiency potential by sector, respectively. The home energy reports are listed by decile, which is explained in the next section.

**Table 4 Top Residential Measures** 

Tuble 1 1 op Residential Measures					
				C	ost of
	therms	% of	cumulative	е	nergy
Description of Measure	savings	total	% of total	5	saved
Home energy reports - decile 1	407,229	38%	38%	\$	0.12
Home energy reports - decile 2	206,743	19%	57%	\$	0.23
Air sealing	125,331	12%	68%	\$	0.35
Smart thermostat - ROB contractor install	106,520	10%	78%	\$	0.43
Home energy reports - decile 3	50,531	5%	83%	\$	0.32
Home energy reports - decile 4	38,656	4%	86%	\$	0.41
Programmable thermostat	37,567	3%	90%	\$	0.16
Low flow showerhead, direct install	18,754	2%	91%	\$	0.12
Low flow showerhead, self-installed	18,228	2%	93%	\$	0.15
Steam system pipe insulation	14,957	1%	94%	\$	0.07
Water heater pipe insulation	13,317	1%	96%	\$	0.28
Duct sealing /insulation	9,122	1%	96%	\$	0.36
Swimming pools –covers	7,485	1%	97%	\$	0.43
Condensing Storage water heater	6,889	1%	98%	\$	0.37
Clothes Washer Recycling	4,944	0%	98%	\$	0.19

**Table 5 Top Commercial and Industrial Measures** 

Description of Measure	therms savings	% of total	cumulative % of total	cost of energy saved
New Construction Programs	98,394	14%	14%	\$ 0.35
Demand Control Ventilation	57,257	8%	23%	\$ 0.10
Variable Flow Kitchen Exhaust	48,707	7%	30%	\$ 0.02
HE Rooftop Units	43,736	6%	36%	\$ 0.27
Retrocommisioning	27,829	4%	40%	\$ 0.44
Radiant Tube Heaters	21,514	3%	43%	\$ 0.43
HE Furnaces (<=300kBTU)	20,514	3%	46%	\$ 0.12
Chemical Sanitizing (Low Temp) Dishwashin	19,818	3%	49%	\$ 0.09
Heat Recovery - Refrigeration	19,081	3%	52%	\$ 0.44
HE Dishwashers	17,065	2%	55%	\$ 0.08
HE Boilers (Condensing)	15,999	2%	57%	\$ 0.12
Condensing Unit Heater	14,921	2%	59%	\$ 0.29
HE Storage Tank Water Heaters	14,770	2%	61%	\$ 0.22
VAV system controls	13,793	2%	63%	\$ 0.19
Steam Trap Maintenance Program	12,950	2%	65%	\$ 0.10

Note that home energy reports account for over half the savings in the residential sector. Note also that the top 15 measures in the residential sector account for almost all of the savings.

In contrast, the top 15 measures in the commercial sector account for less than two-thirds of the savings. This reflects the fact that the commercial and industrial sector is more heterogeneous than the residential sector. That reflects the fact that in the more-diverse commercial and industrial sector energy efficiency opportunities are spread across a wider number of measures. New construction offers noticeable opportunities in this sector.

A detailed list of all measures, both cost-effective and not cost-effective, for all sectors can be found in Appendix C.

#### **CHAPTER 7: HOME ENERGY REPORTS**

We estimate the cost-effectiveness and energy efficiency potential of the home energy reports in two ways. First we use the method applied in the 2013 study (no persistence of savings) and then use the method now embodied in the *Illinois Technical Reference Manual* (decaying persistence).

#### **No Savings Persistence**

Estimating the energy savings from Home Energy Reports requires a structural approach. The evidence suggests that consumers who use more gas, when provided with home energy reports, save not only more gas than lower-use customers in an absolute sense, but also in percentage terms. We estimate that the customers that lie in the 1<sup>st</sup> decile (the 10 percent of customers who use the most gas) will save 35 therms per year when provided with home energy reports. This amounts to 1.03 percent of their total usage. In contrast the customers in the 5<sup>th</sup> decile will save 8 therms, which amounts to 0.63 percent of their total usage. The cost of sending a home energy report does not depend on customer usage—the annual cost of sending reports to any North Shore Gas customer is \$6.87 per year.

If report-related savings do not persist from year to year, calculating the cost of energy saved is straightforward. There is an annual cost for the reports and an annual amount of energy saved. If the reports stop, the customer's usage reverts to the historic behaviors. (This assumption seems unreasonable, which led to the update to the *Illinois Technical Reference Manual*.)

Under the no-persistence assumption the cost energy saved for the 1<sup>st</sup> decile is:

**1st decile** cost of energy saved = 
$$\frac{$6.87}{35 \text{ therms}}$$
 = \$0.20 per therm

This cost is half the cost of purchasing gas supplies. The cost of energy saved for the  $5^{th}$  decile is:

**5th decile** cost of energy saved = 
$$\frac{$6.87}{8 \text{ therms}}$$
 = \$0.90 per therm

This is much more expensive than the cost of purchasing gas supplies. It would be cost-effective for North Shore Gas to send home energy reports to the  $1^{st}$  decile, but not to the  $5^{th}$  decile. Our complete analysis reveals that it is cost-effective for North Shore Gas to send home energy reports to the  $1^{st}$  and  $2^{nd}$  deciles only.

#### With Savings Persistence

The preceding discussion sets the stage for a more-complex one. The Illinois Stakeholder Advisory Group has recently made some changes in the recommended analysis of home energy report as set forth in the *Illinois Technical Reference Manual*, which we adopted in this analysis. The major change is that analysis of home energy reports requires the assumption that energy savings persist for several years after the reports stop, albeit at a decaying rate.

This converts the one-year analysis discussed above to a five-year horizon. The first difference we notice in moving to the situation with persistent savings is that those savings increase. Instead of 35 therms, we expect the customers in the first decile to effectively save 58 therms in total.<sup>29</sup> The cost of energy saved for that decile is now even lower.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> This is the discounted therm balance over the 5-year period.

**1st decile** cost of energy saved = 
$$\frac{$6.87}{58 \text{ therms}}$$
 = \$0.12 per therm

This cost is now about a quarter of the cost of purchasing gas supplies. The cost of energy saved for the 5<sup>th</sup> decile is improved, but still not at the level of cost-effectiveness (the \$0.44 per therm target):

**5th decile** cost of energy saved = 
$$\frac{$6.87}{13 \text{ therms}}$$
 = \$0.54 per therm

Our full analysis shows that under the persistent savings assumption, for program year 7 sending gas to the first four deciles is now cost-effective, instead of only to the first two deciles as we found in the nopersistence analysis.

#### **Reports in Subsequent Years**

The decaying level of energy savings that manifest in the persistent-savings case adds another level of complexity. Since the impact of the reports received in the first year carry over to some extent to the second year, if North Shore Gas sends out a report in the second year it cannot expect to produce the same level of savings as that generated by the reports in the first year. Rather, the second year reports just make up for the savings that would have been lost as the effect of the first year reports decayed over time. The reduced aggregate savings from the home energy reports from program year 7 to program years 8 and 9 shown in the Overview section is due to this effect.

