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# 839 Yonge Street Energy Strategy

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# Executive Summary

The following report presents the findings of the energy study performed for Canadian Tire Real Estate Limited a proposed mixed-used development located at 839 Yonge Street.

The purpose of this report is to provide an energy strategy that will help the proposed building design to achieve the compliance with Toronto Green Standards (TGS), and explore the opportunities toward achieving net zero development.

This report is in support of an Official Plan Amendment and Zoning Bylaw Amendment application.

## PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The proposed development is comprised of:

- Mixed Used Residential /Commercial Area GFA : 1,028,036 sf (95,582 sm) above grade, 428,209 sf (39,782 sm) below grade
- Residential GFA: 919,700 sf (85,443 sm)
- Commercial GFA: 109135,582 sf (10,139 sm)
- Total number of residential units: 950
- Total number of Floors: 50

## ENERGY CONSERVATION DESIGN FEATURES

The design assumptions were determined from information available and with the intent of meeting the energy requirement of Toronto Green Standard (TGS) V4 Tier 1 as a minimum Code requirement and with the goal to strive for a higher level of energy performance. The detailed energy model inputs can be found in Appendix A. The following **Energy Conservation Measures (ECMs)** are incorporated in this proposed building design:

- Exterior walls with effective R-8 (including thermal bridging)
- Built-up roof with effective R-30 roofs
- Exposed floors with effective R-30
- Below grade walls with effective R-20
- Glazing performance: U-0.32 (including center of glass and frame) and 0.3 SHGC
- 40% Window to Wall Ratio (WWR)
- Corridor Ventilation of 15 CFM/Suite
- In-suite ventilation energy recovery provided for dwelling units: 70% sensible and 65% latent effectiveness
- Reduce service water demand 48% below NECB 2015, by installing low-flow water fixture
- Install demand control ventilation in amenity spaces
- Reduced Lighting Power Densities (LPD) 30% below 2017 Ontario Building Code SB-10 requirements values
- Reduced Infiltration by 25%
- High efficiency condensing boilers;

- Variable speed control on all fans and pumps.
- High efficiency condensing gas-fired service water heater for the residential suites: 96% efficiency

## ENERGY PERFORMANCE

The energy use intensity (EUI) of the proposed design is 119.5 ekWh/sm, meeting (TGS) V4 Tier 1 targets for total EUI, TEDI and GHG emissions.

- TEUI (ekWh/sm): 119.5
- TEDI (ekWh/sm): 30.3
- GHGI (kgCO<sub>2</sub>e/sm): 13.3
- Emissions determined from SB-10 2017 Table 1.1.2.2
- Using current average prices: Electricity \$0.16/kWh and Natural Gas = \$0.256/m<sup>3</sup>

Additional Energy Conservation Measures (ECMs) have been applied to the proposed design in order to reduce the overall energy consumption and to achieve compliance with the different TGS v4 tiers. A detailed list of ECMs and energy analysis summary are provided in Appendix B.

Three (3) mechanical design options have been considered as part of the analysis:

- Option 1: Conventional Hydronic Central Plant (Boilers and Chillers)
- Option 2: Water Source Heat Pump (WSHP) system (DX cooling, backup boilers, cooling towers)
- Option 3: Ground Source Heat Pump (GSHP) system

The implemented ECMs will vary with the different options, considering that HVAC system efficiency will increase between the options (GSHP is more efficient than WSHP, WSHP is more efficient than the conventional system).

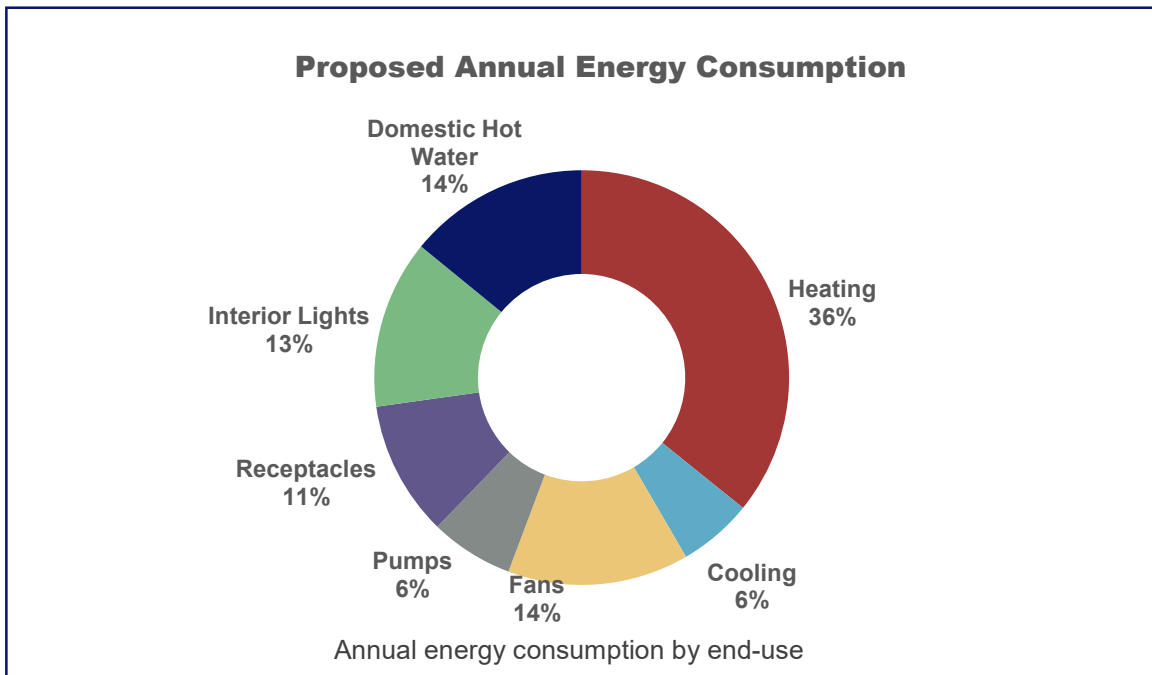
Thermal Energy Demand Intensity (TEDI) is not impacted by the mechanical system efficiency and type; so improving the envelope and the ventilation efficiency will be required to achieve the TEDI target regardless of the HVAC system performance.

