

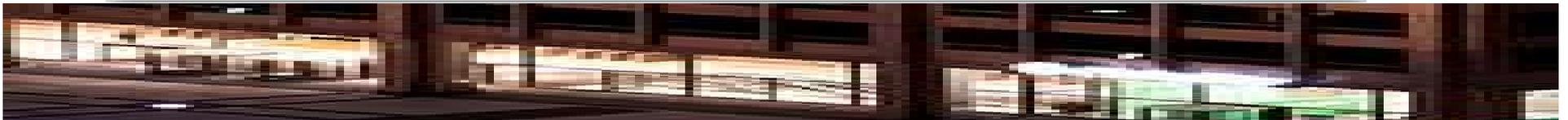
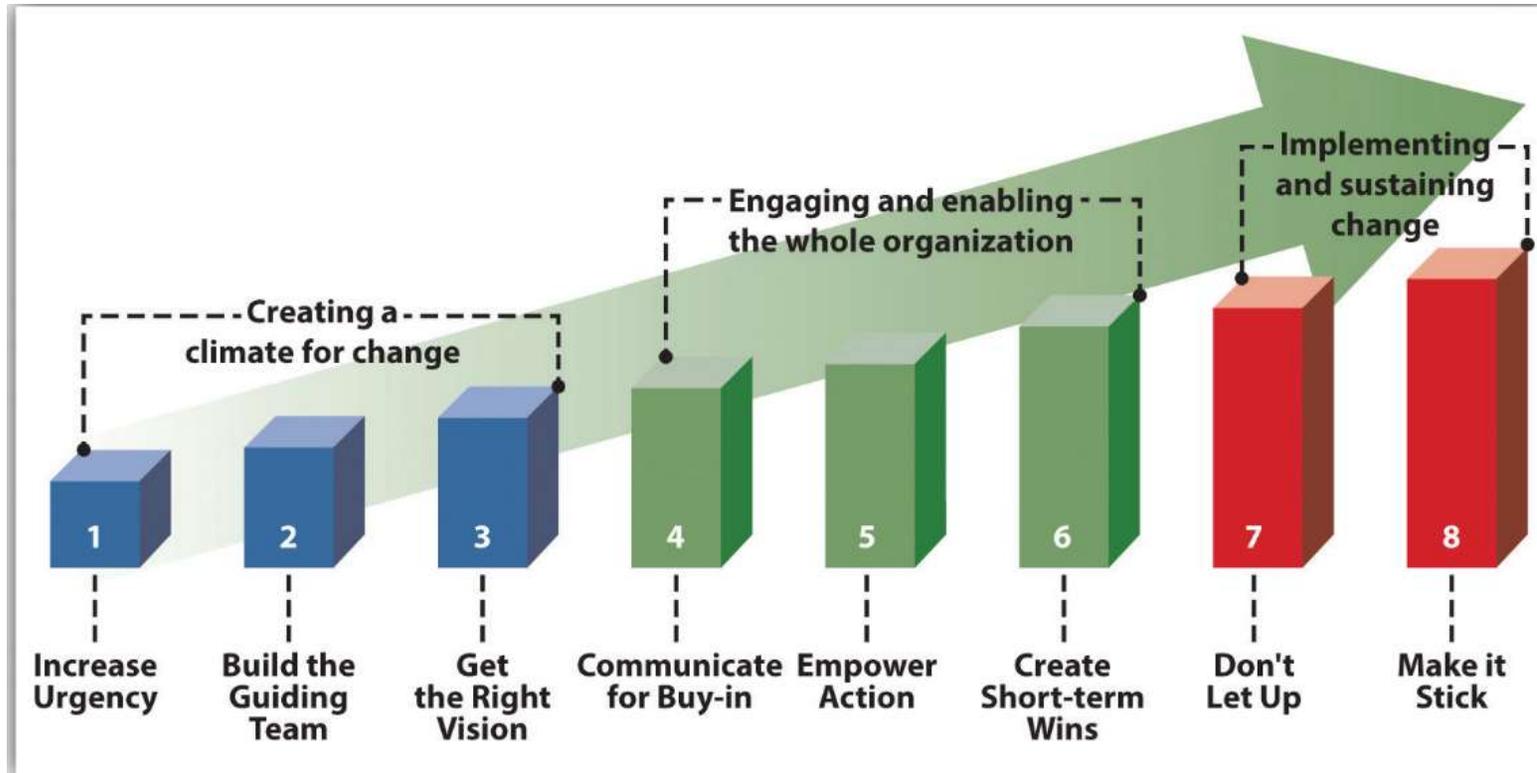


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# 311 S Wacker Smart Building Case Study

