## **Renewing of Aging Power Plant**

Lowest Emitting, Highest Efficiency Steam Plant Enwave Energy – Pearl Street Steam Plant

2011 IDEA/CDEA Conference and Trade Show

June 26-28, 2011 Enwave Energy Corporation Alex Sotirov/Robert P. Benz, P.E.

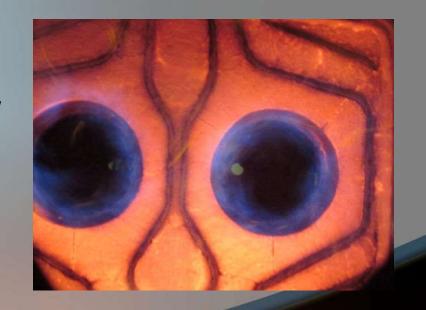


#### **History Pearl Street Steam Plant (PSSP) - Plant**

- PSSP was constructed in three phases in the 1960
- There are 8 boilers, 100,000 pph each
- Plant name plate capacity of 800,000 pph
- Boiler output of 650,000 pph due to stack restriction
- Insignificant condensate return
- Plant steam usage of 18%

#### **History Pearl Street Steam Plant (PSSP) - Boilers**

- There are two type of boilers 'O' and 'D'
- 5 'O' type boilers: John Inglis Co
  - 3 boilers with 79 % efficiency
  - 2 boilers with 84 % with economizers
  - Double burners
  - 120 ppm of NOx
- 3 'D' type boilers: B&W
  - 80 % efficiency
  - Single burner
  - 75 ppm of NOx



### **Urban Setting of the PSSP**

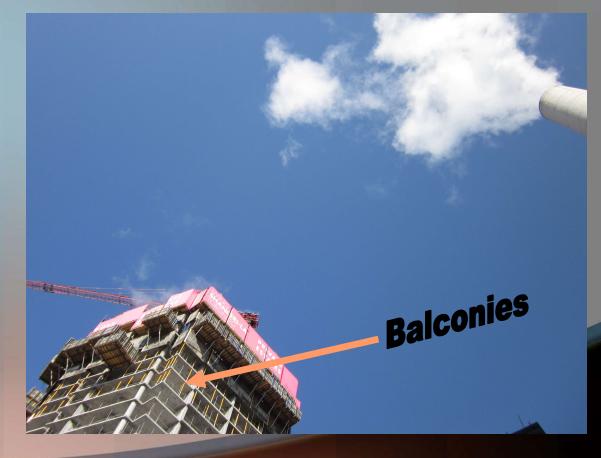
- In 1960 office building east
- In 1980 New office adjacent
- In 2000 Condominium 40 m
- New Air Emission Regulation updated regulation O.Reg 419/05 Grandfathering to be phased out by 2020



More stringent point source air emissions regulations

## **Solutions Considered**

- Relocate Pearl Steam Plan
- Increasing the height of the stack
- Updating the combustion technology

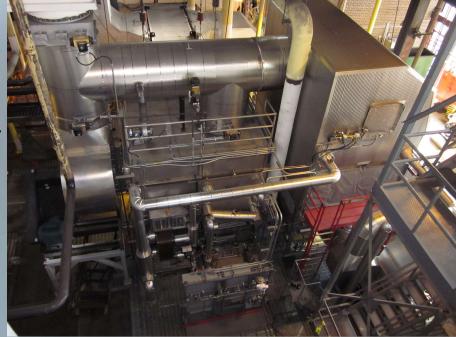


### **Selecting the Write Solution**

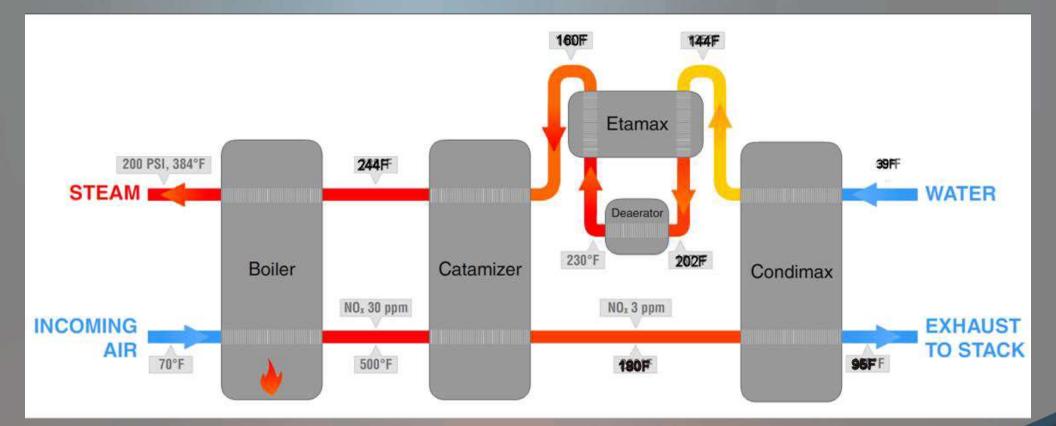
- The award was based on three criteria
  - Emissions Compliance Regulation NOx < 5ppm</li>
  - Emissions Compliance + Maintain Plant Capacity of 650,000 pph
  - Emissions Compliance + Increased Capacity + Improved Efficiency greater than 84%

