

# **Commercial Real Estate Breakout Session**

Monday, May 9th from 2:00 – 3:15 PM

Room: Columbia 2

Level: Lobby



# Agenda

2:00	Welcome	&	Introductions
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2:05 Program Updates, New

Resources & Activities

2:15 Partner Highlight – Forest City

2:25 Group Discussion: Sector

Trends and the Next Big Thing

3:05 Adjourn/Networking





## Welcome & Introductions



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Chair





# Steering Committee Members (2014-2016)

- Eric Duchon, Cushman & Wakefield Chair
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- Michael Groppi, CBRE
- Dave Pogue, CBRE
- Carlos Santamaria, Chair Emeritus
- John Scott, Chair Emeritus
- Kinga, Porst, GSA
- Will Teichman, Kimco Realty
- Jennifer McConkey, Principal Real Estate Investors
- Mason Sharpe, Sharpe Properties

2016-2018 Steering
Committee Nominations
can be submitted to

bha © ee. doe. gov by June 15<sup>th</sup> **Program Updates** 



# Better Buildings 2015 Snapshot

#### **Better Buildings Challenge Snapshot, 2015**

Partnership	
Number of Partners and Allies	310+
Square Feet Represented	4.2 billion
New Partners in the past year	60+
Solutions	
Partner Solutions Available for Replication	400+
Results	
Energy Saved (Btus)	161 trillion
Energy Saved (Btus)  Dollars Saved	161 trillion \$1.3 billion
Dollars Saved	\$1.3 billion

#### **Better Buildings Alliance Snapshot, 2015**

Membership	
Number of Member Organizations	202
Square Feet Represented	11+ billion
Percent of U.S. Commercial Buildings	13%
New Partners and Affiliates in 2015	19
New Resources Developed	
Business partners, technology and procurement specifications, user guides, rebate resources and case studies	40+

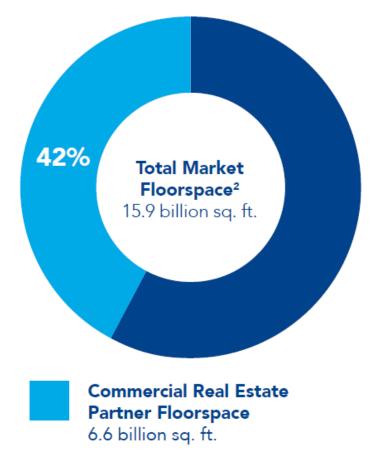




# BBA Sector Snapshot

 51 partners who own, lease, or manage 6.6 billion square feet of commercial space.









# New BBA Partners since May 2015









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# New BBC Commercial Partners since May 2015







































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# General Program Updates

- Annual Progress Update Reports
  - Better Buildings Alliance <u>2016 Winter Progress Update</u>
  - Better Building Challenge 2016 Progress Report
- New Better Buildings Challenge Implementation Models
  - Using Technology to Meet Portfolio-Wide Energy Reduction Goals
    - Forest City
  - Recognizing Staff for Progress Towards Sustainability Goals
    - Parkway Properties
  - "Flip the Switch" Tenant Engagement Program
    - Shorenstein
  - Setting Mini-Goals to Reach Mega Goals
    - TIAA
- Better Buildings Challenge SWAP





# Technology Team Update

- New Resources Relevant to Sector:
  - Solar Integration Case Studies
  - Business Case for Proactive Advanced RTU Replacement
  - A Primer on Organizational Use of EMIS
  - Decision Guides for Plug and Process Load Controls
- Advanced Roof-top Unit (ARC) Campaign
  - Awards presented at PRSM national conference in April
- Interior Lighting Campaign (ILC)
  - Awards to be presented at BOMA national conference in June
- LEEP Campaign
  - Awards to be presented at Greenbuild conference in October





# NEW! Smart Energy Analytics Campaign

The Smart Energy Analytics Campaign promotes the adoption of analytics software and ongoing monitoring.