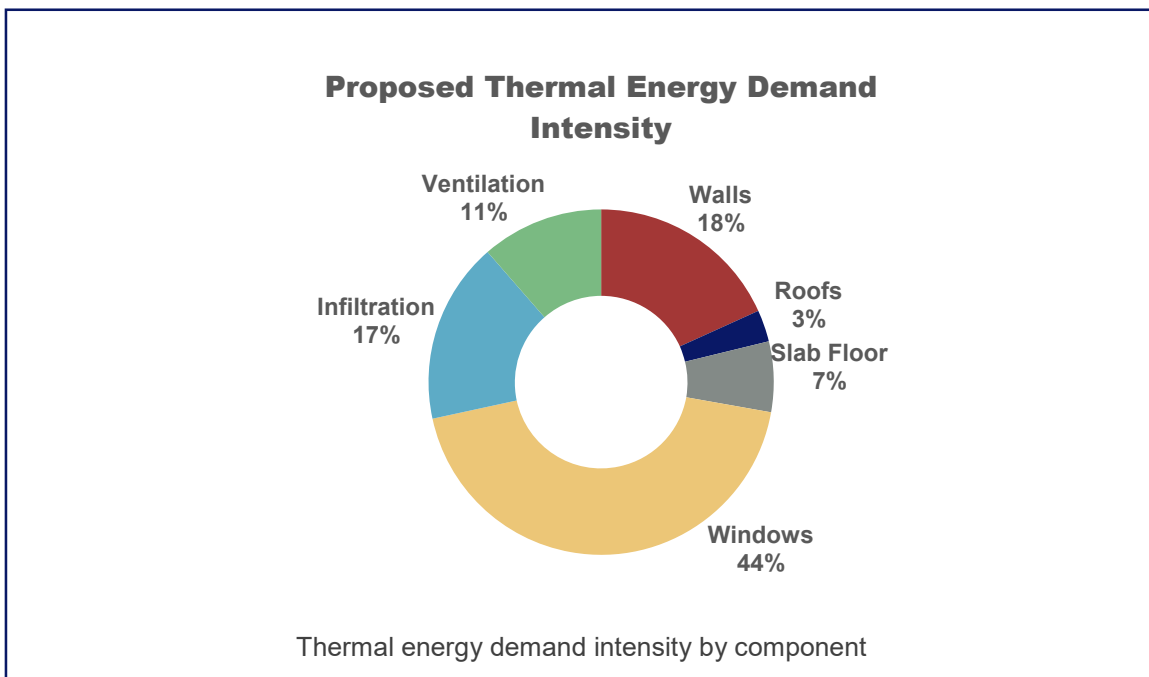
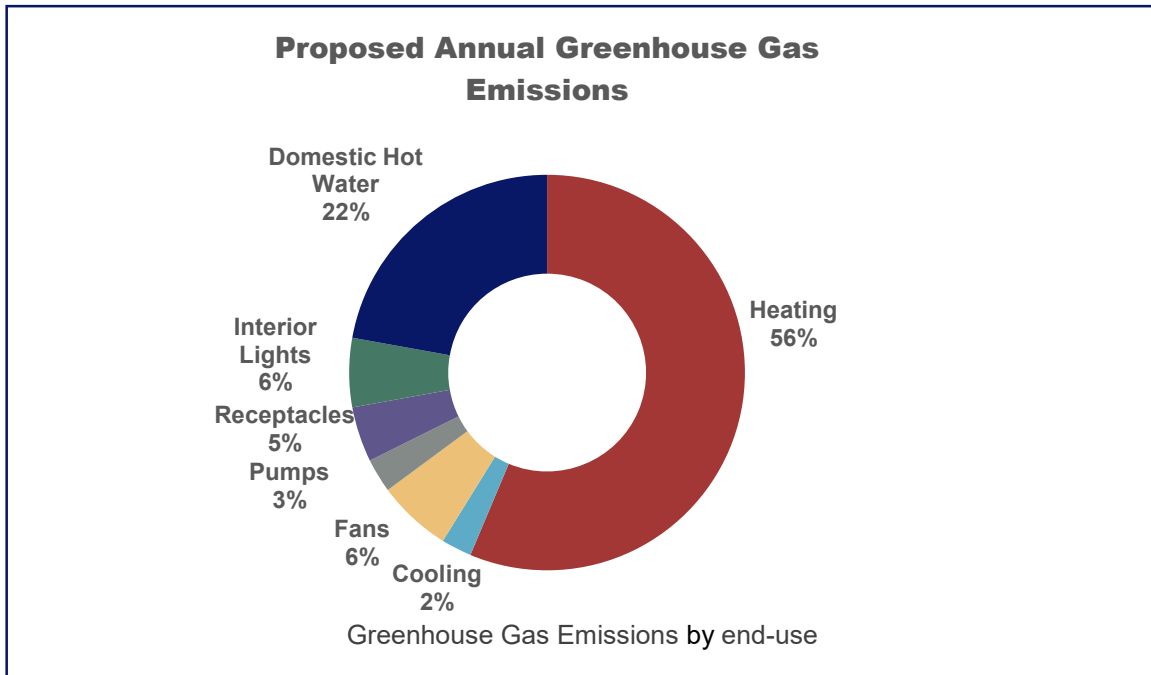
# Results Summary

