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Energy & Water Reporting & Benchmarking (EWRB)

Building's ... is it your turn to report?

The Province of Ontario's mandatory Energy & Water Reporting and Benchmarking (EWRB) regulation began a phase in process starting in 2018, where buildings meeting the size threshold are required to report annual energy and water consumption and performance data. As of 2020 the regulation is full in place, and most buildings over 50,000 square feet will be required to report. This Breakfast Seminar, featuring presentations by Hydro Ottawa and Enbridge Gas, will explain to you the requirements under the legislation, the timetable for reporting and how to get the information you will need.

Session Objectives

- Who does the EWRB regulation apply to and when
- What are the reporting requirements under EWRB
- Where can you get the data you need for reporting
- How can Hydro Ottawa and Enbridge help improve your energy standing

Under the Ontario's EWRB regulation, most buildings over 50,000 square feet will need to report their water and energy use once a year. The government has proposed raising the threshold, however no final decision has been made. The reporting deadline each year is July 1.

The objective of the Ontario government is to motivate building owners to compete with one another and strive to improve their building performance, allow property and financial markets to compare building performance, show the benefits of investing in energy efficiency, help building owners compare the energy performance of similar buildings in their portfolio, through Energy Star scoring.

If your building contains multiple utility accounts which you may not control (e.g. retail tenants) you may need to request aggregated monthly data from your local utility company. It is crucial to understand this process and to request the data well in advance of the July 1st reporting deadline.

With a heightened focus on building energy and water performance, building owners will be looking for cost effective ways to improve building efficiency. Existing programs and incentives can help with the upfront capital cost of making your building cheaper to operate and more attractive for potential tenants.

Buildings larger than 100,000 square feet, must get the building's energy use data verified by an accredited or certified professional in the first year of reporting and every five years after that.

Schedule

- 7:30 Registration & Breakfast Opens — Networking
- 8:00 Seminar Introduction EWRB: What is it, who is affected
- 8:15 What to report and where to get the Data
- 8:45 Hydro Ottawa Programs to assist with energy reduction
- 9:00 Enbridge Gas EWRB process & energy efficiency programs
- 9:15 Q&A
- 9:30 Closing remarks

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