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# Growth, Managing Costs and Reducing Carbon at Mayo Clinic by Leveraging DERs

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# Purpose

- **Why did Mayo Clinic pursue this DER Evaluation?**
  - **Cost Reduction**
  - **Growth**
  - **Sustainability**
  - **Resiliency**

# Process

- **Established Priorities**

- Cost Savings
- Carbon Reduction
- Reliability & Resilience

- **Established Financial Assumptions**

- *As a Non-Profit, Mayo Clinic can NOT take advantage of Federal Tax-based Incentives; i.e.*
  - *Investment Tax Credit (ITC)*
  - *Modified Accelerated Cost Recovery System (MACRS) with Bonus Depreciation*
- Discount Rate = 7.5%
- Utility Cost Escalator = 2.0% annually
- Project Life = 20 years

# Process

- **Data Gathering**

- Rates, Invoices, Contracts for *Electricity, Natural Gas, Steam*
- Utility Supplied Electric Interval Data
- Hourly Onsite Generated Power
- Daily Nat Gas Consumption
- Hourly Steam Production for Downtown Campus
- Daily Steam Production for St. Mary's Hospital Campus

# Process

- **Dealing with Complexities**

- **Data Integrity**

- Some data provided hourly
    - Some data provided daily
    - Matching Metered data (hourly and daily) to Invoice data (electric, natural gas, steam)

- **Current System Understanding**

- Boilers, HRSG, Purchased Steam
    - Gas Turbines, Steam Turbines
    - Only Evaluate Current Boiler Steam & Associated NG for Displacing with new CHP
      - *Do **NOT** use Current **GT Gas** and **HRSG Steam***

- **Downtown & St. Mary's Campuses tied electrically but separate thermally**

- **Satellite Campuses**

- Scope Creep – Identifying and Limiting which facilities to include

- **Limited Rooftop or Land for BTM Solar**

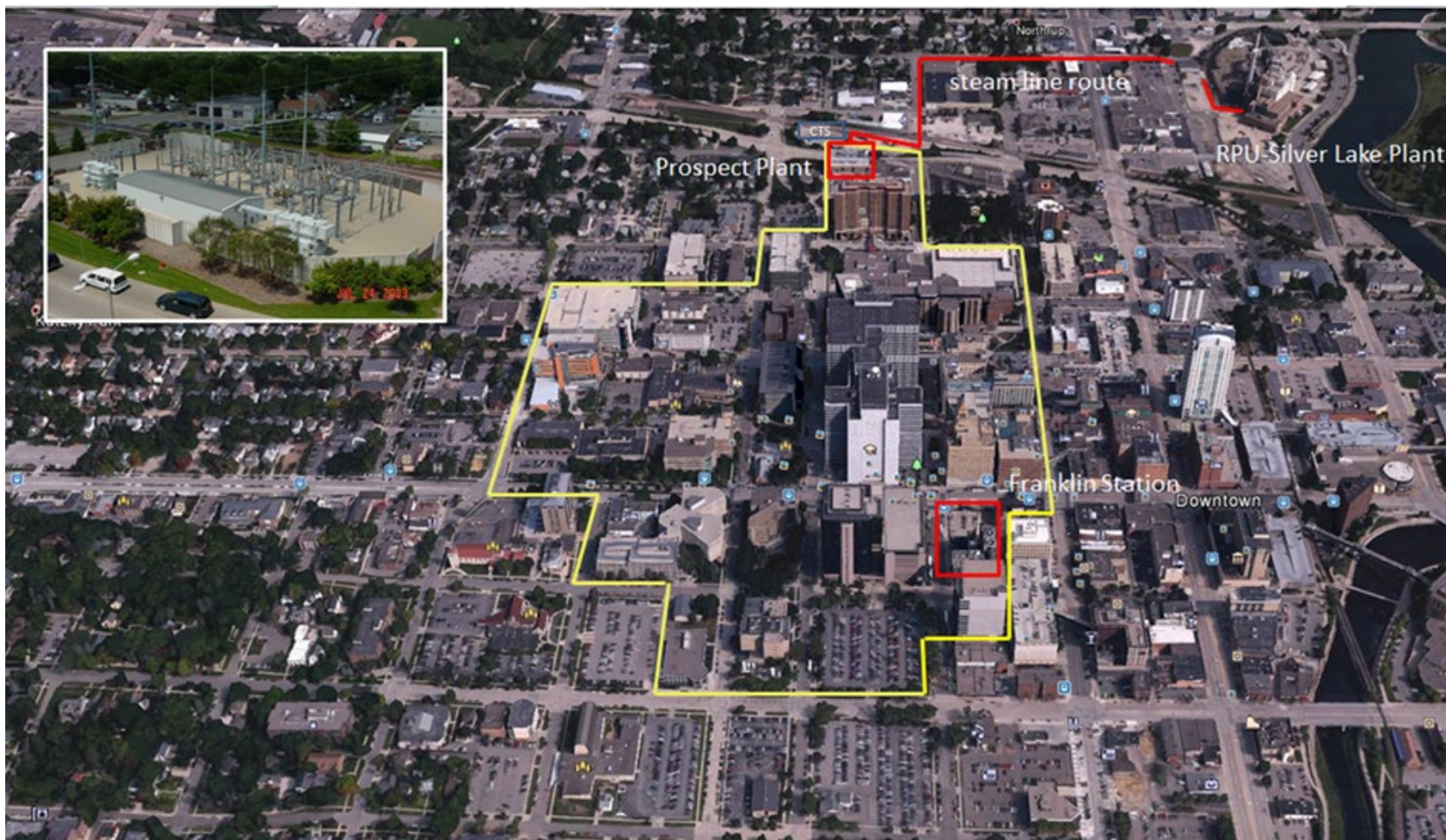
- **Check for Nat Gas Supply Constraints** – *Found no concerns for these facilities*

