

Pinnacle Foods finds big savings with a custom rebate

Project at a glance

\$323,068

Incentives paid

604,418

Total therm savings

The opportunity

For nearly a decade, and continuing through today, Black Hills Energy Arkansas has worked with Pinnacle Foods to examine energy efficiency opportunities at their plant. Through this partnership, engineers discovered many feet of uninsulated hot piping, several failed steam traps and various steam leaks throughout the facility. The steam system was running very inefficiently, but with the help of the Black Hills Energy Arkansas Custom Incentive Program, help was on the way.

The projects

After visiting with Pinnacle Foods Facilities Management, it was clear that the incentives from Black Hills Energy Arkansas could help Pinnacle Foods alleviate the loss of steam from these problems. Action was taken to address these issues.



The results

The Black Hills Energy Arkansas Program has provided incentives to Pinnacle Foods for steam projects of all kinds—from repairing steam leaks to replacing a condensing economizer. According to the Environmental Protection Agency, so far the therm savings from these initiatives are the equivalent of eliminating the carbon dioxide emissions from 360,597 gallons of gasoline or the electricity use of over 346 homes for one year.

To see what incentives and upgrades you could bring to your facility, visit Energy-ReadyArkansas.com.