This requires a separate analysis of the cost of energy saved for the years after the first year (program year 7). Our analysis shows that while it is cost-effective to send reports to the first four deciles in the first year, it is cost-effective to send them only to the first two deciles in the second and third years. North Shore Gas should then wait until the fourth year, at which point savings from the reports sent in the first would have decayed almost to zero, before again sending the reports to the third and fourth deciles.

This leads to the following conclusions based on the analysis of cost of energy saved under persistent savings.

•	1 <sup>st</sup> decile	send reports in program year 7 and every year thereafter
	2 <sup>nd</sup> decile	send reports in program year 7 and every year thereafter
	3 <sup>rd</sup> decile	send reports in program year 7 and every three years thereafter
	4 <sup>th</sup> decile	send reports in program year 7 and every three years thereafter
•	5 <sup>th</sup> decile	do not send reports in any year
	6 <sup>th</sup> decile	do not send reports in any year
	7 <sup>th</sup> decile	do not send reports in any year
	8 <sup>th</sup> decile	do not send reports in any year
•	9 <sup>th</sup> decile	do not send reports in any year
•	10 <sup>th</sup> decile	do not send reports in any year

Rather than using a three-year cycle as suggested above, we assumed that every year North Shore Gas sends reports to a separate one-third of the customers in deciles three and four. Over a three year period every customer in these deciles would receive one year of reports.<sup>30</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> For evaluation purposes North Shore Gas needs to hold out a small group of customers from the entire report cycle to maintain a control group for comparison to the customers who receive the reports.

#### **CHAPTER 8: MONTE CARLO SIMULATIONS**

## **Incorporating Uncertainty**

As noted in the Overview section of this report, the estimated values of the inputs are uncertain. To address this issue we employed a Monte Carlo simulation technique.<sup>31</sup> We can use our steam pipe wrap example to demonstrate the concept.

Instead of simply using the mid-point estimates for the cost of the measure and the annual gas savings, we use a number randomly selected from with the following ranges, based on our analysis of the potential uncertainty.

Upfront cost (base \$75)
Annual energy savings (base 100 therms)
45 to \$105
60 to 140 therms

The life of the measure, the discount rate and the avoided cost of gas are held constant.

In the base case scenario we found that the cost of energy saved for steam pipe wrap to be \$0.09 per therm. Note below how that estimate varies from iteration to iteration under the Monte Carlo approach.

#### Iteration 1

•	Upfront cost	<b>\$92</b>
•	Annual energy savings	57 therms
•	Cost of energy saved	\$0.16 per therm

#### Iteration 2

•	Upfront cost	<b>\$102</b>
•	Annual energy savings	76 therms
•	Cost of energy saved	\$0.13 per therm

#### Iteration 3

•	Upfront cost	<b>\$59</b>
•	Annual energy savings	82 therms
•	Cost of energy saved	\$0.07 per therm

In this simple example we see that the conclusion that steam pipe wrap is cost-effective appears to be a robust one. In none of these cases does the cost of energy saved approach the \$0.44 per therm avoided cost.

In other cases, however, the random variation in the input parameters will cause the measure to vary around that avoided cost. This means that in some scenarios those measures will be included in the achievable energy efficiency estimates and in others they will not.

#### **Uncertainty Factors in the Simulation**

The preceding discussion provides a simplified example of the simulation approach we used. The actual simulation model applied uncertainty factors to the following input variables for each efficiency measure.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> For a detailed explanation of the Monte Carlo method in Stata (the program we used), see David M. Drukker, "Monte Carlo simulations using Stata," http://blog.stata.com/2015/10/06/monte-carlo-simulations-using-stata/

- The energy savings rate
- The energy efficiency achievability percentage <sup>32</sup>
- The incremental cost
- The net-to-gross ratio<sup>33</sup>

We applied ranges of varying degrees ranging from low uncertainty (+/- 20%) to high uncertainty (+/- 60%) depending on the nature of the variable and the confidence we have in the data we gathered or estimated for each variable.

#### The 95 Percent Prediction Interval for Achievable Energy Efficiency Potential

Figure 5 shows the Monte Carlo estimates of the achievable energy efficiency. We are 95 percent confident that the true figure lies between the blue upper and lower bounds shown on the chart. The brown line represents the median. The light gray line shows the base case result with no uncertainty. The two red horizontal lines represent the program year 7 and program year 8 & 9 statutory targets.

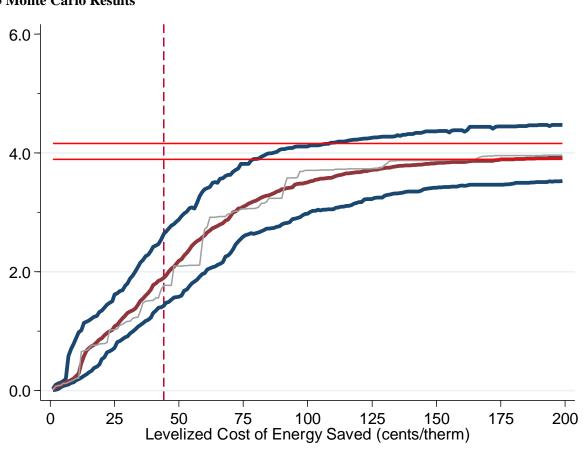


Fig. 5 Monte Carlo Results

The dashed vertical line at 44 cents per therm provides the cost-effectiveness cut-off point. The accumulated energy efficiency total to the left of the line is comprised entirely of measures that are cost-

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> This is the percentage of the load that would not have made the efficiency improvement that is spurred by the program to do so.

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33 This measure determines the extent to which free riders (those who would have made the efficiency improvement without the program) participate in the program. The lower the number, the more incentive payments North Shore Gas makes to free riders.

effective vis-à-vis current gas supply costs. The additional energy savings potential to the right of that line flows from energy efficiency measures that are not currently cost-effective at that price.

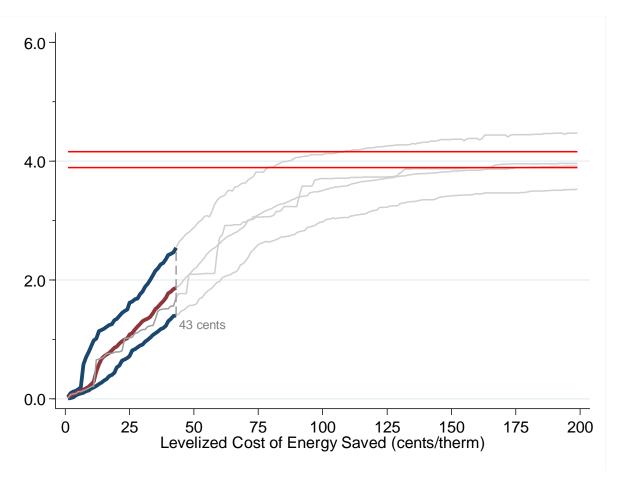
If gas prices were to rise, the vertical line would move to the right. Then the accumulated energy efficiency potential to the left of that line, which would then be a higher amount relative to that which is achievable under the lower price, would again be comprised solely of cost-effective measures. Any additional energy efficiency potential to the right of the line would not be cost-effective. We see that as gas prices rise, it becomes more expensive to purchase supplies and more energy efficiency measures become cost-effective.