# Process

- **Establish Current State**
  - **Electric Loop Connects Downtown and St. Mary's Campuses**
  - **Downtown Campus** (*includes Franklin Heating Station & Prospect Utility Plant*):
    - Four (4) Steam Boilers with Steam Turbine-Generators
    - Emergency Diesel Backup Generators (7 x 2.4 MW)
  - **St. Mary's Campus:**
    - One (1) Combustion Turbine with HRSG
    - One (1) Steam Turbine-Generator
    - Three (3) Boilers for additional steam
    - Emergency Diesel Backup Generators (3 x 2.5 MW)

# Process

- Establish Current State: Downtown Campus Aerial View



# Process

- Establish Current State: St. Mary's Hospital Campus Aerial View



# Process

- Established Current State: Electric Supply

	Downtown Campus		St. Mary's Campus		COMBINED			
	ENERGY (MWh)	MAX (MW)	ENERGY (MWh)	MAX (MW)	ENERGY (MWh)	Sum of MAX (MW)	Coincident MAX (MW)	Diversity Factor
TOTAL CAMPUS LOAD								
Annual Total:	163,440	31.7	67,630	14.6	231,070	46.2	44.2	96%
Mo/Hrly Avg:	13,620	18.7	5,640	7.7	19,260	26.4		
PURCHASED POWER								
Annual Total:	96,420	23.4	9,990	8.4	106,410	29.0	26.6	92%
Mo/Hrly Avg:	8,040	11.0	830	1.1	8,870	12.1		
	59.0%		14.8%		46.1%			
GENERATED POWER								
Annual Total:	67,020	13.4	57,640	11.3	124,660	24.1	22.4	93%
Mo/Hrly Avg:	5,590	7.7	4,800	6.6	10,390	14.2		
	41.0%		85.2%		53.9%			