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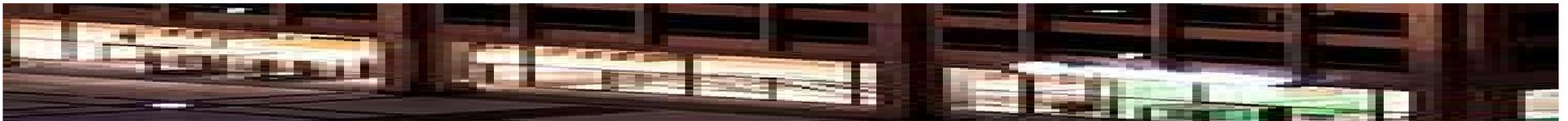
# Everything is Change Management



# Site Overview



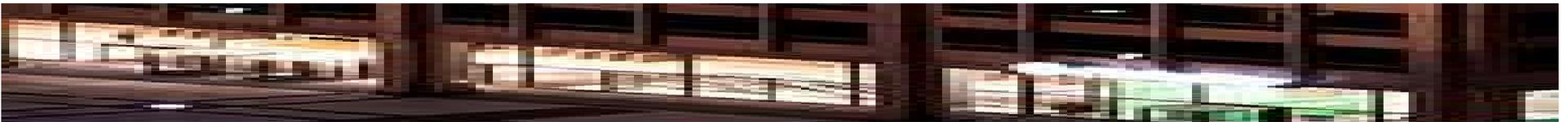
- 311 S Wacker Drive
- 7<sup>th</sup> tallest building in Chicago
- Second largest concrete Structure in the world
- 67 floors
- 1.4 million ft<sup>2</sup>
- 14,000,000 kWh per year Base Building
- Multitenant commercial office building



# Site Overview



- Automation is Pneumatic
- Pneumatics disarray over time
- 944 Fan Powered Boxes
- Night Setback not operational 80% of the building
- Older BAS, somewhat open



# Simple Question, Not So Simple Answer



- Rework pneumatics on each floor  
\$30,000/Floor or \$1.7 MM
- Convert all Fan Powered Boxes to DDC and bring signal back to BAS  
\$2 Million Plus
- Convert thermostats to wireless and bring signal back to BAS  
Least cost solution but possible communication issues (~ \$600,000)



# What to do with the DATA



New influx of Data allows us

- Temperature in every space
- Every box damper position

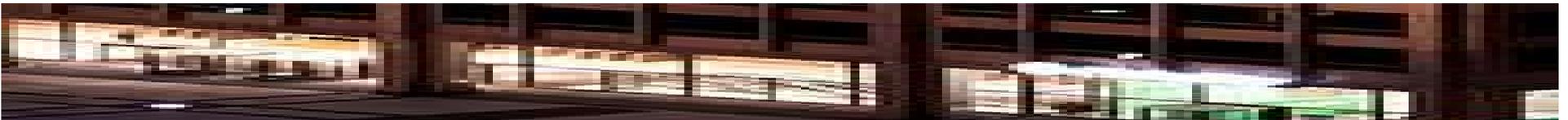


# Cloud based Optimization :Air Handlers



- Real Time Static Pressure reset
- Real Time Discharge Temperature reset
- Optimized Start/Stop
- Identify problem areas/equipment

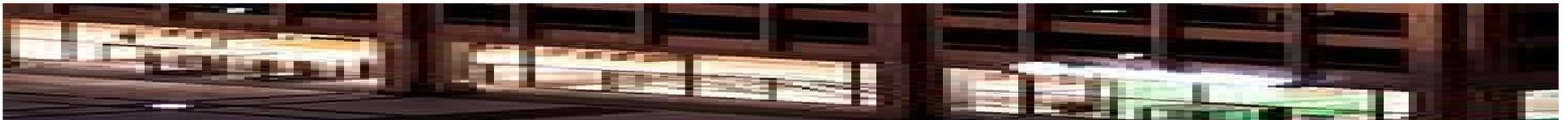
And... Our original Goal Night Setback



# Cloud based Optimization :Chiller Cooling Tower



- Real Time Optimized Start/Stop
- Real Time Chilled Water reset
- Real Time Condenser Water reset
- Real Time control of cooling tower fans based on wet bulb temperature
- Identification of issues with the chiller plant