#### **CHAPTER 9: THE BUDGET CAP**

Illinois statutes limit energy efficiency spending by North Shore Gas to 2.0 percent of its revenues. As discussed in the Overview section, this amounts to about \$3 million per year for the utility. Under current conditions North Shore Gas cannot capture the achievable energy efficiency potential discussed earlier without exceeding this budget.

We conducted an analysis to see how much energy efficiency potential North Shore Gas could capture before reaching its budget limit. Figure 6 shows that it can capture all efficiency measures that have a cost of \$0.43 per therm or less, just slightly below the \$0.44 avoided cost threshold.

Figure 6 Gas Price Threshold at Which North Shore Gas Depletes Its Program Budget



# **CHAPTER 10: KEY CONCLUSIONS**

The major takeaways from this potential study are:

- Achievable energy efficiency opportunities for North Shore Gas lie in the range of 1.3 to 2.3 million therms for program year 7, and 1.0 and 2.0 million therms per year for program year 8 and for program year 9. These estimates reflect the budget cap constraint.
- Higher gas prices would not increase achievable energy efficiency potential because North Shore Gas would have no more budget available to capture the additional savings opportunities.
- Home energy reports account for more than half the energy efficiency opportunities in the residential sector.
- New construction offers the greatest energy saving opportunities in the commercial and industrial sector.

# **APPENDIX A: RESIDENTIAL END USE MATRIX**

				mean						
		% rental		housing units					space heating	g -steam
Utility	Segment	premises	therms	per premise	Total therms	Total premises	Space heat therms	Non space-heat therms	therms	premises
NSG	single family - non low-income (NON)	10%	7%	1.0	169,363,730	118,460	114,891,576	54,472,154	11,125,563	7,158
NSG	single family - low-income (LI)	32%	33%	1.0	15,814,190	10,930	10,418,948	5,395,242	1,242,971	813
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (NON)	66%	62%	1.0	7,081,940	11,750	4,378,362	2,703,578	287,519	474
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (LI)	81%	81%	1.0	1,997,470	3,310	1,234,922	762,548	94,715	134
NSG	Master metered small (NON)			3.5	2,721,950	1,160	2,097,650	624,300	922,516	334
NSG	Master metered small (LI)			3.3	956,360	410	766,165	190,195	307,140	102
NSG	Master metered medium (NON)			15.2	2,662,700	290	2,109,912	552,788	1,527,150	209
NSG	Master metered medium (LI)			18.1	935,540	100	684,471	251,069	506,471	74
NSG	Master metered large (NON)			27.0	3,237,250	120	2,267,328	969,922	436,902	48
NSG	Master metered large (LI)			31.8	1,137,410	40	936,454	200,956	205,913	18
NSG	Master metered non-heat (NON)			1.0	191,630	720				
NSG	Master metered non-heat (LI)			1.0	54,050	200				
NSG	TOTAL				206,154,220	147,490	139,785,787	66,122,753	16,656,860	9,364

						space h	eating -						
		space heating	; -hydronic	space heating	g - furnace	firep	olace	space heat	ing - other	water he	eating	cook	ing
Utility	Segment	therms	premises	therms	premises	therms	premises	therms	premises	therms	premises	therms	premises
NSG	single family - non low-income (NON)	6,769,329	8,242	94,402,960	103,060	2,565,855	45,015	0	0	38,774,327	116,091	9,799,030	104,245
NSG	single family - low-income (LI)	756,187	936	8,237,790	8,635	77,736	984	103,149	219	3,951,851	10,056	1,045,990	9,509
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (NON)	151,474	348	3,857,584	10,928	82,512	1,528	0	0	2,104,425	10,575	447,440	7,990
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (LI)	29,755	98	1,086,534	3,078	23,220	430	0	0	592,821	2,979	126,056	2,251
NSG	Master metered small (NON)	487,565	246	664,513	545	7,295	46	15,773	12	495,662	1,044	90,914	1,009
NSG	Master metered small (LI)	162,057	75	277,016	209	9,833	57	11,479	8	149,753	373	27,500	357
NSG	Master metered medium (NON)	422,681	52	127,027	17	8,262	15	22,417	3	451,524	270	64,288	168
NSG	Master metered medium (LI)	144,660	19	28,007	4	467	1	5,092	1	207,183	92	24,708	48
NSG	Master metered large (NON)	1,544,002	50	263,217	13	8,569	4	0	2	739,491	116	145,814	77
NSG	Master metered large (LI)	737,395	19	0	2	0	0	0	0	160,562	39	27,401	22
NSG	Master metered non-heat (NON)	1											
NSG	Master metered non-heat (LI)	1											
NSG	TOTAL	11,205,105	10,085	108,944,648	126,491	2,783,749	48,080	157,910	245	47,627,599	141,634	11,799,141	125,676

		clothes dryer		swimming pool		space heating -steam		space heating - hydronic		space heating - furnace		space heating - fireplace	
Utility	Segment	therms	premises	therms	premises	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use
NSG	single family - non low-income (NON)	3,222,112	94,768	2,772,120	3,554	6%	1,554	7%	821	87%	916	38%	57
NSG	single family - low-income (LI)	319,722	8,198	76,300	109	7%	1,529	9%	808	79%	954	9%	79
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (NON)	150,400	7,520	0	0	4%	607	3%	435	93%	353	13%	54
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (LI)	42,360	2,118	0	0	4%	707	3%	304	93%	353	13%	54
NSG	Master metered small (NON)	37,698	777	0	0	29%	2,762	21%	1,982	47%	1,219	4%	159
NSG	Master metered small (LI)	12,974	320	0	0	25%	3,011	18%	2,161	51%	1,325	14%	173
NSG	Master metered medium (NON)	36,832	220	0	0	72%	7,307	18%	8,128	6%	7,472	5%	551
NSG	Master metered medium (LI)	10,810	48	8,369	1	74%	6,844	19%	7,614	4%	7,002	1%	467
NSG	Master metered large (NON)	60,934	95	23,518	14	40%	9,102	42%	30,880	11%	20,247	3%	2,142
NSG	Master metered large (LI)	13,078	31	0	3	45%	11,440	48%	38,810	5%	0	0%	0
NSG	Master metered non-heat (NON)												
NSG	Master metered non-heat (LI)												
NSG	TOTAL	3,906,920	114,095	2,880,307	3,681								