# Process

- Established Current State: Steam Supply

	Downtown Campus		St. Mary's Campus		COMBINED	
	STEAM (kp)	MAX (kpph)	STEAM (kp)	MAX (kpph)	STEAM (kp)	MAX (kpph)
TOTAL CAMPUS STEAM						
Annual Total:	1,402,280	280	517,760	100	1,920,040	350
Mo/Hrly Avg:	116,900	160	43,100	60	160,000	220
PURCHASED STEAM						
Annual Total:	291,870	120	-	-	291,870	120
Mo/Hrly Avg:	24,300	30	-	0	24,300	30
	20.8%		0.0%		15.2%	
GENERATED STEAM						
Annual Total:	1,110,400	210	517,760	100	1,628,160	300
Mo/Hrly Avg:	92,500	130	43,100	60	135,700	190
	79.2%		100.0%		84.8%	

# Process

- **Established Current State: Satellite Facilities**
  - **Which to include in Evaluation – No Existing DERs**
    - Mayo Support Center
    - Mayo Inventory Center
    - Superior Drive Support Center
    - 41st St. NW
    - Marvin Building
    - 3939 Warehouse
  - ***Numerous additional facilities were not included in this evaluation***

# Process

- **Modeled Energy Rates**

- **Electric** Distribution and Supply from Rochester Public Utilities (**RPU**)
- **Natural Gas Distribution** from Minnesota Energy Resources Corp (**MERC**)
- **Natural Gas Transportation** from Northern Natural Gas (**NNG**)
- **Natural Gas Supply** from multiple vendors
- **Steam Supply** (*partial*) from **RPU** (*through 2025*)

- **Utilized HOMER Grid software**

- 100's of iterative scenarios run
- Optimized Results based on Net Present Cost (NPC)
  - Combined DERs
  - Individual DERs

# Process

- **Potential DER Solutions Evaluated**

- **Solar Generation**

- Solar Photovoltaic (PV) System

- **Peak Shaving Generator**

- Reciprocating Engine System

- **Combined Heat and Power (CHP)**

- Combustion Turbine System

- **Battery Storage System**

- Lithium Ion Battery considered as at present that is the most widely used solution to provide energy storage

- **Wind Generation**

- Wind Turbine System

# Results

- **Findings & Recommendations: Downtown & St. Mary's Campuses**

- New DERs Optimized on Net Present Cost (NPC)
  - 11 MW of additional Combined Heat & Power (CHP)
  - 2 MW of Solar Photovoltaic (Solar PV)
  - 3 MWh of Battery Storage
- Projected Financial Performance
  - 20 Year NPC Reduction = \$22 million
  - Annual Operating Cost Savings = \$4.5 million
  - Annual CO<sub>2</sub>e Emissions Reduction = 31,460 metric tons
  - Capital Investment = \$32 million
  - Simple Payback = 5.3 years
  - 20 Year ROI = 9.1%
  - 20 Year IRR = 13.4%

**Recall:** These results assume Mayo Clinic, as a Non-Profit, can NOT take advantage of Tax-based incentives; i.e. ITC, MACRS with Bonus Depreciation

