

Confirm Energy Use Intensity (EUI)

A Site EUI ending December 31 for the required year must be available to report to the City. The EUI indicates the energy use per square foot per year (kBtu/sq. ft.) and can be used to compare the building's energy use to other similar building types.

Accurate Reporting:
Buildings with unusually low or high (outlier) EUIs or other errors will be flagged for accuracy and may be issued a warning letter to make corrections.

- Under the property **Summary** tab, verify that the building has a **Site EUI** and **ENERGY STAR** score (if available) for Current (Dec 20xx) reporting year. *Contact Help Desk if missing.*
- The **ENERGY STAR** score must also be listed (if eligible) for your property type, such as Office, Multifamily (20+ units), Retail, Warehouse. See Appendix A.

Metrics Summary		Change Time Period	
Metric	Dec 2014	Current (Dec 2015)	Change
ENERGY STAR score (1-100)	76	76	N/A
Source EUI (kBtu/ft ²)	95.3	100.6	5.3(5.6%)
Site EUI (kBtu/ft ²)	30.3	32.0	1.7(5.6%)
Energy Cost (\$)	17,535.24	17,628.00	92.76(0.5%)
Total GHG Emissions (Metric Tons CO ₂ e)	113.7	120.0	6.3(5.5%)

PRINT STATEMENT OF ENERGY PERFORMANCE

- Go to the **Reporting** tab and choose **Statement of Energy Performance**.
- Select the property name.
- Select **Timeframe: Single Year** ending **Dec of the required year**.
- Select contacts (optional).
- Click **Generate & Download Report(s)** and a PDF of the report should appear. (If your web browser has pop-up blockers, disable them if the report does not appear.)
- Confirm that the **Statement of Energy Performance** lists a **Site EUI** for **Year Ending: December 31, [required year]**. (See next page for an example.)
- Save** and print a copy for your records.

NOTE If the building *does not* have 12 months of utility data ending in that December, Portfolio Manager will generate an error message like this:

Select Timeframe for Report(s)

You have selected a year ending date that does not have 12 months of data. Please select another date.

Timeframe: Ending

If you get an error, and are sure that all the energy meters have a full year of data ending December 31st, contact the Help Desk for assistance.

About the Statement Energy Performance

The **Statement of Energy Performance** is a quick reference for sharing your building's energy use as indicated by the **Site EUI**—required by Seattle law of building owners if requested by current and future tenants, buyers or lenders. Although not required by Seattle, the document is also used to show ENERGY STAR-certified buildings when verified by a professional engineer.

ENERGY STAR® Statement of Energy Performance

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ENERGY STAR® Score¹

Ocean Vista Offices

Primary Property Function: Office
Gross Floor Area (ft²): 50,000
Built: 1999

For Year Ending: December 31, 2012
Date Generated: July 23, 2013

1. The ENERGY STAR score is a 1-100 assessment of a building's energy efficiency as compared with similar buildings nationwide, adjusting for climate and business activity.

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Energy Consumption and Energy Use Intensity (EUI)

	Annual Energy by Fuel	National Median Comparison
Site EUI 42.5 kBtu/ft ²	Electric - Grid (kBtu) 2,125,676 (100%)	National Median Site EUI (kBtu/ft ²) 69.1
Source EUI 133.5 kBtu/ft ²		National Median Source EUI (kBtu/ft ²) 216.9
		% Diff from National Median Source EUI -38%
		Annual Emissions
		Emissions (MtCO ₂ e/year) 233

Some types of buildings are eligible for this 1-100 score that compares the building's energy efficiency to similar buildings nationwide. A higher score indicates a more efficient building. A 75 or higher may be eligible to apply for ENERGY STAR certification.

Buildings benchmarked correctly should have a Site EUI, which shows the building's energy use per square foot per year. A lower score indicates a more efficient building.

Make sure the date is December 31 for the required reporting year.

Continue to Next Step →



Add the City of Seattle as a Contact

- ❑ Click on the **Contacts** link in the upper right hand corner of the screen.
- ❑ Click **Add a Contact** to search for users that you can connect with.
- ❑ In the **Username** field, type in "SEATTLE.GOV" and click search.
- ❑ From the **Search Results** page, select **City of Seattle Annual Reporting** and click connect.

Welcome NICOLEBALL: Account Settings | **Contacts** | Help | Sign Out

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MyPortfolio | Sharing | Planning | Reporting | Recognition

Search Results

The results of your search are listed below. Clicking "Connect" will send a request to the person asking them to confirm your request to add them as your contact. If they accept, you will see them listed as a connected contact in your address book. If they do not accept, or have not accepted yet, you will see them as an unconnected contact in your address book. Connecting with contacts will make it easier to share property information within Portfolio Manager.

Your Search Criteria

Name:

Username:

Email Address:

<input type="checkbox"/>	City of Seattle Annual Reporting	<input type="button" value="Connect"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	City of Seattle Energy Benchmarking Ordinance with City of Seattle Annual Reporting	<input type="button" value="Connect"/>

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- ❑ Fill in your Contact Name, Contact Email Address and Contact Phone Number.
- ❑ Agree to the Terms of Use and select **Send Connection Request**.
- ❑ **IMPORTANT** The City of Seattle processes new contact requests **hourly**. You will be sent a confirmation email when the City of Seattle accepts your request.

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Send a Connection Request to [City of Seattle Annual Reporting](#) to Begin Exchanging Data

[City of Seattle Annual Reporting](#) requires the following information in order to exchange data with your property(ies). If you have any questions about how to complete this information, please [contact City of Seattle Annual Reporting](#). Once your connection request has been accepted, you can share individual properties and/or meters with them to get started exchanging data.