#### Join the Campaign to receive

- Energy Management and Information Systems (EMIS) best practice resources and technical support
- Peer-to-peer learning network focusing on EMIS technology topic areas
- Recognition for exemplary performance

#### What does Campaign Participation look like?

 Participants pledge to install or use existing EMIS to analyze data and identify energy-saving improvements

### www.smart-energy-analytics.org

Campaign is delivered in partnership with:















# Market Solutions Update

- Apply for Green Lease Leaders by May 18<sup>th</sup>! www.greenleaseleaders.com
  - Awards to be presented at BOMA national conference in June
- Financial Data Working Group
  - Objective: Catalyze further research on the relationship between sustainability, building performance, and financial returns
- Appraisal Working Group
  - Objective: Increase awareness, promote the exchange of information, and improve practices, Evaluate challenges and potential interventions in appraisal process, Develop resources to reduce barriers





# New Webpage!













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Sector: Commercial Real Estate



Commercial real estate properties represent nearly 16 billion square feet of floorspace. These properties consume more than 20% of all commercial building energy use and spend more than \$32 billion annually on energy. Through the Better Buildings Alliance's commercial real estate sector group, 51 partners who own, lease, or manage over 6.5 billion square feet of commercial space, equivalent to 42% of the commercial real estate market floorspace, are sharing best practices, and engaging with technical experts to advance their energy savings goals.





## Summit Sessions of Interest

- Invest to Impress! Energy Efficiency for Investment Owners
  - Monday, May 9<sup>th</sup> 3:45 to 5:00pm
- Tackling Energy Efficiency in Commercial Real Estate: Lessons from Leading Cities
  - Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> 11:15am to 12:30pm
- Transfer Tasks: Applying Successful Energy Strategies to Water Reduction Goals
  - Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> 2:00 to 3:15pm





# Sessions of Interest (continued)

- Show Me the Value: Appraising Green
  - Tuesday, May 10<sup>th</sup> 3:45 to 5:00pm
- Proving the Profits: Industry Efforts to Link Energy Performance and Financial Performance Data
  - Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> 9:45 to 11:00am
- Underwriting Energy: Are Commercial Mortgages Ignoring Energy Related Risks and Benefits?
  - Tuesday, May 10<sup>th</sup> 9:45 to 11:00am
- Train and Hire Qualified Energy Staff: Better Workforce Guidelines
  - Wednesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> 2:00 to 3:15pm





# **TONIGHT!: Sector Networking Event**

Monday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm

Jack Rose Dining Saloon

2007 18th St NW

Washington, DC 20009





**Sector Priorities Discussion** 



### **Sector Priorities**

- Priority 1: Incorporating Energy Efficiency Into Appraisal and Valuation
  - Progress: Appraisal Working Group, March Webinar, Appraiser Training
- Priority 2: Identifying and Evaluating Skilled Engineers
  - Progress: Solution at a Glance Sample Interview Questions
- Priority 3: Understanding and Communication the Connection between Sustainability and Financial Value
  - Progress: Finance Working Group, Financial Data Research





Partner Highlight





# BUILT ON PURPOSE

BETTER BUILDINGS CHALLENGE PARTNER RECAP

Joyce Mihalik Vice President – Integrated Design

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#### **FORESTCITY**

### Who we are



**Forest City Realty Trust, Inc.** - Owner, manager and developer of real estate across the U.S. **Our vision:** To be the real estate leader and partner-of-choice in creating distinctive places to live, work and shop.

#### **Environmental performance**

Buildings play a critical role in human contributions to climate change, and we recognize this as both an industry risk and an enterprise opportunity. Our goal is to build and manage our properties in a way that minimizes our contribution to this global climate change and provide better energy efficiency for our tenants.

#### **CORE PRODUCTS**

- Retail
- Residential
- Office

#### **CORE MARKETS**

- New York
- Boston
- Washington, D.C.
- Denver
- San Francisco



## Accountability

### Unique Buildings Need Custom Solutions





The Yards, Washington, D.C.





New York Times Building



Stapleton, Denver



Mercantile Place on Main, Dallas



New York by Gehry at 8 Spruce Street

### **FORESTCITY**

### Capability

# Energy Plan Implementation Model





#### **Energy Management Outreach**

- Core Corporate Teams
- Extended Teams
  - Property managers
  - Procurement
- Channel Partners

#### **Strategic Levers**

- Changed to Resource Advisor, and improved building tracking
- Energy Assessment & Inventory
- Deep Dive Retrofits
- Energy Training
- Energy Financing



#### THE BREWER-GARRETT COMPANY

The Facility Solutions Company.







