

A Touchstone Energy' Cooperative

Power by the Hour

Empowering our members to make wise energy decisions

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About Co-Mo Electric

- Center of Missouri
- 4,000 miles of line
- 32,000 meters
- Both rural and LOTO
- Peak on the weekends!
- Mostly residential load
- ARRA grant applicant



AMI Deployment

- TWACS by Aclara Powerline carrier
- Began in 2000 fully deployed 2002
- Prepaid started in 2007, 786 enrolled
- Leveraging our investment
 - engineering
 - outage prediction
 - pinging meters from trucks
 - usage presentment
 - feeder level line loss calculations



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- Started in January 2010 over 400 enrolled
- Displays last 24 hours of usage
- Visible on <u>www.co-mo.coop</u> main page
- Last 30 days usage with degree days
- C&I have real-time query capability
- Very simple to use and see daily

Hourly usage



Daily usage



Results

- Too new to analyze data BUT
- Prepaid has delivered daily usage since 2007
- Using 3 years of data from participants:
 - 78% of participants CUT usage after enrolling
 - The participants that cut their usage, cut it by an average of 22.7% or 391kWh per month
 - Average participant savings of \$31 per month

Usage statistics

- Recurring site visits
- 30% of our web visitors came back over 100 times
- Ranked 3rd on site visits behind contacts and jobs
- PBTH announcement number one news page
- Charts are viewed an average of 100 times per day
- Half of those chose to view more detailed data
- Majority access PBTH from a dialup connection

Version 2

- High and low usage alerts
- Daily emails
- Custom time periods on charts for residential
- Read now, start and stop
- Averaged hourly load profiles
- TOU pilot program
- Full MDM capabilities
- Ready in 60 days

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