Contact Name: * Example: John Smith
First and last name of the contact associated with this account. - Characters

Contact Email Address: * Example: jsmith@youremail.com
Please provide an email, so that we may contact you with questions or program updates. - Characters

Contact Phone: * Example: (206) 727-8484
Please provide a phone number (including area code), so that we may contact you with questions. - Characters

Terms of Use: I understand, on behalf of Customer, that the EPA requires information about Customer's facility (which Customer will provide directly to the EPA). Customer's monthly utility billing data, and other data as may be required by EPA's ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager application in order to calculate Customer's benchmarking data and rating. This information will help Customer track the energy usage and efficiency of its facilities. I authorize, on behalf of Customer, the annual reporting of Customer's energy consumption data, building square footage, and other characteristics as may be required to fulfill the requirements of Section 22.920 of the Seattle Municipal Code and Director's Rule DR 6-2011. I also authorize, on behalf of Customer, the City of Seattle to electronically transfer such data from the EPA's ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager application. This data transfer is at the request and on behalf of Customer and as such, Customer agrees to release and hold harmless the City of Seattle from any liability, claims, demands, causes of action, damages or expenses resulting from any release of information or data from the EPA's ENERGY STAR Portfolio Manager application pursuant to this authorization. I understand that the City of Seattle will not publicly post information about the energy performance of individual buildings. Any questions the City receives related to a building's energy performance will be referred to the building owner. In addition, to respect concerns for the disclosure of energy consumption information related to any single individual or business process, all energy data reported to the City of Seattle will be aggregated across an entire building or sub-building - it will not include individual meter readings, or any information related to the operational characteristics of a building, such as hours of use. However, under Washington State Law (reference RCW Chapter 42.56, the Public Records Act) all records received or created by the City of Seattle are considered public records. Public records include annual energy consumption reports as required under Seattle Municipal Code SMC-22.920. The Public Records Act (PRA) requires that public records must be promptly disclosed by the City upon request unless the PRA or other statute specifically exempts records from disclosure. While it is not a legal obligation, the City may exercise its discretion to provide notification of a public records request to the subject of the records, and allow a reasonable amount of time for the subject of the records to pursue a court injunction preventing release.

Agreement: I agree to my provider's ([City of Seattle Annual Reporting](#)) Terms of Use.

Once your request is accepted, continue to next Step →

>> Share Building with the City of Seattle

- ❑ After you are connected to City of Seattle Annual Reporting, **share your property** and associated meters with the City of Seattle.
- ❑ Go to the **Sharing Tab** and click **Share (or Edit Access to) a Property**.
- ❑ Select the properties to share with **City of Seattle Annual Reporting**.
- ❑ Under **Choose Permissions**, select the second option: "Personalized Sharing & Exchange Data." Click **Continue**.
- ❑ On the next screen, choose **Exchange Data** for each property.

Name (ID)	None	Read Only Access	Full Access	Custom Access	Exchange Data
▼ ID49690: TEST BUILDING 2 (3620234)					
Annual Reporting, City of Seattle	<input type="radio"/>				<input checked="" type="radio"/>
▼ ID49691: TEST BUILDING 3 (3620235)					
Annual Reporting, City of Seattle	<input type="radio"/>				<input checked="" type="radio"/>

- ❑ On the Access Permissions page, enter the **City of Seattle Building ID** (this number is 1-5 digits and is not the Portfolio Manager Building ID). Find the number of the notification or warning letter. Contact the help desk if missing.
- ❑ **IMPORTANT: Select the Access Permissions as follows:**
 Property Information: **Read Only**
 All Meter Information: **Read Only**
 Goals, Improvements: **Read Only**
 Recognition: **Leave as None**

Select Data Exchange Access Permissions to [ID49690: TEST BUILDING 2](#) for [Annual Reporting, City of Seattle](#).

[Annual Reporting, City of Seattle](#) requires the following information in order to provide services to your property(ies). If you have any questions about how to complete this information, please contact [Annual Reporting, City of Seattle](#).

City of Seattle Energy Benchmarking Building ID: Example: 1147

Building identifier provided by the City of Seattle Energy Benchmarking program (NOT your Portfolio Manager Building ID). If you do not know your City of Seattle Building ID, contact (206) 727-8484 or click on "More Information" below.; Between 1 and 5 Characters [More Information](#)

Please select the permission level you would like to grant [Annual Reporting, City of Seattle](#) for [ID49690: TEST BUILDING 2](#) for each category:

Item	None	Read Only Access	Full Access
Property Information	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
▼ All Meter Information	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Electric Grid Meter	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

(You may need to scroll down to view all the information.)

- ❑ Scroll down. For **Share Forward**, select "No".

NOTE If you have more than one building do the above steps for each building.

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▼ ID49690: TEST BUILDING 2 (3620234)					
Annual Reporting, City of Seattle	<input type="radio"/>				<input checked="" type="radio"/> Edit
▼ ID49691: TEST BUILDING 3 (3620235)					
Annual Reporting, City of Seattle	<input type="radio"/>				<input checked="" type="radio"/> Edit

- ❑ Click **Apply Selections & Authorize Exchange**.
- ❑ When complete (for all buildings you are sharing), click **Share Property(ies)** again.
- ❑ **Tomorrow**, look for a confirmation email from the City for each building shared.

NOTE If you do not get an email tomorrow, please check your "spam" or "junk" folder for it. If missing, contact the Help Desk.

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