		space heating - other		water heating		cooking		clothes dryer		swimming pool	
Utility	Segment	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use	incidence	avg. use
NSG	single family - non low-income (NON)	0%	0	98%	334	88%	94	80%	34	3%	780
NSG	single family - low-income (LI)	2%	471	92%	393	87%	110	75%	39	1%	700
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (NON)	0%	0	90%	199	68%	56	64%	20	0%	0
NSG	Indiv. metered multi-family (LI)	0%	0	90%	199	68%	56	64%	20	0%	0
NSG	Master metered small (NON)	1%	1,314	90%	475	87%	90	67%	49	0%	0
NSG	Master metered small (LI)	2%	1,435	91%	401	87%	77	78%	41	0%	0
NSG	Master metered medium (NON)	1%	7,472	93%	1,674	58%	383	76%	167	0%	0
NSG	Master metered medium (LI)	1%	5,092	92%	2,252	48%	515	48%	225	1%	8,369
NSG	Master metered large (NON)	2%	0	97%	6,353	64%	1,894	79%	641	12%	1,680
NSG	Master metered large (LI)	0%	0	97%	4,138	55%	1,246	78%	422	8%	0
NSG	Master metered non-heat (NON)	1									
NSG	Master metered non-heat (LI)	1									
NSG	TOTAL										

# **APPENDIX B: COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL END USE MATRIX**

									Share of Gas Use by End Use			
Utility	Segment	Total gas consumption (therms)	Number of premises	Average consumption per premise (therms)	Space Heating Gas Consumption therms)	Non-Space Heating Gas Consumption (therms)	Space heating	Service Hot Water	Comm. kitchen	Comm. Laundry	Swimming pool	
NSG	Small Office	5,333,449	1,944	2,744	4,525,134	808,315	85%	9%	2%	1%	0%	
NSG	Large Office	4,037,924	42	97,299	3,292,677	745,248	82%	11%	2%	1%	0%	
NSG	Warehouse	9,387,473	1,222	7,685	8,791,778	595,695	94%	6%	0%	0%	0%	
NSG	Food Sales	1,470,544	194	7,600	925,756	544,788	63%	7%	30%	0%	0%	
NSG	Food Service	5,935,909	657	9,042	1,801,960	4,133,949	30%	26%	42%	1%	0%	
NSG	Retail	5,662,452	1,220	4,643	4,977,587	684,865	88%	5%	5%	0%	0%	
NSG	Education	2,693,648	273	9,867	2,342,660	350,989	87%	8%	1%	1%	1%	
NSG	Religious	3,770,651	381	9,910	3,427,241	343,410	91%	3%	5%	0%	0%	
NSG	Exhibition/Recreation	4,275,208	360	11,876	2,417,840	1,857,369	57%	17%	17%	1%	9%	
NSG	Other Health Care	1,659,012	734	2,260	1,388,553	270,459	84%	13%	2%	2%	0%	
NSG	Hospital/Large Clinic	1,565,202	14	111,800	527,927	1,037,275	34%	40%	3%	13%	7%	
NSG	Service	6,426,044	1,706	3,768	4,940,427	1,485,617	77%	12%	0%	7%	0%	
NSG	Commercial Laundry	362,051	31	11,679	77,736	284,315	21%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
NSG	Lodging	5,026,450	178	28,318	2,562,863	2,463,587	51%	27%	5%	10%	5%	
NSG	Industrial	14,175,193	783	18,115	7,354,068	6,821,125	52%	5%	0%	0%	0%	
NSG	Large volume, other						0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
NSG	Large volume, office	552,036	1	552,036	-	552,036	0%	60%	10%	0%	0%	
NSG	Large volume, hospital	12,404,187	8	1,550,523	3,721,256	8,682,931	30%	49%	7%	14%	0%	
NSG	Large volume, hotel					-	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
NSG	Large volume, private educ	ation				-	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
NSG	Large volume, industrial	17,123,015	11	1,556,638	1,104,764	16,018,251	6%	9%	0%	0%	0%	

			Share of	Space Heati	ng by Prim	ary Space He	eating Type	Share of	f Premises b	y Primary H	leating Syst	em Type	
Utility	Segment	Process	other	Steam	Hydronic	Furnace	Rooftop unit	Other	Steam	Hydronic	Furnace	Rooftop unit	Other
NSG	Small Office	0%	4%	8%	3%	32%	54%	2%	4%	1%	52%	42%	1%
NSG	Large Office	0%	5%	48%	50%	1%	0%	1%	48%	50%	1%	0%	1%
NSG	Warehouse	0%	1%	3%	4%	34%	31%	28%	1%	13%	49%	24%	14%
NSG	Food Sales	0%	0%	0%	0%	7%	93%	0%	0%	0%	60%	40%	0%
NSG	Food Service	0%	0%	0%	14%	32%	54%	0%	0%	5%	60%	35%	0%
NSG	Retail	0%	2%	0%	4%	18%	72%	5%	0%	1%	32%	66%	1%
NSG	Education	0%	1%	0%	58%	32%	10%	0%	0%	6%	70%	23%	0%
NSG	Religious	0%	0%	0%	47%	26%	27%	0%	0%	18%	40%	42%	0%
NSG	Exhibition/Recreation	0%	0%	19%	0%	28%	35%	18%	9%	0%	54%	30%	7%
NSG	Other Health Care	0%	0%	0%	21%	43%	35%	0%	0%	4%	56%	40%	0%
NSG	Hospital/Large Clinic	0%	3%	0%	10%	42%	37%	10%	0%	10%	0%	0%	89%
NSG	Service	0%	5%	0%	10%	41%	38%	10%	6%	12%	51%	21%	11%
NSG	Commercial Laundry	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	84%	16%	0%	0%	0%	71%	29%
NSG	Lodging	0%	2%	17%	71%	3%	9%	0%	11%	64%	14%	11%	0%
NSG	Industrial	43%	0%	23%	2%	10%	53%	12%	1%	7%	43%	35%	13%
NSG	Large volume, other	0%	0%	70%	20%	0%	10%	0%	60%	30%	0%	10%	0%
NSG	Large volume, office	0%	30%	70%	20%	0%	10%	0%	60%	30%	0%	10%	0%
NSG	Large volume, hospital	0%	0%	70%	20%	0%	10%	0%	60%	30%	0%	10%	0%
NSG	Large volume, hotel	0%	0%	70%	20%	0%	10%	0%	60%	30%	0%	10%	0%
NSG	Large volume, private educ	0%	0%	70%	20%	0%	10%	0%	60%	30%	0%	10%	0%
NSG	Large volume, industrial	84%	0%	70%	20%	0%	10%	0%	60%	30%	0%	10%	0%