# Results

## • Alternative Findings & Recommendations: Downtown & St. Mary's Campuses

Case	Solar PV (kW)	CHP (kW)	Battery Storage (kWh)	Net Present Cost (\$)	Operating Cost (\$/yr)	Initial Capital Cost (\$)	Fuel cost (\$/yr)	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions (tonne/yr)	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (tonne/yr)	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (%)	Return on Investment (%)	Internal Rate of Return (%)	Simple Payback (yr)	Utility Bill Savings (\$/yr)
Base Case	-	-	-	\$ 232,370,200	\$19,270,970	\$ -	\$ 7,360,062	169,123	-	-	-	-	-	-
Top 3 NPC	2,000	11,000	3,000	\$ 210,265,200	\$14,783,930	\$32,000,000	\$ 8,567,900	137,661	31,462	18.6%	9.1%	13.4%	5.26	\$ 8,283,308
	-	11,000	3,000	\$ 211,393,200	\$15,126,280	\$29,000,000	\$ 8,576,406	138,969	30,153	17.8%	9.3%	13.9%	5.04	\$ 7,963,876
	2,000	11,000	-	\$ 211,762,700	\$15,032,520	\$30,500,000	\$ 8,568,386	137,644	31,479	18.6%	8.9%	13.3%	5.26	\$ 7,978,001
Solar PV Only	2,000	-	-	\$ 231,092,600	\$18,916,220	\$ 3,000,000	\$ 7,360,062	167,587	1,535	0.9%	7.2%	9.8%	8.89	\$ 340,346
	1,500	-	-	\$ 231,362,600	\$19,000,820	\$ 2,250,000	\$ 7,360,062	167,971	1,152	0.7%	7.4%	10.0%	8.75	\$ 259,354
	500	-	-	\$ 232,003,100	\$19,178,330	\$ 750,000	\$ 7,360,062	168,738	384	0.2%	7.8%	10.4%	8.49	\$ 89,041
CHP Only	-	11,000	-	\$ 212,730,800	\$15,361,600	\$27,500,000	\$ 8,576,841	138,954	30,169	17.8%	9.2%	13.8%	5.01	\$ 7,671,415
	-	10,000	-	\$ 212,872,600	\$15,580,690	\$25,000,000	\$ 8,504,064	140,684	28,439	16.8%	9.8%	14.5%	4.87	\$ 7,148,822
	-	12,000	-	\$ 213,000,500	\$15,176,640	\$30,000,000	\$ 8,640,925	137,492	31,631	18.7%	8.6%	13.1%	5.15	\$ 8,151,848
Battery Storage Only	-	-	3,000	\$ 231,044,700	\$19,036,650	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 7,360,062	169,127	(5)	0.0%	10.8%	15.2%	5.73	\$ 291,896
	-	-	4,000	\$ 231,124,900	\$19,001,840	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 7,360,062	169,130	(7)	0.0%	8.6%	12.5%	6.54	\$ 345,899
	-	-	5,000	\$ 231,316,700	\$18,976,270	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 7,360,062	169,132	(9)	0.0%	7.0%	10.3%	7.34	\$ 390,655

# Results

- **Findings & Recommendations: Satellite Facilities**

- New DERs Optimized on Net Present Cost (NPC)
  - 2.1 MW of Solar Photovoltaic (Solar PV)
  - 1.0 MW NG Recip Engine
  - 2.0 MWh of Battery Storage
- Projected Financial Performance
  - 20 Year NPC Reduction = \$1.8 million
  - Annual Operating Cost Savings = \$500,000
  - Annual CO<sub>2</sub>e Emissions Reduction = 1,640 metric tons
  - Capital Investment = \$4.25 million
  - Simple Payback = 8.9 years
  - 20 Year ROI = 7.2%
  - 20 Year IRR = 9.8%

