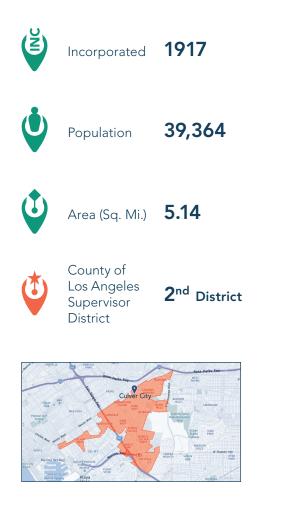
Southern California

Success Story City of Culver City



As one of the first agencies to enroll in the SoCalREN Public Agency Program in 2013, the City of Culver City has shown consistent leadership and a commitment to energy efficiency by implementing a variety of lighting and mechanical projects.



Collectively, the projects completed to date have resulted in more than:





1 Million kWh Annual Energy Savings



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32,800 Therms Annual Savings



We have avoided **300+** metric tons of CO_2 (GHG reduction),

which is equivalent to taking **65** cars off the road



The City has completed 14 projects to date including:

- A boiler replacement at The Culver City Municipal Plunge (aquatic center)
- LED lighting retrofits and the installation of an Energy Management System (EMS) at the Police Department, City Hall, Veterans Memorial building, Senior Center, and Transportation Center
- Optimization of HVAC equipment at the Police Department and City Hall
- More than 1,400 streetlights have been replaced throughout the City

The EMS is designed to reduce energy consumption and improve reliability through optimization of heating and cooling systems at these facilities. This project has been highly anticipated by City maintenance staff who, in the past, were constantly running to various buildings in an attempt to monitor and control HVAC equipment. They can now adjust systems remotely through a central dashboard.



The City has further demonstrated leadership through participation in the Westside Cities Partnership, which earns them additional incentive payments through utility programs for energy savings achieved. Looking to the future, the City is taking a holistic approach to developing their energy efficiency strategy.

Through action, the City has shown commitment to being environmental stewards of their community. The SoCalREN is proud to provide continued support to their dedicated team.

[W]e would have not gotten this far this fast in such a cost-effective manner without SoCalREN's guidance and technical assistance every step of the way. .
..[T]he SoCalREN Public Agency Program is a fantastic program to assist local governments in energy efficiency that will pay dividends for years to come.

Charles Herbertson Public Works Director/City Engineer, Culver City

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