Table 1: ECMs Analysis Summary

Design Case	Description	TEUI (kWh/m <sup>2</sup> )	TEDI (kWh/m <sup>2</sup> )	GHGI (kg eCO <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>2</sup> )	Energy Savings	Cost Savings	GHG Savings
Baseline Design	As per Input Summary	152.8	48.5	17.8	-	-	-
Proposed Tier 1	As per ECM Summary	119.5	30.3	13.3	21.8%	17.5%	25.2%
Proposed Tier 2	As per ECM Summary	81.8	25.4	7.9	46.5%	20.7%	55.9%
Proposed Tier 3	As per ECM Summary	48.6	16.5	2.4	62.7%	22.2%	84.0%

Refer to Appendix C for a detailed list of all ECMs considered.





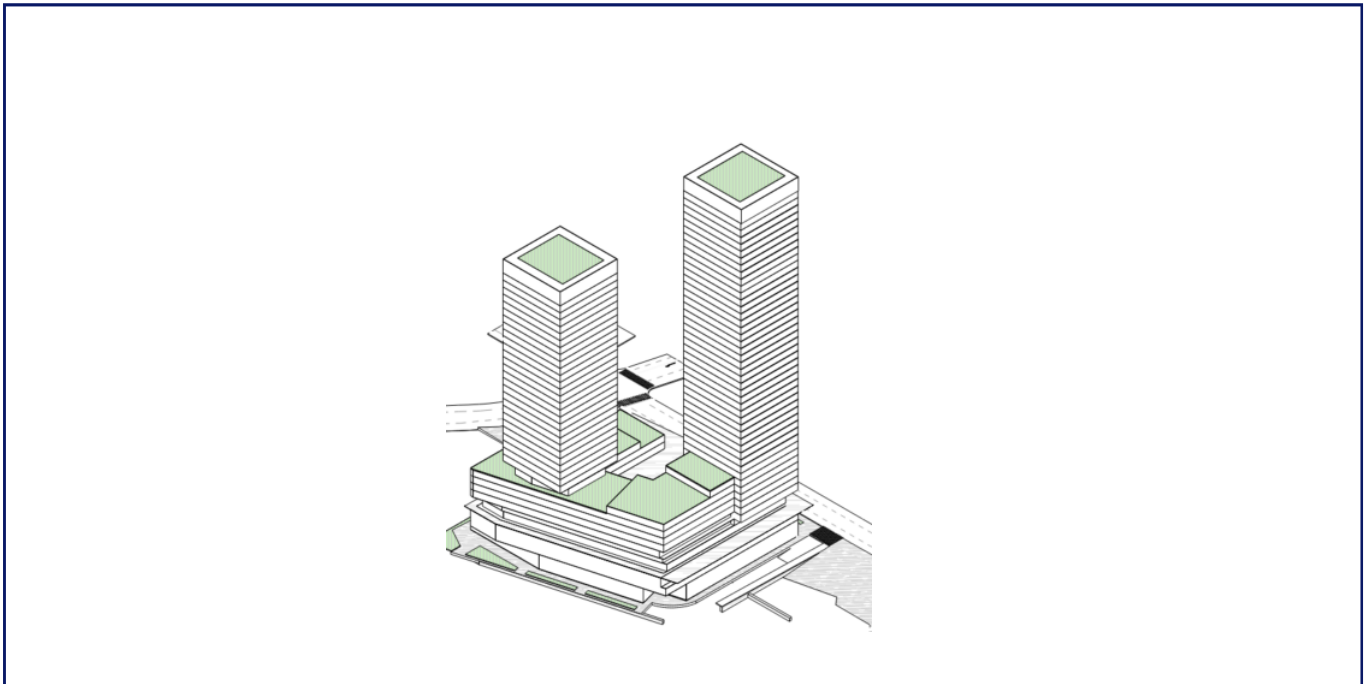
# Base Building Design Description

## MASSING & ORIENTATION

The nature of the site and purpose of the proposed development lends itself to a large amount of occupied perimeter spaces.

