

# Energy Services Coalition: Ohio Chapter Year in Review

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## **Dear Chapter Member,**

As we ring in 2016, exciting things are happening with the Energy Services Coalition all around the nation. The Ohio "2015 Newsmakers" is a snapshot of the performance contracting news and headlines that our Ohio members have shared with us during the past year. To stay up-to-date, or to share a news item with us - please visit the [Ohio ESC Chapter Facebook](#) page.

Happy New Year,  
Jim Arwood  
ESC Executive Director

## **2015 Ohio ESPC Newsmakers**

### **Phase Two in Youngstown**

A second phase \$4 million ESPC at the Youngstown Metropolitan Housing Authority is expected to be completed later this year. Phase 1, implemented in 2008, has saved the YMHA several million dollars. Phase 2 will provide energy efficiency upgrades to more

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than 500 units in five developments, and builds on the success of Phase I by providing the Authority an additional \$100,000 per year in savings. The Authority expects to save more than \$500,000 annually in combined savings for the two-phase project. Energy efficiency components for this phase will include lighting retrofits, upgraded apartment temperature controls, energy efficient refrigerators, furnace replacements, energy-efficient domestic hot water heater replacements, building envelope improvements, and vending miser systems.

### Youngstown State enters \$16 million ESPC

Youngstown State University has entered into an energy performance contract that is expected to cut utility costs by at least \$2 million annually and will result in \$16 million worth of energy improvements for the university.

**SAVE THE DATE:** The 5th Annual Energy Services Coalition Market Transformation Conference is being held August 23 and 24 at the Galt House in Louisville, Kentucky. This year's conference will showcase innovation, case studies, best practices and more in Energy Savings Performance Contracting and public building energy retrofits. More than 200 private industry professionals, government policy-makers, public sector end-users and program managers are expected to attend this event.

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Stay tuned for more details. See ya' in  
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**We need your involvement.**

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If you are a former Ohio Chapter member, then you know that the ESC provides a unique forum in which all stakeholders can work together to address and overcome any barriers which are limiting the effective use of ESPC. So, if you are still involved in energy savings performance contracting programs, products or services, then coming back to the Energy Services Coalition may be right for you. Please consider renewing your membership. I hope you will be able to (re) join us!

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