## **APPENDIX C: MEASURE RESULTS**

Sector	Measure code	Measure Type	Measure Description	Applicable therms	Energy Efficiency Saturation	Savings Rate	Measure Life	Cost OF Energy Saved	Achievable Factor	Achievable Potential
R	R-EN-AI-001	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, open attic, uninsulated	117,729,313	0.86	0.15	25	0.74	0.01	16,335
R	R-EN-AI-002	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, open attic, R-11 or less existing	117,729,313	0.87	0.11	25	1.29	0.01	15,779
R	R-EN-AI-003	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, open attic, R-12 - R-19 existing	117,729,313	0.91	0.03	25	3.41	0.01	2,476
R	R-EN-AI-004	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, open attic, R-20 - R-30 existing	117,729,313	0.53	0.03	25	5.23	0.01	13,490
R	R-EN-AI-005	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, open attic, R-31+ existing	117,729,313	0.77	0.01	25	13.37	0.01	3,261
R	R-EN-AI-006	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, floored attic	20,664,927	0.53	0.02	25	3.61	0.01	2,101
R	R-EN-AI-007	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, cathedral ceiling	23,333,549	0.57	0.02	25	2.10	0.01	1,606
R	R-EN-AI-008	Retrofit	Attic / ceiling insulation, kneewall	11,427,024	0.00	0.01	25	2.35	0.01	1,423
R	R-EN-AS-001	Retrofit	Air sealing	123,477,499	0.05	0.11	15	0.38	0.01	130,902
R	R-EN-FD-001	Retrofit	Int Foundation wall insulation, basement	113,843,403	0.19	0.27	25	0.60	0.01	252,336
R	R-EN-FD-002	Retrofit	Int Foundation wall insulation, crawlspace	29,871,810	0.06	0.15	25	0.68	0.01	42,345
R	R-EN-FD-003	Retrofit	Ext foundation insulation	73,704,570	0.05	0.41	25	0.91	0.01	284,557
R	R-EN-FD-004	Retrofit	Slab edge insulation	11,896,562	0.00	0.02	25	2.26	0.01	2,602
R	R-EN-FD-005	Retrofit	Rim joist insulation	118,129,582	0.35	0.05	20	1.32	0.01	35,915
R	R-EN-FE-001	ROB	Windows – on replacement: higher performance	125,662,495	0.43	0.28	35	0.85	0.30	52,666
R	R-EN-FE-003	Retrofit	Windows – Add storm windows to single pane windows	122,422,543	0.67	0.15	30	3.34	0.01	16,044
R	R-EN-FL-001	Retrofit	Floor insulation	28,216,644	0.92	0.07	25	0.43	0.01	992
R	R-EN-WI-001	Retrofit	Wall cavity insulation, exterior blow	88,057,163	0.95	0.23	25	1.71	0.01	10,294
R	R-EN-WI-002	Retrofit	Wall cavity insulation, interior blow	53,020,761	0.75	0.17	25	2.40	0.01	21,989
R	R-EN-WI-003	Retrofit	Walls ext rigid board insulation	86,821,266	0.13	0.09	25	1.32	0.01	69,474
R	R-SH-AL-001	Retrofit	Programmable thermostat	118,960,791	0.46	0.06	5	0.18	0.01	38,818

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R	R-SH-AL-002	Retrofit	Space heating submetering	2,454,248	0.05	0.10	20	2.50	0.01	2,332
R	R-SH-AL-003	NC	New Construction	1,850,676	0.05	0.10	25	0.71	0.20	35,163
R	R-SH-AL-004	Retrofit	Home energy reports - decile 1	49,421,037	0.00	0.01	5	0.12	0.80	407,229
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R	R-SH-AL-005	Retrofit	Home energy reports - decile 2	27,788,018	0.00	0.01	5	0.23	0.80	206,743
R	R-SH-AL-006	Retrofit	Home energy reports - decile 3	22,830,379	0.00	0.00	5	0.32	0.80	50,531
R	R-SH-AL-007	Retrofit	Home energy reports - decile 4	19,857,363	0.00	0.00	5	0.41	0.80	38,656
R	R-SH-AL-014	Retrofit	Smart thermostat - self-install	118,960,791	0.06	0.07	7	0.69	0.01	81,191
R	R-SH-AL-015	DI	Smart thermostat - direct-install		0.06	0.07	7	0.69	0.01	81,191
K	K-3H-AL-U15	Ы	Smart thermostat - direct-install	118,960,791	0.06	0.07	/	0.69	0.01	81,191
R	R-SH-AL-016	DI	Multifamily Direct Install	15,703,840	0.48	0.06	10	0.33	0.01	4,048
R	R-SH-AL-017	ROB	Smart thermostat - ROB contractor install	118,960,791	0.06	0.07	22	0.48	0.30	110,715
R	R-SH-BL-002	ROB	Gas boiler upgrade - 90%	9,375,051	0.27	0.09	25	1.03	0.30	7,317
R	R-SH-BL-003	ROB	Gas boiler upgrade - 95%	9,375,051	0.23	0.12	25	1.05	0.30	10,683
R	R-SH-BL-004	Retrofit	Boiler - outdoor air reset/cutout controls	2,454,248	0.62	0.08	20	0.21	0.01	611
R	R-SH-BL-005	Retrofit	Boiler tune-up	23,674,701	0.33	0.02	3	2.47	0.01	2,354
R	R-SH-BL-007	Retrofit	Steam to HW conversion	2,859,930	0.00	0.25	50	0.63	0.01	7,150
R	R-SH-BL-008	Retrofit	Steam Package A - single-pipe upgrades	2,309,254	0.15	0.10	6	1.52	0.01	2,002
R	R-SH-BL-009	Retrofit	Steam trap - individual radiator maintenance / repair	577,314	0.00	0.11	6	0.26	0.01	603
R	R-SH-BL-011	Retrofit	Hydronic system pipe insulation	8,437,546	0.22	0.03	15	0.33	0.02	3,349
R	R-SH-BL-012	Retrofit	Steam system pipe insulation	12,869,685	0.23	0.08	15	0.07	0.02	14,957
R	R-SH-BL-014	Retrofit	Boiler vent Damper	22,089,978	0.08	0.08	15	0.79	0.01	15,035
R	R-SH-FU-001	ROB	Gas furnace efficiency upgrade - 92%	88,362,278	0.50	0.12	20	0.64	0.30	78,522
R	R-SH-FU-001	Retrofit	Duct sealing /insulation	00,302,270	0.50	0.12	20	0.84	0.30	10,322

