

Cedar Falls Utilities offers the Commercial New Construction to assist owners and design teams in evaluating potential energy conservation strategies for new and renovated building projects during the design and construction processes. During the design phase, the Cedar Falls Community School District selected a number of energy conservation strategies. In response, Cedar Falls Utilities offered an incentive for the implementation of these strategies.

Upon completion of construction at Bess Streeter Aldrich Elementary, The Weidt Group verified the selected strategies via Construction Documents review, on site verification of the strategies selected and construction submittals. These measures provided projected energy cost savings of over \$83,400 per year, in relation to the building baseline.

Based upon the energy conservation strategies selected in the design development it was estimated simple payback would be 12.1 years and an incentive of \$57,118. However, as built, the simple payback will be 11.4 years and an incentive of \$60,074 will be received by the District. Representatives from CFU/Weidt Group will be present on Monday evening to present a check to the District.