# Estimate of Energy Savings

## 311 S. Wacker Drive WPT + IntelliCommand Energy Savings Estimate

### SUMMARY



Savings Strategy	Est. Reduction of HVAC Energy Consumption	kWh Savings	\$ Savings @ \$0.10 per kWh	Comments
Programmable Setback (Reheat)	9%	710,107	\$71,011	See Reheat Setback model
Duct Static Pressure Reset	6%	501,671	\$50,167	See Duct Static Reset sheet
Optimal Start/Stop	3%	222,965	\$22,296	See Optimal Start/Stop sheet
Deadband Setpoints	4%	321,069	\$32,107	See Deadband setpoint sheet
Supply Air Temp Reset	2%	144,481	\$14,448	See Supply Air Temp sheet
Setpoint Enforcement/Auto Calibration	3%	240,802	\$24,080	Based on empirical data from other projects
<b>Total</b>	<b>26.7%</b>	<b>2,141,095</b>	<b>\$214,110</b>	



# Project cost



Wireless thermostats and network  
Smart Building system  
Modifications to BAS for BacNet  
In-house installation of Thermostats (Engineers on Overtime)  
Electrical installation of network and electrical connection

**\$800,000**

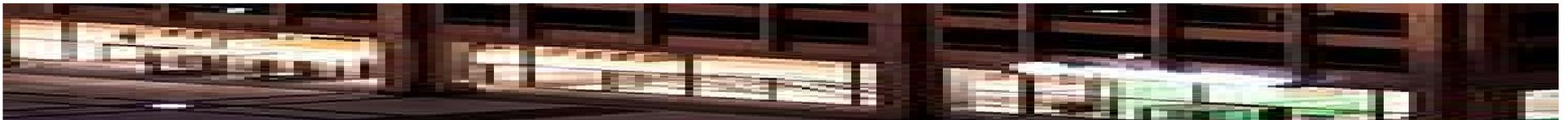
**3.75 Years**

Simple Payback

ComEd Rebate

**\$380,000**

**~2 Years**



# Issues.... You Bet

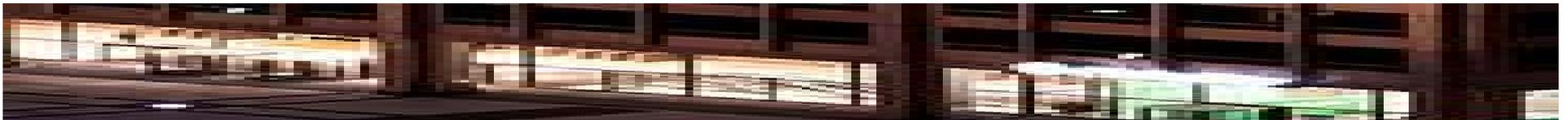


## Installation

- Needed a Booster antenna for IntelliCommand
- Needed additional BCx Boxes for the BAS
- Half the T'Stats needed a firmware update

## After the Install

- Educating tenants on new thermostats
- Dealing with Tenants insisting on 55 F
- Software tweaks... Three systems
- Lots of concrete... Wireless System No Bueno at first



# Results



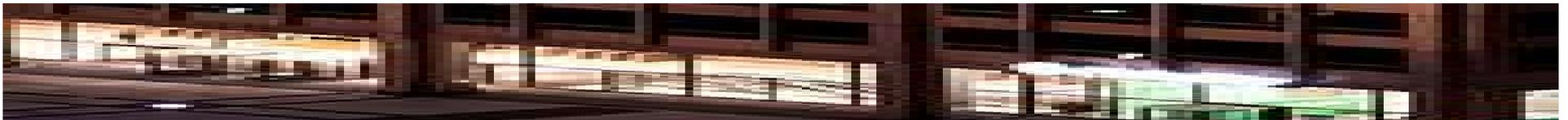
- Air handler Static Pressure was reduced from 2.4 inches to .8 inches
- Chiller Plant Bypass issue was found and corrected
- Equipment found running 24/7
- Found blown Chiller fuse prior to complaints
- Overcooling issue found on chiller