Sector	Measure code	Measure Type	Measure Description	Applicable therms	Energy Efficiency Saturation	Savings Rate	Measure Life	Cost OF Energy Saved	Achievable Factor	Achievable Potential
				38,234,535						9,559
	R-WH-AP-									
R	001	ROB	EStar - Clothes washer - (gas WH & gas dryer)	145,392,471	0.45	0.00	14	1.05	0.30	7,766
	R-WH-AP-	202		25 222 445	0.45	0.00		4.60	0.00	4 200
R	002	ROB	EStar - Clothes washer - (gas WH but not gas dryer)	35,032,445	0.45	0.00	14	1.62	0.30	1,200
<b>D</b>	R-WH-AP- 003	DOD	EStar Most Efficient - Clothes washer - (gas WH & gas	145 202 474	0.45	0.01	1.4	2.07	0.20	12.005
R	R-WH-AP-	ROB	dryer) EStar Most Efficient - Clothes washer - (gas WH but not gas	145,392,471	0.45	0.01	14	2.07	0.30	12,685
R	004	ROB	dryer)	35,032,445	0.45	0.01	14	2.94	0.30	2,141
IX .	R-WH-AP-	ROB	di yei j	33,032,443	0.43	0.01	14	2.34	0.30	2,141
R	005	ROB	Dishwasher replacement	34,104,978	0.40	0.00	13	18.67	0.30	431
11	R-WH-AP-	NOB	Distiwasher replacement	34,104,376	0.40	0.00	13	10.07	0.50	431
R	006	Retrofit	Kitchen range - replace ranges with pilot lights	10,595,394	0.80	0.40	20	1.16	0.01	8,407
	R-WH-AP-	Retrone	Michell range Teplace ranges with phot lights	10,333,331	0.00	0.10		1.10	0.01	0,107
R	009	ROB	Estar Clothes Dryer	146,532,864	0.15	0.00	14	5.03	0.30	5,879
	R-WH-AP-			_ ::,;::=,::::	0.20				0.00	5,010
R	010	Retrofit	Ozone Clothes Washing	180,424,915	0.05	0.01	15	5.59	0.01	8,477
	R-WH-AP-		9							
R	011	ROB	Clothes Washer Recycling	180,424,915	0.05	0.01	3.7	0.87	0.30	69,310
	R-WH-EU-		. •							-
R	001	Retrofit	Low flow aerators - faucet	14,299,650	0.60	0.09	9	0.52	0.01	4,393
	R-WH-EU-									
R	002	Retrofit	Low flow showerhead, self-installed	42,565,429	0.00	0.04	10	0.15	0.01	18,228
	R-WH-EU-									
R	003	Retrofit	Low flow showerhead, direct install	42,565,429	0.47	0.09	10	0.12	0.01	18,754
	R-WH-SP-									
R	001	Retrofit	Swimming pools –covers	2,762,978	0.01	0.27	6	0.43	0.01	7,485
	R-WH-WH-									
R	001	ROB	High Efficiency Water Heater (power venting)	40,030,264	0.15	0.13	13	1.00	0.30	105,133
	R-WH-WH-									
R	002	ROB	Condensing Storage water heater	40,791,160	0.05	0.37	13	0.61	0.30	332,902
_	R-WH-WH-									
R	003	ROB	Whole house tankless water heater	40,030,264	0.08	0.41	13	0.51	0.30	345,477
	R-WH-WH-	5		40 565 400	0.05	0.00	4.5	0.00	0.00	40.047
R	004	Retrofit	Water heater pipe insulation	42,565,429	0.05	0.02	15	0.28	0.02	13,317
D	R-WH-WH-	Dotrofit	Hot water temp setting shange	42 565 420	0.74	0.03	,	0.47	0.01	1 600
R	005 R-WH-WH-	Retrofit	Hot water temp setting change	42,565,429	0.74	0.02	2	0.47	0.01	1,698
R	006	Retrofit	Drainwater heat recovery	20,145,384	0.00	0.18	20	1.70	0.01	36,160
IV	R-WH-WH-	Netront	Dianiwater neat recovery	20,143,304	0.00	0.18	20	1.70	0.01	30,100
R	007	Retrofit	Indirect WH -pipe insulation retrofit	2,658,060	0.33	0.07	15	0.10	0.01	1,161
11	R-WH-WH-	Netront	marcet with pipe insulation retroit	2,030,000	0.33	0.07	1.0	0.10	0.01	1,101
R	010	Retrofit	Recirculation - aquastat return temp controller	2,433,728	0.15	0.14	20	0.49	0.01	1,953

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Sector	Measure code	Measure	Measure Description	Applicable	Efficiency Saturation	Savings Rate	Measure Life	Energy Saved	Achievable Factor	Achievable Potential
Sector	R-WH-WH-	Туре	ivieasure description	therms	Saturation	Nate	Life	Saveu	ractor	Potential
R	011	Retrofit	High efficiency dedicated WH boiler	509,564	0.08	0.11	15	1.04	0.01	533
С	C-CK-001	ROB	HE Broilers	557,836	0.40	0.25	12	0.15	0.30	2,092
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С	C-CK-002	ROB	HE Convection Ovens (rack oven, conveyor)	1,115,672	0.40	0.29	12	0.02	0.30	4,867
С	C-CK-003	ROB	HE Fryers	1,059,888	0.40	0.31	15	0.23	0.30	3,946
С	C-CK-004	ROB	HE Griddles	446,269	0.40	0.12	12	0.05	0.30	821
С	C-CK-006	ROB	Infrared Charbroiler	557,836	0.10	0.45	12	0.38	0.30	5,648
С	C-CK-007	ROB	Infrared Rotisserie Oven	223,134	0.10	0.50	12	0.56	0.30	2,510
С	C-CK-008	ROB	Infrared Salamander Broiler	111,567	0.10	0.50	12	0.48	0.30	1,255
С	C-CK-009	ROB	Infrared Upright Broiler	111,567	0.10	0.50	10	0.71	0.30	1,506
С	C-CK-010	ROB	Pasta Cooker	167,351	0.10	0.20	12	0.20	0.30	753
С	C-CK-011	ROB	Bottom-Finned Stock Pot	167,351	0.10	0.33	3	0.26	0.30	5,021
С	C-CK-012	ROB	Commercial Steam Cooker	502,052	0.10	0.53	12	0.15	0.30	5,987
С	C-DHW-001	ROB	HE Storage Tank Water Heaters	6,850,015	0.15	0.13	15	0.24	0.30	15,392
С	C-DHW-002	Retrofit	Reduced Temperature Setpoints	16,098,681	0.70	0.08	10	0.09	0.01	3,829
С	C-DHW-003	ROB	Tankless Water Heaters	4,930,455	0.02	0.15	20	1.68	0.30	10,820
С	C-DHW-004	Retrofit	Faucet Aerators	2,345,413	0.40	0.32	9	0.34	0.01	4,556
С	C-DHW-005	Retrofit	Low Flow Pre-Rinse Nozzles	1,708,649	0.45	0.44	5	0.29	0.01	4,155
С	C-DHW-006	Retrofit	Low Flow Showerhead	2,934,642	0.15	0.44	10	0.04	0.01	10,931
С	C-DHW-007	Retrofit	Drain Water Recovery	3,634,307	0.01	0.15	30	0.53	0.01	4,887
С	C-DHW-008	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - Chiller	7,166,144	0.05	0.48	15	0.74	0.01	31,994
С	C-DHW-009	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - Refrigeration	8,226,757	0.05	0.28	15	0.44	0.01	19,081
C	C-DHW-009	Retrofit	Insulating Blankets	0,220,737	0.05	0.28	5	1.31	0.01	13,001