## **Project Outline**

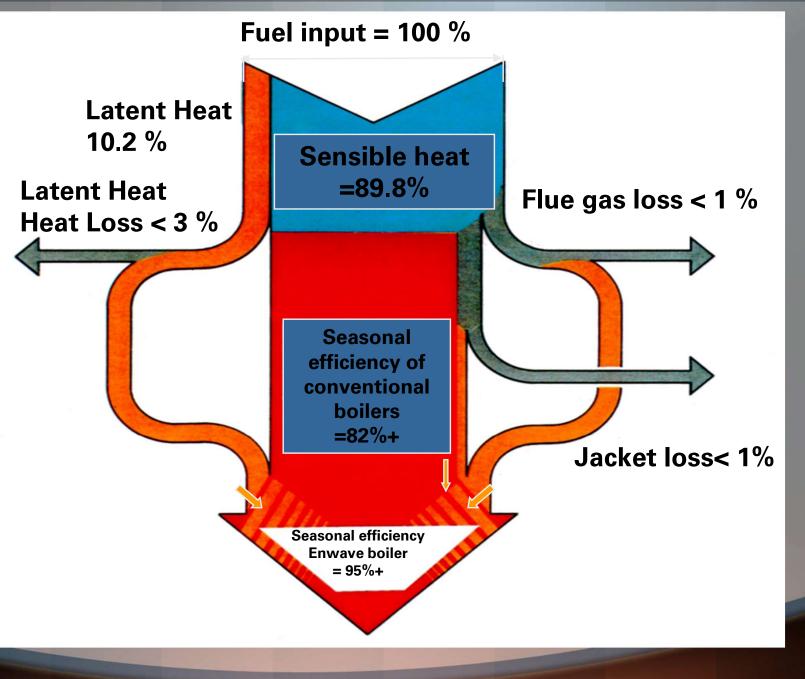
- Two Stage NOx reduction
  - CompuNOx 25ppm NOx
    - Low Excess Air Higher Efficiency
    - FGR from breach
  - Selective Catalytic Reduction
    - Less than 3ppm NOx
- Heat Recovery
  - High Efficiency Economizer
    - 165F water in, 240F out. 2%O2 500Fin, 180F out
  - CondiMax Condensing Heat Exchanger
    - 39F 100% makeup water in, 142F out. 2%O2 180Fin, 90F out
    - 15.5gpm of water from flue gas @100klb/hour boiler load
    - Reduce the Visible Plume
  - EtaMax Recouperator Feedwater to Makeup water heat exchanger
    - 230F feedwater in, 165F out 142F makeup water in, 202F out