## DAYLIGHTING

The proposed building's form and function promote daylighting mainly for residential units, as all units have exterior glazed exposure.





## THERMAL PERFORMANCE

The envelope thermal performance values have been estimated based on previous projects with the intent of meeting the 2017 Ontario Building Code SB-10 requirements.

- Exterior wall with R-6.4 effective performance including thermal bridging. Exterior walls were assumed to consist of spandrel panel with back pan insulation and interior insulation between the studs.
- Roof/Soffit/Parking Garage plenum: R-20
- Glazing System U value is 0.34 Btu/h sf °F. Overall U value is estimated based on typical curtain wall sizes.

## LIGHTING

The baseline lighting targets are set equal to or better than the 2017 Ontario Building Code SB-10 requirements. LED lighting fixtures are required in the proposed design to achieve these lighting power density targets.

## APPLIANCES

All in-suite appliances have been set to ENERGY STAR® minimum requirements.

## HEATING AND COOLING

### Conventional Central Heating Plant

Central boilers and chillers will serve the proposed development. The following list summarizes the baseline mechanical design. Detailed model inputs and performances can be found in Appendix A.

- Central Heating and cooling are provided by condensing water loop connected to high efficiency natural gas hot water heaters and fluid coolers.

### Heat Pump

Two heat pump systems have been considered in this study; Water Source Heat pump (WSHP) and Ground Source Heat Pump (GSHP). WSHPs are used to provide local space conditioning using DX coils for cooling and hot water coils for heating.

For the WSHP, heating and cooling are provided by condensing water loop connected to high efficiency natural gas hot water heaters and fluid coolers.

For the GSHP, the building HVAC will exchange energy with the ground which typically have a constant temperature after specific depth.

## VENTILATION

Dwelling unit ventilation is provided by in suite energy recovery ventilators, whereas lobby and amenity ventilation as well as corridor pressurization is provided by a hydronic make up air unit.

Amenity and corridor ventilation accounts for over 30% of the total proposed design ventilation. Measures to reduce the corridor ventilation load are explored in Appendix B.

The ventilation is provided by MUAs connected to fan coil systems, the proposed model is assumed to have energy

## **DOMESTIC HOT WATER**

Domestic hot water is provided by high efficiency condensing domestic water heaters. Low flow fixtures have been incorporated into the proposed design. Opportunity to further reduce the domestic hot water load is assessed as an conservation measure.

# Energy Conservation Measures

Energy conservation measures were determined by first examining where the proposed building design loads could be reduced. Many load reduction measures have been incorporated into the proposed design: good envelope performance, ventilation energy recovery in residential suites, and low flow plumbing fixtures. The following items provide the most opportunity for further load reduction:

- Glazing
- Domestic Hot Water
- Corridor Ventilation
- Building Air Tightness
- Mechanical System Type

The proposed energy measures and additional measures will be analyzed at time of detailed design; in order to ensure that final selected ECMs are applicable to the project and economically feasible.

## GLAZING

### Reduced Glazing Area

Heat loss and heat gains through glazing are major contributors to heating and cooling loads. Reducing the total glazed area is the most cost effective way to reduce energy consumption. Designing to achieve a 40% window to wall ratio is ideal from an energy perspective as this helps reduce cooling loads and heating losses, while allowing enough glazing area to maintain daylighting and sufficient heat gain during bright winter and shoulder season days.

### Improved Window Performance

Three glazing performance measures were analyzed:

- Conventional double glaze system with lower solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC);
- High-performance double glaze system (lower U-value) with higher SHGC to allow more passive heating
- Triple glaze system (lower U-value) with higher SHGC to allow more passive heating

There is a trade-off between heating and cooling loads, as reduced solar heat gain increases heating loads. The cost of electricity is much higher than natural gas, so reducing the solar heat gain coefficient will reduce energy costs far more than energy and emissions. Reducing solar heat gain coefficients is achieved through various low-e coatings and is less expensive than improving both U-value and solar heat gain coefficient. Window U-value improvements are achieved through increasing the number of panes (i.e. triple glazed) or increasing the thermal break of aluminum frames.

### **Lower Flow Fixtures**

Low flow water fixtures, such as 1.9 Litre per minute (LPM) lavatory faucets and 3.8 LPM kitchen sinks should have negligible incremental capital costs and will reduce the domestic hot water load by 48%.

