For your business

Lippert Components case study

The opportunity

Lippert Components manufactures and supplies highly engineered, high-quality components to the recreational vehicle, marine, automotive and building products industries. With over 90 facilities in 17 states, Canada and worldwide, Lippert Components has made the choice to prioritize social impact initiatives.

To help save on energy costs, Lippert Components got in touch with Indiana Michigan Power (I&M) to discuss their energy efficiency opportunities.

The project

It all started with Lippert Component's initiative to identify high-impact, cost-saving projects! One of those projects proposed was updating existing lighting to energy-efficient LED tubes throughout the warehouse.

Working with I&M, Lippert was able to upgrade the inefficient lighting to new, rebate-eligible LEDs. Based on the savings achieved from this project and the end result, Lippert Components is looking for additional ways to utilize commercial rebate programs to make energy-efficient upgrades in other facilities.

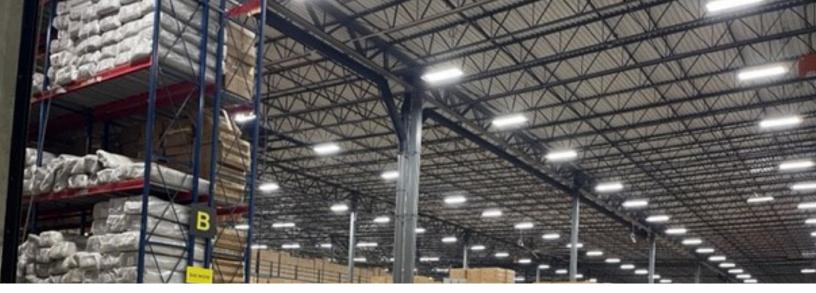
Project fast facts

Over 1,000,000 kWh Estimated annual energy savings

Over \$110,000 a year Estimated annual cost savings*

*Calculated at an estimated rate of \$0.11 per kWh.





I&M offers commercial energy efficiency programs to help your business save on new, energy-efficient equipment. These Prescriptive and Custom programs are designed to save on both the cost of energy-efficient commercial upgrades and reduce your monthly energy use.

Eligible energy savings upgrades may include:

- · Interior and exterior LED lighting
- · Exit signs and occupancy sensors
- VFDs
- · Refrigeration
- · Cooking equipment
- · HVAC

Custom incentives may also be available for projects such as building controls, compressed air systems, retro-commissioning and non-prescriptive lighting.

"Working with the I&M rebate programs enabled us to provide brighter, safer work spaces for our teams, while reducing the maintenance needed. The program provided a favorable return on investment and we're excited to duplicate this project throughout our other facilities."

Richard Wallock,
Facility Manager, Lippert Components Plant 50-W

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The results

The new lighting is estimated to reduce the facility's annual energy use by over 1,000,000 kWh, saving Lippert Components over \$110,000 a year.

Since completing the initial project, Lippert Components worked with I&M to upgrade another project and is looking to complete lighting retrofits at other facilities in the near future.