Support by Strategic Partners instrumental in our success

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### Accountability: Program results



EUI Improvement since 2010 baselines

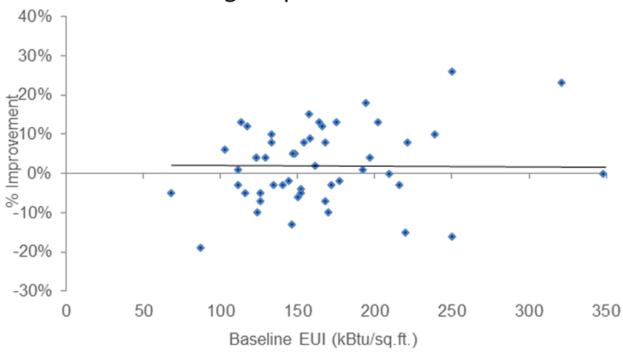
5% improvement in whole buildings registered in the Better Buildings

Challenge

9% improvement in comparative portfolio, including buildings with

combination of landlord and tenant controlled spaces

#### Percentage Improvement Over Baseline EUI



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## Adaptability

How are we using energy efficiency as a strategic driver to create competitive advantage?

#### **KEY PROGAMS**

#### INTERIOR LIGHTING CAMPAIGN



50

Buildings certified or targeting LEED certification in portfolio



Over 20 new buildings constructed in a five year period.



Creating sustainable landlord-tenant relationships.





## Adaptability

How can we use technology to advance our emission reductions goals?

#### **TECHNOLOGY SHOWCASE MODEL**

<u>Technologies piloted and implemented on a broad scale:</u>

Variable Supply Technologies (VRF, VFDs)

**Smart Irrigation Drip Controls** 

Building Diagnostics Platforms <u>Technologies to be analyzed or tested:</u>

**LED Luminaires** 

Electrical Vehicle Charging Stations Graywater Reuse

High Velocity HVAC Flexible Duct Systems

Technologies currently in pilot stage: Rooftop Unit VFD Retrofit (Multi Stage Air

Smart Glass Volume)

DC Powered Lighting and Electrical Pan Central Plant Optimization

Battery Walls Combined Heat and Power

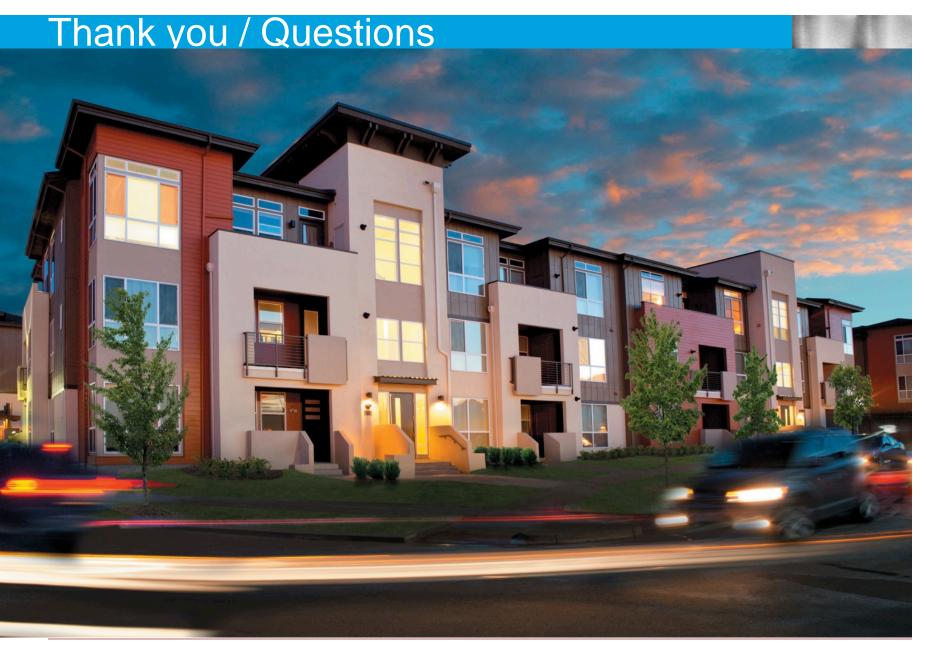
In-unit Smart Thermostats Heat Pump Water Heaters

Aqua Mizer® Fill Valve & Flapper Natural Gas Heat Pumps and Air Conditioners

Small Tonnage Ice Storage Systems

**Smart Lighting** 

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**Group Discussion: Sector Trends and The Next Big Thing** 



### Thank You

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