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# Results

## • Alternative Findings & Recommendations: Satellite Facilities

Case	Solar PV (kW)	Wind Turbine (kW)	NG Recip (kW)	Battery Storage (kWh)	Net Present Cost (\$)	Operating Cost (\$/yr)	Initial Capital Cost (\$)	Fuel cost (\$/yr)	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions (tonne/yr)	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (tonne/yr)	CO <sub>2</sub> e Emissions Reduction (%)	Return on Investment (%)	Internal Rate of Return (%)	Simple Payback (yr)	Utility Bill Savings (\$/yr)
Base Case	-	-	-	-	\$42,237,770	\$ 3,502,872	-	-	19,152	-	-	-	-	-	-
Top 3 NPC	2,100	-	1,000	2,000	\$40,457,460	\$ 3,002,765	\$ 4,250,000	\$ 37,083	17,513	1,639	8.6%	7.2%	9.8%	8.9	\$ 528,879
	2,100	-	1,000	-	\$40,556,220	\$ 3,019,249	\$ 4,150,000	\$ 47,267	17,496	1,656	8.6%	7.0%	9.6%	9.0	\$ 520,778
	-	-	1,500	2,000	\$41,000,750	\$ 3,267,592	\$ 1,600,000	\$ 55,092	19,106	45	0.2%	10.1%	13.2%	7.0	\$ 295,992
Solar PV Only	2,100	-	-	-	\$41,552,280	\$ 3,184,786	\$ 3,150,000	\$ -	17,540	1,612	8.4%	5.5%	7.7%	10.5	\$ 302,960
	2,000	-	-	-	\$41,553,180	\$ 3,197,301	\$ 3,000,000	\$ -	17,617	1,535	8.0%	5.6%	7.8%	10.4	\$ 291,165
	1,800	-	-	-	\$41,554,990	\$ 3,222,330	\$ 2,700,000	\$ -	17,770	1,381	7.2%	5.8%	8.1%	10.2	\$ 267,576
Wind Turbine Only	-	750	-	-	\$42,926,640	\$ 3,435,604	\$ 1,500,000	\$ -	18,626	526	2.7%	-0.5%	-	-	\$ 82,269
	-	1,000	-	-	\$43,179,830	\$ 3,415,134	\$ 2,000,000	\$ -	18,451	701	3.7%	-0.6%	-	-	\$ 107,738
	-	1,250	-	-	\$43,447,380	\$ 3,395,857	\$ 2,500,000	\$ -	18,276	876	4.6%	-0.7%	-	-	\$ 132,015
NG Recip Only	-	-	1,500	-	\$41,092,910	\$ 3,283,528	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 63,752	19,092	60	0.3%	10.0%	13.1%	7.1	\$ 286,568
	-	-	1,250	-	\$41,115,650	\$ 3,306,147	\$ 1,250,000	\$ 40,020	19,114	37	0.2%	11.4%	14.1%	6.8	\$ 232,215
	-	-	1,750	-	\$41,201,680	\$ 3,271,815	\$ 1,750,000	\$ 84,483	19,073	79	0.4%	8.4%	11.6%	7.8	\$ 325,315
Battery Storage Only	-	-	-	200	\$42,131,540	\$ 3,485,769	\$ 100,000	\$ -	19,152	(0)	0.0%	12.3%	17.0%	5.3	\$ 20,942
	-	-	-	300	\$42,135,690	\$ 3,481,967	\$ 150,000	\$ -	19,152	(0)	0.0%	9.1%	13.1%	6.3	\$ 26,663
	-	-	-	400	\$42,154,660	\$ 3,479,393	\$ 200,000	\$ -	19,152	(1)	0.0%	6.9%	10.2%	7.4	\$ 31,156

# Satisfaction

- **What did Mayo Clinic get from the Evaluation?**
  - Confirmation?
  - Direction?
  - Alternatives?

# Satisfaction

- **Lessons Learned**

- **Data Gathering**

- The most time consuming part of the process
    - Introduces the most inaccuracies and errors – ***must correlate to invoiced cost and usage***
    - Different data sources often come in different formats – ***must translate to a single format for modeling***
      - *e.g., utility electric interval data typically 15 or 30 minute; other metered data may be hourly or daily, etc.*

- **Modeling**

- HOMER Grid has advantages but any “off the shelf” tool requires some customization or “trickery”
    - I still like to run my own Excel based templates to confirm some data and results, and to present as I like

- **Clarifications**

- Iterative communication with your client to ensure accuracies
      - *Current System*
      - *Data*
      - *Future Planning*

# Satisfaction

- **Follow-up / Next Steps**
  - *What Does Mayo Clinic plan to do with these results?*
    - Short-term
    - Long-term

# Satisfaction

- **The Future – Changing World Creating New Opportunities & Risks**
  - **RPU Renewable Energy Goals**
    - 100% Renewable by 2030
  - **Changing Market Cost of Power and Nat Gas**
  - **Technology Changes**
    - Declining Costs for Solar, Battery Storage, Other Storage
  - **Regulatory Changes**
  - **Potential Price on Carbon**

# Thank you!!

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