## **Simplified Process Diagram**

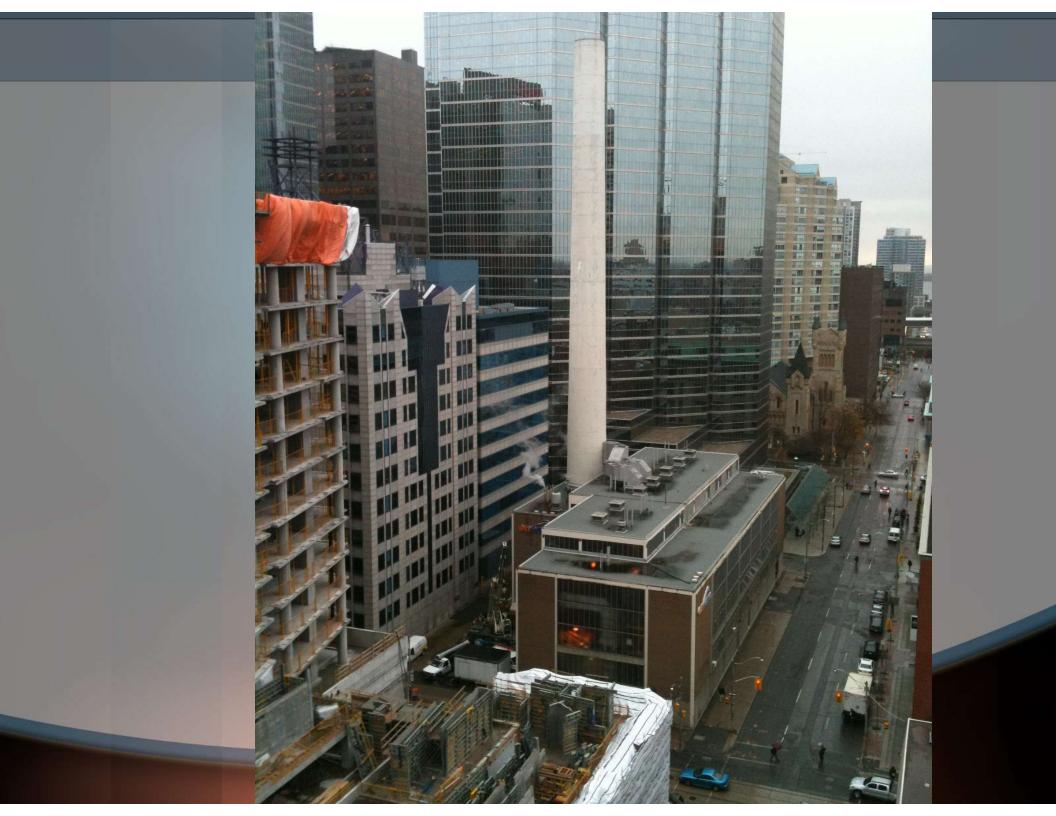


### **ENWAVE BOILER HEAT FLOW**

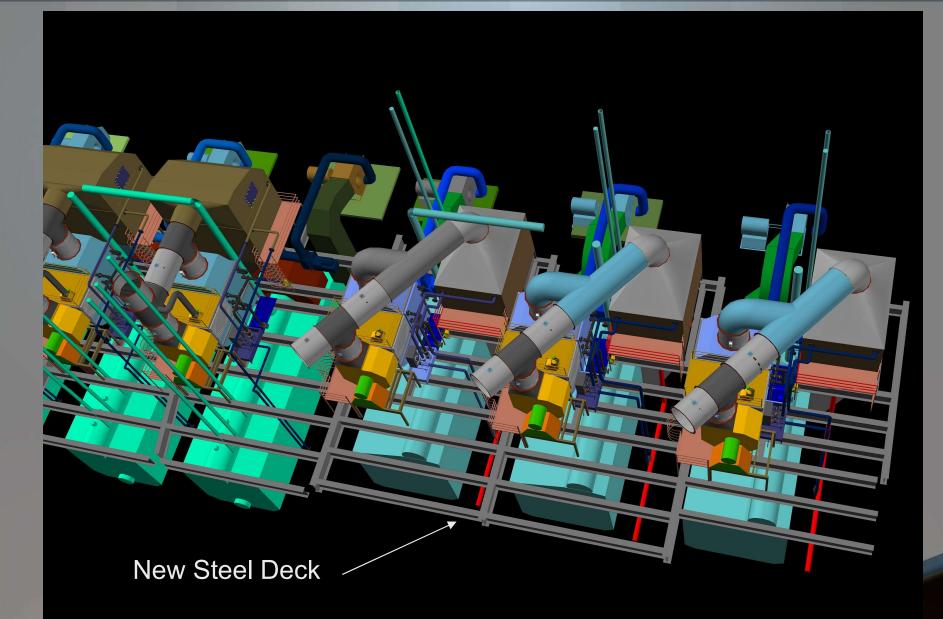


# Challenge





## How to Accommodate Equipment



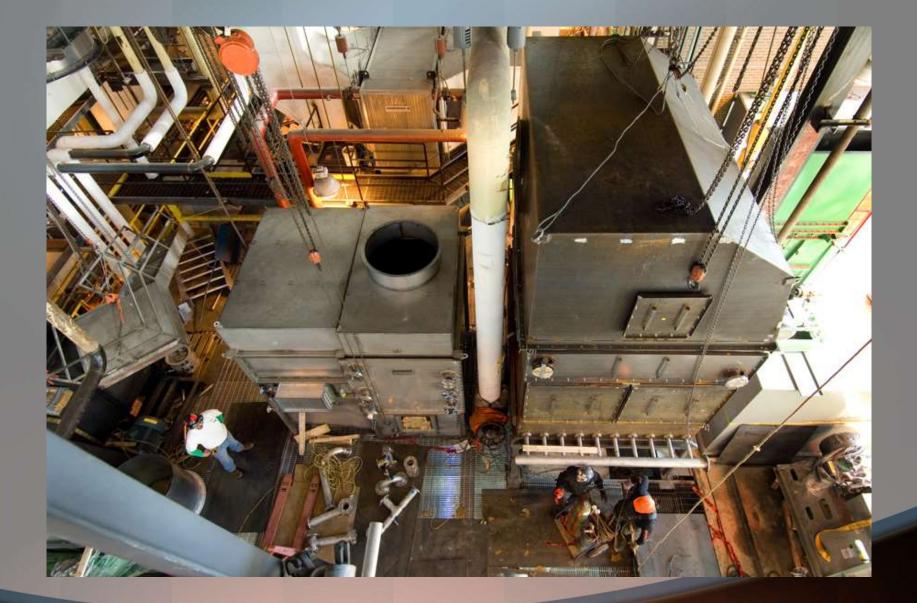


## CataMizer

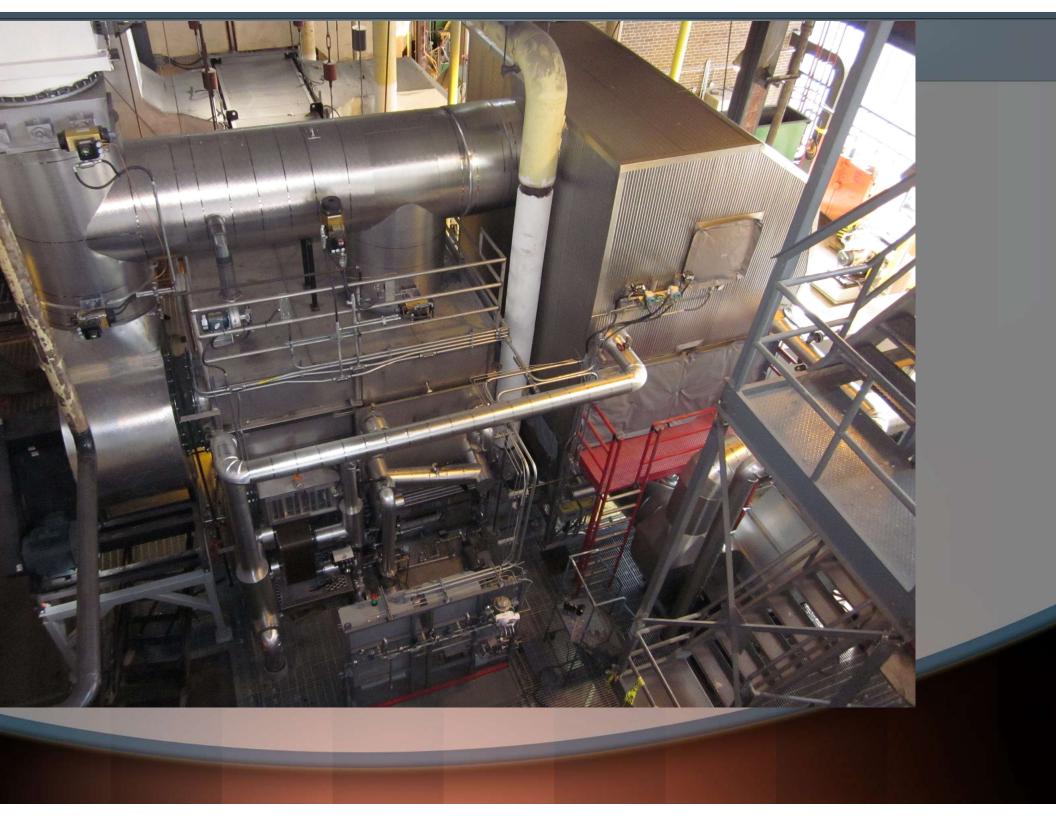
### Economizer, Catalyst and NH3 Injection



# **Plant Remained in Operation**







### **Environmental Benefits**

- Reduce CO2 production by 15,300 metric tonnes or approximately 22%
- Reduce NOx production by 21 metric tonnes or approximately 91%
- Reduce fuel usage by 14%
- 10% of boiler H2O recovery from flue das
- Reduced noise pollution to 55 DB

### Conclusions

- Greater than 25 years additional service life
- Repeatable combustion control
- Efficiency up to 97%
- NOx bellow 3 ppm capability
- SCR for NOx trimming
- 200,000 PPH additional capacity
- Condensate recovery
- Nearly Invisible Plume





2009 Monthly Usage 800000 80 700000 70 ٠ 600000 60 500000 50 → Gas Usage (Therms) Barrels Brewed 400000 40 Water Temperature (F) 300000 30 200000 20 100000 10 0 0 January February November June September March May July August October December April Month

### QUESTIONS

