



CASE STUDY

## COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF RHODE ISLAND, RI

### TECHNOLOGY TYPE

ENERGY/WATER CONSERVATION  
ENERGY SAVINGS PERFORMANCE CONTRACT  
GUARANTEED ENERGY SAVINGS

### FACILITY SIZE

1.1  
MILLION SQ FT  
(4 CAMPUSES)

### ESPC ENERGY PROJECT SIZE

\$14.8  
MILLION

### ANNUAL CO<sub>2</sub> SAVED

4,900  
METRIC TONS

ESPC ANNUAL ENERGY SAVINGS:

\$1,200,000

## SUMMARY

The Community College of Rhode Island (CCRI) partnered with Ameresco to complete a series of infrastructure improvements to increase energy efficiency and save on annual costs.

## SERVICES PROVIDED

CCRI and Ameresco partnered under a 15 year Energy Savings Performance Contract with no initial capital costs to CCRI. Ameresco implemented building improvements to improve CCRI's sustainability across its four campuses.

- New energy efficient building equipment
- Alternative natural gas fuel source
- Lighting system improvements

“ Through our partnership with Ameresco, we have improved our sustainability while also realizing significant cost savings that can be reinvested in infrastructure to further enhance student life. ”

Ray Di Pasquale  
*President, Community College of Rhode Island*

## CUSTOMER BENEFITS

This budget neutral project maximized efficiency of the CCRI campuses, enabling CCRI to apply cost savings from energy efficient equipment to help renew campus facilities and building systems.

- Saves equivalent of 4,900 metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> per year
- Reduced energy and water costs
- Reduced maintenance needs
- Improved indoor air quality

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