### **Drain Water Heat Recovery**

Utilizing drain water recovery entails separating toilet drain piping to capture waste heat from lavatories, showers and sinks. The savings are estimated using a recovery effectiveness of 30%. Incremental costs are estimated at \$500/dwelling unit.

Low flow fixtures conflict with this strategy, as separating the plumbing makes it more difficult to achieve proper waste flushing. Lower flow fixtures are a more feasible measure to reduce the total domestic hot water load.

### **Solar Domestic Water Heaters**

Solar domestic water heaters were analyzed as an alternative to photovoltaics serving the electrical load of the building.

The solar domestic water heater was run in conjunction with lower flow fixtures to reduce initial system sizing and costs. System loads and sizing would need to be calculated during detailed design. Additionally, space restraints might not allow for backup and storage equipment or the solar collectors.

### **Electric Domestic Water Heaters**

Electric domestic water heaters were analyzed as an alternative to **Natural Gas (NG)** heaters as a measure to achieve greenhouse gas emissions required by Tier 4

## **CORRIDOR VENTILATION**

### **Ventilation Energy Recovery**

Ventilation energy recovery is incorporated in the dwelling units of the base design case; however, corridor make up air represents over 30% of the total ventilation provided. Ducting the exhaust air back to these units is typically not practical. The additional cost of incorporating energy recovery on the corridor ventilation units would be substantial considering the additional space and ductwork required. It is recommended that alternative strategies also be investigated to reduce the load of the corridor ventilation air.

## **GROUND SOURCE HEAT PUMPS (GEOTHERMAL)**

Ground source heat pumps use the mass of the earth to improve the performance of a vapour compression refrigeration cycle which can heat in winter and cool in summer. Glycol is passed through vertical or horizontal piping loops between the building and the ground. The fluid absorbs heat from the ground in winter months and rejects heat to the ground in the summer months. The soil remains at a relatively constant temperatures and essentially serves as a highly efficient heat rejection medium.

Since this would be below the below grade building levels, the construction of the geothermal field would need to be coordinated with the overall building construction plan and may extend the construction schedule.

Integrating geothermal into the building is typically done in two ways. The heat can be transferred with a water-to-water heat pump (centralized system) or multiple water-to-air heat pumps (distributed system). Multi-unit residential buildings utilize distributed heat pump systems as typically the mechanical designs are already distributed systems i.e. fan coils.

It is important to note that ground source heat pumps shift the primary source of heating energy from natural gas to electricity. The discrepancy between the cost of electricity and the cost of natural gas results in a discrepancy between energy and energy cost savings. Current average electricity cost is ~ \$0.16/kWh, whereas the average natural gas costs is (\$0.25/m<sup>3</sup>). Therefore energy cost savings will be far less significant than energy savings when compared to a natural gas heated reference building.

The incremental geothermal system capital costs and discrepancy in utility costs due to switching from natural gas to electric heating make it imperative that the base building heating and cooling loads are reduced as much as possible. There is potential to see cost benefits associated with ground source heat pumps when the overall building loads have been reduced first.

There is no cost benefit to ground source heat pumps as an individual measure; however, combined with decreased glazing area, improved glazing performance, as well as solar strategies that reduce the ventilation and domestic water heating load, ground source heat pumps play a key role in achieving lower energy use intensities.

## COMBINED HEAT & POWER

Combined heat and power systems (CHP) are on site electricity production systems that are specifically designed to recover waste heat from the electricity production process for the use in heating, cooling, or process applications. A properly designed CHP plant can be twice as efficient as a typical fossil fuel power plant, converting up to 80% of the energy from input fuel into electricity and useful heat.

The most successful applications for CHP involve projects where the demands for electricity and heat align. Projects with central heating and cooling plants such as university campuses, provide a good match for CHP systems because an infrastructure for distributing the heating and cooling already exist and there is generally a continuous or large demand for simultaneous electricity and heat. When electricity and heating demands are not in synchronization, the efficiency and feasibility of a CHP is reduced. Increasing the carbon emission associated with CHP design for this application will significantly reduces the chance to meet TGS V3 targets and therefore not recommended for this project.

## PHOTOVOLTAICS

Photovoltaic (PV) cells capture sunlight to generate electricity. PV cells, or solar cells, are arranged together in a module to collect sunlight and convert it into usable electricity. The electricity can be used as a partial or complete supply for a building's electricity needs. Excess electricity can be relayed back to the electricity grid or stored in batteries. Larger area modules with the same efficiency will produce more electricity. PV cells are most efficient in direct sunlight and lose efficiency with shading, dirty surfaces, and heating of the cells. Therefore, the location and orientation of the panels affects their output.

The proportion of proposed building area to total site area limits the potential for onsite electricity production through PV. Considering this project limitation, it is more beneficial to integrate other solar strategies such as solar domestic hot water.

# Results Summary Energy Conservation Measures

Please refer to Appendix B to review the ECM table.

