



Energy Trust of Oregon A hybrid approach to ratepayer-funded energy efficiency

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Fertile Ground for Energy Efficiency



- More than 30 years of investment in energy efficiency policy and achievements
- 3 main elements:
 - 1. 1970s Progressive Oregon legislation
 - 1980 NW Power Planning and Conservation Act
 - 3. Regional collaboration





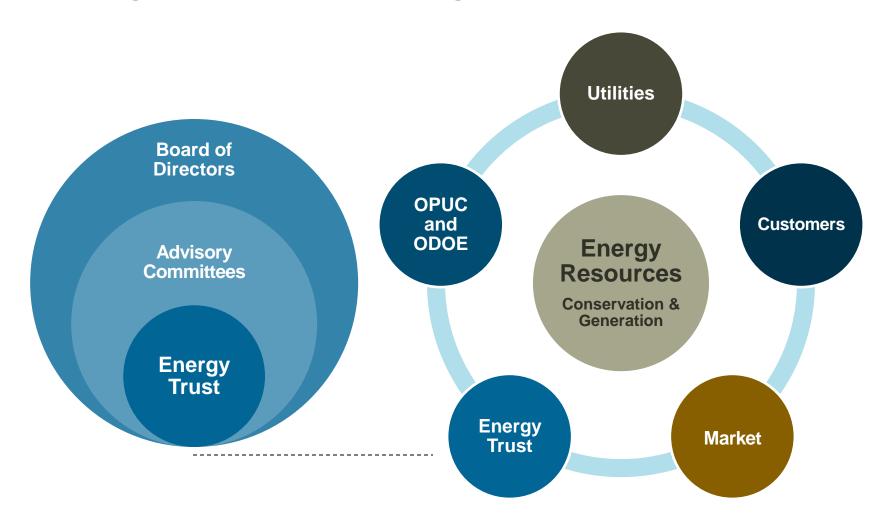


 $"Sometimes\ I\ think\ the\ collaborative\ process\ would\ work\ better\ without\ you."$





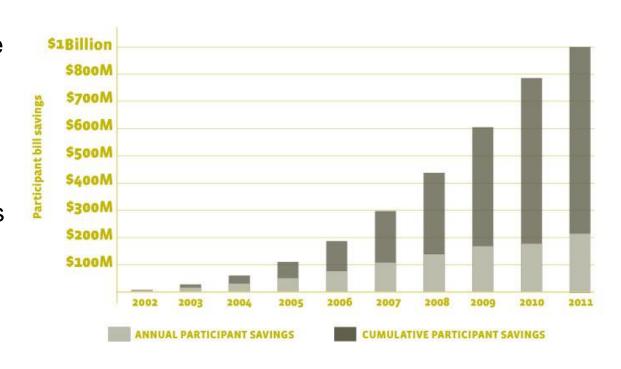
A Single Purpose Organization





Results Exceed Expectations

- 426 average megawatts saved and generated – more than a coal plant
- 23.3 million annual therms saved
- Enough energy to power 320,000 homes and heat 45,700 homes
- \$1 billion saved on participant's energy bills
- Offset \$2.16 billion in fuel and infrastructure investment







Top 10 Strengths of the ETO Model

- Mission driven
- 2. Stable funding
- 3. Comprehensive services
- 4. Objectivity
- 5. Evaluation
- 6. Leverage
- 7. Low administrative costs
- 8. Transparency
- 9. Accountability
- 10. Sharing lessons learned







Ingredients for Success for Any Model



- 1. Innovation
- 2. Flexibility
- 3. Streamlining
- 4. A balanced portfolio
- 5. Engagement





Outside the Efficiency Box

- Beyond costeffectiveness
 - Economic development
 - Job creation
 - Sustainability
 - Energy independence
- Scalability
 - Community
 - Private sector leverage
 - R&D
 - Policy shifts







Creating a New Future

"Opportunity is missed by most because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work."

- Thomas Alva Edison







Thank You!



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