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С	C-DHW-011	Retrofit	Pipe Insulation	3,219,736	0.60	0.05	15	0.95	0.01	671
С	C-DHW-012	Retrofit	Timer on Recirculation Pump	8,862,139	0.40	0.03	10	0.59	0.01	1,541
С	C-DHW-013	Retrofit	Ultrasonic Faucet Control	10,964,909	0.33	0.04	10	0.30	0.01	2,894
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С	C-DHW-014	Retrofit	Heat Trap	16,098,681	0.10	0.01	10	0.59	0.01	1,449
С	C-DHW-017	Retrofit	Combination Water Heater/Boiler	52,108,256	0.15	0.15	13	0.82	0.01	66,438
С	C-DHW-019	ROB	HE Boilers (Condensing)	7,266,064	0.30	0.16	13	0.12	0.30	18,338
С	C-DHW-CK- 001	ROB	HE Dishwashers	3,058,333	0.10	0.31	15	0.08	0.30	17,065
	C-DHW-CK-	NOB	TE Distiwasticis	3,030,333	0.10	0.51	13	0.08	0.30	17,003
С	002 C-DHW-CL-	ROB	Chemical Sanitizing (Low Temp) Dishwashing Machine (ES)	3,058,333	0.10	0.36	15	0.09	0.30	19,818
С	001	ROB	HE Clothes Washers	745,142	0.20	0.28	14	0.25	0.30	3,586
С	C-DHW-CL- 002	Retrofit	Ozone Commercial Laundry System (Gas HW)	745,142	0.30	0.20	10	0.26	0.01	1,043
С	C-DHW-CL- 003	Retrofit	Wastewater Reclamation	2,727,942	0.15	0.35	15	0.66	0.01	8,116
С	C-NC-001	NC	New Construction Programs	2,986,853	0.01	0.17	15	0.35	0.30	98,394
С	C-PL-001	Retrofit	HE Gas Pool Water Heater	756,659	0.50	0.16	15	0.59	0.01	597
С	C-PL-002	Retrofit	Pool DHW heat recovery	652,931	0.50	0.80	15	0.76	0.01	2,612
С	C-PL-003	Retrofit	Pool/Spa Covers	756,659	0.25	0.42	6	0.15	0.01	2,409
С	C-PL-006	ROB	HE Gas Pool Water Heater	756,659	0.50	0.16	15	0.36	0.30	1,195
С	C-PR-HT-001	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - Combustion Air Preheating	2,055,544	0.50	0.20	10	0.16	0.01	2,056
С	C-PR-HT-002	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - Load Preheating	1,644,435	0.50	0.13	10	0.18	0.01	1,069
С	C-PR-HT-003	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - External Processes	1,644,435	0.50	0.13	10	0.19	0.01	1,069
С	C-PR-HT-004	Retrofit	Air Seal Furnaces	2,569,430	0.50	0.10	3	0.17	0.01	1,285
С	C-PR-HT-005	Retrofit	Furnace Insulation	2,569,430	0.50	0.04	5	0.18	0.01	514

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С	C-PR-HT-006	Retrofit	Lower Flammable Limit Monitoring Equipment	1,027,772	0.75	0.09	10	0.05	0.01	234
С	C-PR-HT-007	Retrofit	Tune Burner Air to Fuel Ratios	7,708,289	0.75	0.01	3	0.14	0.01	251
С	C-PR-HT-008	Retrofit	O2-enriched Combustion	2,569,430	0.50	0.25	3	0.14	0.01	3,212
С	C-PR-HT-009	Retrofit	Clean/Repair Heat Transfer Surfaces	2,569,430	0.50	0.05	3	0.14	0.01	642
	C DD UT 010	Dotrofit	Dracess Heat Custom Efficiency Measure	1 027 772	0.00	0.10	10	0.44	0.01	1.030
С	C-PR-HT-010	Retrofit	Process Heat Custom Efficiency Measure	1,027,772	0.00	0.10	10	0.44	0.01	1,028
С	C-PR-ST-002	Retrofit	Boiler Tune-Ups	10,277,719	0.75	0.01	3	0.52	0.01	334
С	C-PR-ST-003	Retrofit	Insulate Pipes/Lines	10,277,719	0.60	0.04	15	0.29	0.01	1,623
С	C-PR-ST-004	Retrofit	Steam Trap Maintenance Program	10,277,719	0.10	0.14	6	0.10	0.01	12,950
С	C-PR-ST-005	Retrofit	O2-Trim	10,277,719	0.10	0.01	18	1.50	0.01	805
С	C-PR-ST-006	ROB	HE Boilers	10,277,719	0.70	0.13	20	0.01	0.30	6,167
С	C-PR-ST-007	Retrofit	Boiler Blowdown Heat Exchanger	10,277,719	0.10	0.01	15	0.04	0.01	1,315
С	C-PR-ST-008	Retrofit	Boiler - Steam System Isolation	10,277,719	0.80	0.03	3	0.28	0.01	617
С	C-PR-ST-009	Retrofit	Process Heating Stack Economizer	5,138,859	0.10	0.04	15	0.05	0.01	1,663
С	C-PR-ST-013	Retrofit	Boiler Burner Upgrades	7,708,289	0.50	0.01	21	0.16	0.01	540
С	C-SH-FA-001	Retrofit	Retrocommisioning	36,617,019	0.05	0.08	5	0.44	0.01	27,829
С	C-SH-FU-012	ROB	HE Furnaces (<=300kBTU)	12,014,023	0.28	0.13	16.5	0.12	0.30	20,514
С	C-SH-FU-013	Retrofit	Small Business Furnace Tune-Up	12,014,023	0.00	0.02	2	1.45	0.01	2,163
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С	C-SH-FU-016	Retrofit	Shut Off Damper for Space Heating Boilers or Furnaces	34,154,823	0.50	0.01	18	0.49	0.01	1,708
С	C-SH-GE-002	Retrofit	Mechanically Operated Makeup Air Dampers	21,961,304	0.70	0.07	15	0.55	0.01	4,134
С	C-SH-GE-003	Retrofit	Demand Control Ventilation	23,496,697	0.05	0.30	10	0.10	0.01	57,257
С	C-SH-GE-004	Retrofit	Destratification fans	16,639,567	0.10	0.03	20	0.43	0.01	4,493
С	C-SH-GE-005	Retrofit	Duct Sealing		0.50	0.07	20	0.23	0.01	