## TORONTO GREEN STANDARD TIER 1

### Water Source Heat Pump System

- Exterior walls with effective R-8 (including thermal bridging)
- Built-up roof with effective R-30
- Below grade walls with effective R-20
- Exposed floors with effective R-30
- Insulated Floor (Parking & Level 1) effective R-20
- Glazing performance: U-0.32 (including center of glass and frame) and 0.30 SHGC
- 40% Window to Wall Ratio (WWR)
- Corridor Ventilation of 15 CFM/Suite
- Install Demand Control Ventilation (DCV) in commercial spaces and amenities
- In-suite ventilation energy recovery provided for dwelling units: 65% sensible and 60% latent effectiveness
- Heat Pump heating COP 3.5, cooling EER 14
- Multi-speed Heat Pump ECM Fan motors
- Recue Lighting Power Densities (LPD) 30% below 2017 Ontario Building Code SB-10 requirements value
- Reduced Infiltration by 25%

## TORONTO GREEN STANDARD TIER 2

### Tier 1 Plus

#### Ground Source Heat Pump System

- Exterior walls with effective R-10 (including thermal bridging)
- Built-up roof with effective R-30
- Below grade walls with effective R-25
- Exposed floors with effective R-30
- Insulated Floor (Parking & Level 1) effective R-20
- Glazing performance: U-0.25 (include center of glass and frame) and 0.4 SHGC
- 40% Window to Wall Ratio (WWR)

- Corridor Ventilation of 15 CFM/Suite
- Reduced Infiltration by 25%
- Install Demand Control Ventilation (DCV) in commercial spaces and amenities
- In-suite ventilation energy recovery provided for dwelling units: 75% sensible and 70% latent effectiveness
- Natural Gas DHW system 96%
- Reduce service water demand 48% below NECB 2015, by installing low-flow water fixture or drain water recovery
- Heat Pump COP 4.0, EER 16.8

### **TORONTO GREEN STANDARD TIER 3**

#### **Tier 2 Plus**

##### **Ground Source Heat Pump System**

- Exterior walls with effective R-16 (including thermal bridging)
- Built-up roof with effective R-30
- Exposed floors with effective R-30
- Below grade walls effective R-25
- Insulated Floor (Parking & Level 1) effective R-20
- Reduce air leakage 20% below the air-leakage level required by the NECB 2015 requirements
- Glazing performance: U-0.17 (include center of glass and frame) and 0.4 SHGC
- 35% Window to Wall Ratio (WWR)
- Corridor Ventilation 10 CFM/Suite,
- Reduced Infiltration by 50%
- Install Demand Control Ventilation (DCV) in commercial spaces and amenities
- In-suite ventilation energy recovery provided for dwelling units: 80% sensible and 75% latent effectiveness;
- Recue Lighting Power Densities (LPD) 25% below NECB 2015 requirements values
- Use Air Source Heat Pump DHW system with COP-2.1
- Reduce service water demand 48% below NECB 2015, by installing low-flow water fixture or drain water recovery
- Heat Pump COP 4.0, EER 16.8
- Elevator consumption reduced by 25%

# Energy Resilience

Standard practice for multi-unit residential buildings is to provide backup power systems that cover all life safety requirements and base buildings loads such as pressurization fans, boilers, sump pumps and domestic hot water systems. Diesel generators are more common than natural gas generators since natural gas generators cost approximately double and are larger than their diesel counterparts are.

Additionally natural gas generators above 350kW have difficulty meeting the 15-second maximum time allowance for life safety equipment to come back on. Multiple or twin generators could address this concern. The benefits of natural gas generators are lower NO<sub>x</sub> emissions as well as a constantly available fuel supply that does not have to be delivered.

The distribution and sizing of the backup systems will need to consider Ministry of Environment and Climate Change requirements for NO<sub>x</sub> emissions. Typically, the generators must be located at higher levels such as a penthouse to satisfy the emissions requirements. A typical design for this development would locate a single generator at the top of the building.



# Appendix A: Energy Modelling Assumptions

## MODEL SUMMARY

Project Title	839 Yonge Street
Date	31/05/2022
Location	Toronto
Software	eQuest 3.65 7173 DOE 2.2
Weather File	CAN_ON_Toronto-City.Centre.715080_CWEC2016.BIN

## BUILDING SUMMARY

Project Size	1,028,836 sf
Total Number of Residential Units	950

## OPAQUE ENVELOPE

	Design	
	Description	Performance
Overall Wall	Curtain/window wall/EIFS combined	R-6.4
Roof/Exposed Floor	TBD	R-20

## GLAZING

	Design	
	Description	Performance
U-value (effective)	Preliminary Design Information	0.34
SHGC		0.34
Window-to-Wall Ratio		50%

**INTERIOR LIGHTING**

	Design	
	Description/Controls	LPD (W/sf)
Amenity & Lobby	Targets per SB-10 2017	1.07
Corridor		0.66
Dwelling Unit		0.46
Locker		0.43
Mechanical / Electrical		0.43
Parking Garage		0.14
Stairs		0.58
Office		0.93
Conference / meeting / multi-purpose		0.96
Storage		0.63