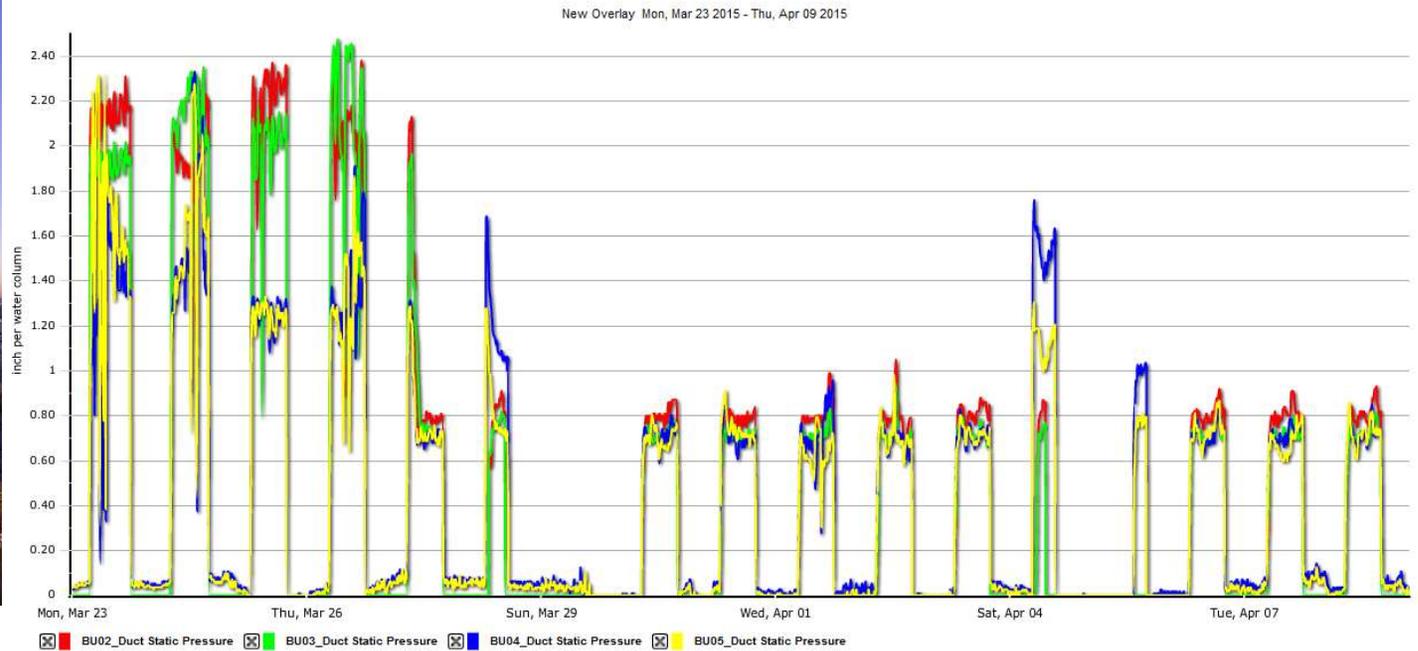
# Results



- Fault detection has found issues with chillers, 75 FPB, Air Handlers. Solved prior to tenant complaints
- Chillers now run 12% less
- Night Purge has delayed chiller start times 4 to 5 hours per day when applicable. At times chiller starts at 1:00 PM or not at all
- Hot and Cold calls reduced 20%
- Kingsley HVAC scores rose 2% to 11%



# Static Pressure Reset



# Night Purge Operation September 28<sup>th</sup> 2016



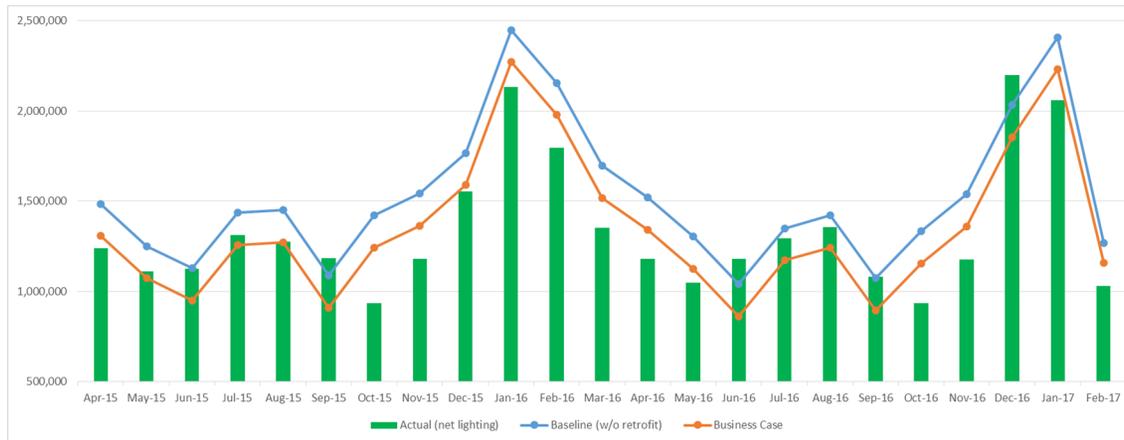
# Night Purge Operation June 8<sup>th</sup> 2016



# Results:

## Energy Savings Exceeded Business Case by 10%

	kWh/Year	Savings (kWh/yr)	Savings (\$/yr)	Savings (\$/sq-ft)	HVAC Energy Reduction
Baseline without WPT	17.9 million	-	-	-	-
Target business case	15.8 million	2.1 million	\$214,110	\$0.14	26%
Actual M&V with WPT	15.5 million	2.4 million	\$234,677	\$0.16	29%



# Questions



Thank You