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С	C-SH-GE-007	Retrofit	Programmable Thermostat	24,962,101	0.35	0.05	4	0.14	0.01	7,787
С	C-SH-GE-008	Retrofit	Reduced Temperature Setpoints	12,828,271	0.30	0.05	2	3.61	0.01	3,959
С	C-SH-GE-009	Retrofit	Variable Flow Kitchen Exhaust	8,583,004	0.10	0.67	15	0.02	0.01	51,918
С	C-SH-GE-010	Retrofit	Variable Flow Lab Exhaust	2,116,243	0.10	0.50	15	0.37	0.01	9,523
С	C-SH-GE-011	Retrofit	VAV system controls	13,522,301	0.15	0.12	20	0.19	0.01	13,793
С	C-SH-GE-012	Retrofit	CAV to VAV retrofit	9,324,997	0.31	0.27	15	0.22	0.01	12,054
С	C-SH-GE-013	Retrofit	Improved Roof/Ceiling Insulation	54,180,224	0.35	0.08	20	7.76	0.01	20,592
С	C-SH-GE-014	Retrofit	Direct-fired Make-Up Air Units	17,117,092	0.33	0.12	20	1.09	0.01	13,762
С		Retrofit	·	34,678,699	0.75	0.12	15	1.26	0.01	255
	C-SH-GE-015		Electric Ignition	, ,						
С	C-SH-GE-016	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - Air to Air	15,646,553	0.10	0.15	15	0.87	0.01	16,699
С	C-SH-GE-017	Retrofit	Heat Recovery - Chiller/Refrigeration	9,715,005	0.13	0.08	20	0.37	0.01	5,616
С	C-SH-GE-019	Retrofit	Radiant Tube Heaters	11,952,023	0.10	0.20	12	0.43	0.01	21,514
С	C-SH-GE-021	Retrofit	Air Sealing	43,344,179	0.33	0.10	15	7.18	0.01	27,998
С	C-SH-GE-022	Retrofit	Dock door seals	22,191,037	0.20	0.06	10	0.30	0.01	8,253
С	C-SH-GE-023	Retrofit	HE Windows	54,180,224	0.50	0.02	30	1.67	0.01	3,743
С	C-SH-GE-024	Retrofit	CO / Nox garage controls	19,842,808	0.10	0.01	5	0.26	0.01	2,009
С	C-SH-GE-028	Retrofit	Spray or blown-in wall insulation (retro)	51,471,213	0.40	0.02	20	5.16	0.01	6,177
С	C-SH-GE-030	Retrofit	Vestibules	41,472,209	0.95	0.03	20	0.62	0.01	224
С	C-SH-GE-031	ROB	Condensing Unit Heater	4,447,151	0.15	0.16	12	0.29	0.30	14,921
С		ROB			0.00	0.10	15	0.27	0.30	
	C-SH-GE-034		HE Rooftop Units	19,880,011		-				43,736
С	C-SH-GE-035	Retrofit	Smart Thermostat	20,525,234	0.05	0.07	4	0.27	0.01	11,948

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С	C-SH-GE-099	Retrofit	Commercial Space Heating Custom Measures	2,214,223	0.00	0.04	15	0.44	0.01	905
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С	001 C-SH-HW-	Retrofit	Retrocommisioning	9,414,295	0.05	0.08	5	0.44	0.01	7,155
С	002	Retrofit	Boiler Tune-Ups	9,414,295	0.15	0.02	3	0.73	0.01	1,440
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С	003	Retrofit	Boiler Reset Controls	9,414,295	0.30	0.08	20	0.05	0.01	5,272
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С	004	Retrofit	Insulate Pipes/Lines	9,414,295	0.30	0.04	15	0.29	0.01	2,601
С	C-SH-HW- 005	ROB	HE Boilers (Condensing)	7,060,721	0.20	0.16	20	0.31	0.30	13,378
	C-SH-HW-	KOB	The bollers (Condensing)	7,000,721	0.20	0.10	20	0.51	0.30	13,376
С	006	ROB	HE Boilers (Non-Condensing)	2,353,574	0.30	0.06	20	0.40	0.30	1,454
	C-SH-HW-									
С	008	Retrofit	Heating Stack Economizer	5,145,187	0.14	0.03	15	0.43	0.01	1,254
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С	013 C-SH-HW-	Retrofit	Boiler Burner Upgrades	38,913,632	0.50	0.01	21	0.23	0.01	2,724
С	014	Retrofit	Linkageless Boiler Controls for Space Heating	38,913,632	0.50	0.04	16	0.41	0.01	7,394
	C-SH-HW-			55,525,552						.,
С	015	Retrofit	Oxygen Trim Controls for Space Heating Boilers	38,913,632	0.50	0.01	18	7.74	0.01	1,693
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С	016	Retrofit	Shut Off Damper for Space Heating Boilers or Furnaces	38,913,632	0.50	0.01	18	0.43	0.01	1,946
С	C-SH-ST-001	Retrofit	Retrocommisioning	8,148,910	0.05	0.08	5	0.44	0.01	6,193
С	C-SH-ST-002	Retrofit	Boiler Tune-Ups	8,148,910	0.22	0.02	3	0.89	0.01	1,144
С	C-SH-ST-003	Retrofit	Boiler Reset Controls	8,148,910	0.33	0.08	20	0.06	0.01	4,310
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С	C-SH-ST-004	Retrofit	Insulate Pipes/Lines	8,148,910	0.40	0.04	15	0.29	0.01	1,930
С	C-SH-ST-005	Retrofit	Steam Trap Maintenance Program	5,712,044	0.10	0.14	6	0.10	0.01	7,197
С	C-SH-ST-006	ROB	HE Boilers	13,545,056	0.70	0.08	20	0.09	0.30	5,020
С	C-311-31-000	KOB	TIL BUILETS	13,343,030	0.70	0.08	20	0.03	0.30	3,020
С	C-SH-ST-007	Retrofit	Boiler - Steam to Hot Water Conversion	8,148,910	0.00	0.14	20	0.84	0.01	9,506
С	C-SH-ST-008	Retrofit	Boiler Blowdown Heat Exchanger	4,878,998	0.10	0.01	15	0.04	0.01	624
С	C-SH-ST-009	Retrofit	Heating Stack Economizer	5,507,441	0.10	0.04	15	0.21	0.01	1,778
С	C-SH-ST-010	Retrofit	Boiler - Automatic Chemical feed	-,,	0.25	0.02	12	0.17	0.01	

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				7,060,303						1,059
С	C-SH-ST-013	Retrofit	Boiler Burner Upgrades	69,617,092	0.50	0.01	21	0.25	0.01	4,873
С	C-SH-ST-014	Retrofit	Linkageless Boiler Controls for Space Heating	69,617,092	0.50	0.04	16	0.42	0.01	13,227
С	C-SH-ST-015	Retrofit	Oxygen Trim Controls for Space Heating Boilers	69,617,092	0.50	0.01	18	7.92	0.01	3,028
С	C-SH-ST-016	Retrofit	Shut Off Damper for Space Heating Boilers or Furnaces	69,617,092	0.50	0.01	18	0.44	0.01	3,481

## **APPENDIX D: RESIDENTIAL TELEPHONE SURVEY**

Peoples Gas / North Shore Gas Potential Study Residential Survey for Seventhwave (removed)

## **APPENDIX E: COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL TELEPHONE SURVEY**

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