**ELECTRICAL**

Load	Design	
	Description	Power or Power Density
Amenity & Lobby	ASHRAE default per space type	0.09 W/sf
Dwelling Unit	Energy Star® appliances	0.46 W/sf
Miscellaneous Fans and Pumps	Preliminary estimate Total power de rated for varying schedules	6.23 kW
Elevator		140 kW

**WATER-SIDE**

	<b>Design Description Performance</b>
Hot Water	Natural gas condensing boilers, 91.5% thermal efficiency Setpoints (supply/return): 130 / 100 °F Pump Power: 19 w/gpm (includes primary and secondary)
Condenser	Fluid cooler, efficiencies per ASHRAE 90.1-2013 + VFDs Setpoints (supply/return): 95/ 105 °F Pump Power: 22 w/gpm (includes primary and secondary)
Domestic Hot Water	Natural gas condensing water heaters, 95% thermal efficiency Supply Temperature: 140F  Modelled Peak Lavs 3.8 LPM   Showers 5.7 LPM   Kitchen sink 5.7 LPM Residential : 19.8 gpm Commercial: 1.19 gpm

**AIR-SIDE HVAC**

	<b>Design Description Performance</b>
MUAs - Residential Corridors, main lobby and amenities	DOAS Supplying tempered ventilation air at 30 cfm per suite to corridors and lobbies Supply Fan kW/cfm: 0.0009 with Variable Speed Fan Hydronic Heating & Cooling Coils
MUAs - Office Fancoil and ERVs Condo	Ventilation Provided in accordance with ASHRAE 62.1-2010 directly to suite via ERV 1 bedroom 50 cfm   2 bedroom 75 cfm   3 bedroom 100 cfm  ERV Performance Energy Recovery: 70% Sensible, 60% latent effectiveness Fans: ECM motors, 0.0006 kW/cfm  Fan Coil Performance Fans: Two Speed with ECM motors Constant speed kW/cfm: 0.0003  Exhaust Fans: Washroom: 30 Watts Kitchen Hood: 50 Watts Dryer: 50 Watts

Heating Only Spaces  
Hot Water Force Flow  
Heaters

Fan Coil Performance  
Fans: Constant volume, with ECM motors  
kW/cfm: 0.00015  
65 °F Heating Setpoint

# Appendix B: Energy Conservation Measures Summary

## ARCHITECTURAL

### Reduce Window-to-Wall Ratio

- Window to wall ratio 50%, 40% and 30%;
- No incremental cost;
- Recommend utilizing this overall window to wall ratio;

### Low-e Performance

- Assumed high performance double glazing, centre of glass SHGC = 0.27;
- Same frame performance, substantial thermal breaks with insulating spacers;
- Reduced the cooling load substantially; however the reduced solar heat gain increased space heating loads and resulted in an increased total energy use;
- Other methods of solar control incorporated into the base design, therefore not recommended in this application;

### Triple Glazed

- Assumed high performance triple glazing U values = 0.3 – 0.2 and 0.14;
- Same frame performance, substantial thermal breaks with insulating spacers;
- Reduced heating load substantially;
- Recommend combining improved U-value with improved SHGC for more balances savings;
- Incremental cost are quite substantial, however lower U-values are required to meet the TGS Tier 3 and 4 targets;

### Increased Wall Performance

- Increasing to overall R-10 can be achieved by insulation between studs and also back pan insulation;
- Increasing to overall R-15 can be achieved by eliminating the spandrels, and increasing performance in architect details of the envelope
- Increasing to overall R-20 can be achieved by removing the balconies which results in significant reduction in thermal bridging, and improving solid wall construction

## DOMESTIC HOT WATER

### Lower Flow Fixtures

- 1.8 LPM lavatory & 3.8 LPM sink, reduces domestic hot water loads by ~11%;
- Negligible incremental cost;
- Recommend using lower flow fixtures;

### Domestic Water Drain Recovery

- Savings estimated using a recovery effectiveness of 30%;
- \$500/dwelling unit;
- Low flow fixtures conflict with this strategy, as separating the plumbing makes it more difficult to achieve proper waste flushing;
- Not recommended in this application;

### Solar Domestic Water Heater

- Backup system and thermal storage will be required;
- Assumed 30% annual load not met by solar;
- This measure was run using the lower flow fixtures to reduce initial system sizing and costs;
- Cost estimated at \$500/square meter of collector;
- System loads and sizing would need to be calculated during detailed design;
- Space restraints might not allow for backup and storage equipment or the solar collectors;

## VENTILATION

### Corridor Ventilation

- Reducing the corridor ventilation to 20 CFM per suite down to 0.06 CFM per suite to achieve TGS Tier 2 and 3 targets;
- Further reduction to achieve .06 CFM/sf outdoor air is required to achieve Tier 4 TEDI number. In this situation, no direct exhaust from the suites are acceptable and recirculation range hoods and condensing dryers would be required;

