Corporate Climate Change Action Plan (CCCAP)

The updated CCCAP identifies twenty-seven action items for the Regional District to implement to achieve the corporate GHG emissions reduction target of 30% of 2022 emissions by 2030.

Conduct building energy audits is the first action item for existing buildings and infrastructure. This aims to improve energy performance and lower GHG emissions in existing Regional District buildings and infrastructure.

FortisBC – Commercial Energy Assessment Program

The consultant for FortisBC has completed the energy audit of the Exploration Place along with both the old and new Beaverly Fire Halls along with the Public Safety Operations Building. The summary reports include proposed energy conservation measures, and the savings associated with each upgrade.

FRESCo, an authorized FortisBC consultant, conducted walkthrough energy assessments of four Regional District facilities, reporting the following summaries and proposed energy conservation measures.

1. The Exploration Place

Upgrade Opportunity	Annual Gas Savings (GJ/year)	Annual Electricity Savings (kWh/year)	Cost Savings (\$/year)	Lifetim e GHG Savings, Tonnes	Capital Cost	FortisBC Rebate	Simple Payback with Rebate (years)
Window Upgrade	305	-	\$2,670	458	\$192,000	-	-
Hydronic Performance Additive	121	-	\$1,060	30	\$6,045	\$2,340	3.5
Kitchen Demand Ventilation	63	-	\$550	47	\$5,000	-	9.1
Dual-Fuel Heat Pump Packaged RTU	309	-43,002	-\$1,090	309	\$71,400	\$21,420	-
Dual-Fuel Heat Pump Packaged RTU	111	-15,463	-\$390	111	\$60,000	\$18,000	-
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High-Efficiency Central Boiler Plant	137	-	\$1,190	137	\$143,800	-	-
High-Efficiency DHW Heating	200	-	\$1,750	200	\$20,000	_	11.4
Space Heating Gas Heat Pump	507	-	\$4,420	507	\$300,000	\$200,000	-

The table above provides an outline of the savings associated with each upgrade measure. All figures are estimates and are expected to vary within a range of +/-30%.

- Lifetime Simple Annual Annual Cost GHG Payback Upgrade Gas Electricity Capital FortisBC Savings Savings, with **Opportunity** Cost Savings Savings Rebate Tonnes Rebate (\$/year) (GJ/year) (kWh/year) (years) **Fire Hall Roof** \$190 32 \$42,540 21 -Insulation **Pipe Insulation** 4 -\$40 6 \$300 \$120 4.5 **Truck Bay Door** 12 \$110 12 \$30,000 \$12,000 --Air Curtains Space Heating 56 -\$520 56 \$300,000 \$200,000 -Gas Heat Pump **DHW Gas Heat** 7 7 \$60 \$300,000 \$200,000 -Pump
- 2. Beaverly Fire Hall (New)

The table above provides an outline of the savings associated with each upgrade measure. All figures are estimates and are expected to vary within a range of +/-30%.

3. Beaverly Fire Hall (Old)

Upgrade Opportunity	Annual Gas Savings (GJ/year)	Annual Electricity Savings (kWh/year)	Cost Savings (\$/year)	Lifetime GHG Savings, Tonnes	Capital Cost	FortisBC Rebate	Simple Payback with Rebate (years)
Connected Programmable Thermostats	18	-	\$170	14	\$600	\$80	3.1
Truck Bay Roof Insulation	35	-	\$330	53	\$47,576	-	-
Truck Bay Door Air Curtains	7	-	\$70	7	\$20,000	\$8,000	-
High-Efficiency Radiant Heating	11	-	\$100	11	\$2,000	\$800	12.0

The table above provides an outline of the savings associated with each upgrade measure. All figures are estimates and are expected to vary within a range of +/-30%.

4. Public Safety and Operation Building

Upgrade Opportunity	Annual Gas Savings (GJ/year)	Annual Electricity Savings (kWh/year)	Cost Savings (\$/year)	Lifetime GHG Savings, Tonnes	Capital Cost	FortisBC Rebate	Simple Payback with Rebate (years)
Hydronic Performance Additive	3	-	\$30	1	\$713	\$276	-
Warehouse Door Air Curtains	1	-	\$10	1	\$5,000	\$2,000	-
Warehouse Ceiling Fans	1	-	\$10	1	\$323	-	-
DDC Building Automation System	29	-	\$270	22	\$66,000	-	-
Space Heating Gas Heat Pump	10	-	\$90	10	\$300,000	\$200,000	-

The table above provides an outline of the savings associated with each upgrade measure. All figures are estimates and are expected to vary within a range of +/-30%.

The next phase of this project is to conduct detailed, system-specific feasibility studies for the Exploration Place and Beaverly Fire Hall. These studies will estimate the financial and energy savings associated with the implementation of Gas Absorption Heat Pump (GAHP) technology. FortisBC provides funding of up to \$20,000 per feasibility study.