## CENTRAL HEATING & COOLING PLANT

### Ground Source Heat Pumps (GSHP)

- Whole building served by GSHP; heating COP = 4, cooling EER = 17;
- Incremental costs do not account for soft costs such as design, or project specific limitations such as the ground loop being below the parking garage;
- GSHP systems have better payback when coupled with reduced building demands;

### **Combined Heat & Power**

- Cost decreases, however energy and emissions increase;
- Not recommended for this application;

# Appendix C: Results Summary

Design Case	Description	TEUI (kWh/m <sup>2</sup> )	TEDI (kWh/m <sup>2</sup> )	GHGI (kg eCO <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>2</sup> )	Energy Savings	Cost Savings	GHG Savings
<b>Baseline Design</b>	As per Input Summary	152.8	48.5	17.8	-	-	-
<b>Envelope</b>							
<b>01</b>	Reduce 45% WWR	152.6	54.0	18.6	0.1%	5.9%	-4.5%
<b>02</b>	Reduce 40% WWR	148.9	52.4	18.2	2.5%	8.3%	-2.1%
<b>03</b>	45% WWR + 25% Infiltration Reduction	145.5	50.9	17.8	4.8%	10.5%	0.1%
<b>04</b>	45% WWR + 50% Infiltration Reduction	145.8	49.0	17.5	4.6%	8.2%	1.6%
<b>05</b>	45% WWR + 75% Infiltration Reduction	141.5	45.7	16.8	7.4%	9.6%	5.5%
<b>06</b>	45% WWR + R-10 Wall	139.2	43.9	16.4	8.9%	10.3%	7.8%
<b>07</b>	45% WWR + R-15 Wall	151.9	53.4	18.5	0.6%	6.1%	-3.9%
<b>08</b>	45% WWR + R-20 Wall	150.4	52.4	18.3	1.6%	6.7%	-2.5%
<b>09</b>	45% WWR + R-30 Roof	145.3	48.6	17.4	4.9%	8.4%	2.1%
<b>10</b>	45% WWR + R-40 Roof	152.2	52.1	18.3	0.4%	4.3%	-2.8%
<b>11</b>	45% WWR + Solarban 70	152.3	50.2	18.0	0.3%	2.3%	-1.3%
<b>12</b>	45% WWR + Triple Glazing + Solarban 70	144.4	47.5	17.2	5.5%	8.3%	3.3%
<b>13</b>	45% WWR + Triple Glazing	144.6	45.6	17.0	5.4%	6.2%	4.7%
<b>14</b>	45% WWR + U-0.15 + SHGC	145.1	43.8	16.7	5.0%	3.7%	6.0%
<b>Lighting and Electrical</b>							
<b>15</b>	45% WWR + 30% LPD	151.2	54.0	18.4	1.0%	6.1%	-3.1%
<b>16</b>	45% WWR + 50% LPD	150.0	54.0	18.1	1.8%	6.4%	-1.8%
<b>17</b>	45% WWR + 10% Plug Load Reduction	151.4	54.0	18.5	0.9%	7.2%	-4.2%
<b>18</b>	45% WWR + 20% Plug Load Reduction	150.4	54.0	18.5	1.6%	8.3%	-3.9%
<b>HVAC and DHW</b>							
<b>19</b>	45% WWR + Residential Corridor 20 CFM	151.3	54.5	18.6	1.0%	7.8%	-4.6%
<b>20</b>	45% WWR + Residential Corridor 10 CFM	148.3	56.0	18.7	2.9%	12.8%	-5.0%
<b>21</b>	45% WWR + Unit ERV 75%	151.8	54.6	18.7	0.6%	7.3%	-4.8%
<b>22</b>	45% WWR + Unit ERV 85%	150.8	55.5	18.7	1.3%	9.5%	-5.3%
<b>23</b>	45% WWR + Unit ERV 90%	148.7	51.2	18.0	2.7%	7.3%	-1.1%
<b>24</b>	45% WWR + Drain Water Heat Recovery	142.8	47.0	17.1	6.5%	9.5%	4.2%



Design Case	Description	TEUI (kWh/m <sup>2</sup> )	TEDI (kWh/m <sup>2</sup> )	GHGI (kg eCO <sub>2</sub> /m <sup>2</sup> )	Energy Savings	Cost Savings	GHG Savings
25	45% WWR + Low Flow Fixtures	149.8	50.9	18.0	2.0%	5.7%	-1.1%
26	45% WWR + Solar Water	147.0	47.8	17.4	3.8%	5.8%	2.2%
<b>TGS Targets</b>							
27	TGS V3 - Tier 2	119.5	30.3	13.3	21.8%	17.5%	25.2%
34	TGS V3 - Tier 3	81.8	25.4	7.9	46.5%	20.7%	55.9%
40	TGS V3 - Tier 4	48.6	16.5	2.4	62.7%	22.2%	84.0%