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2017 DTE Project of the Month

MDOT & HNTB Corp.

In 2016, the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) installed new LED lighting on a number of major Metro Detroit freeways.

MDOT completed 16 projects with assistance from its contractor, HNTB Corp., and received \$1 million in DTE Energy incentives.

Nearly 13,000 new LED fixtures were installed, replacing various outdated high pressure sodium, metal halide and mercury vapor fixtures.

MDOT expects the project to improve the current lighting infrastructure, enhance safety and achieve energy savings through the use of new technologies.

As a result of the upgrades, MDOT will save an estimated 14,275,000 in annual kWh consumption, 171,300,000 kWh in lifetime savings and \$1.3 million in annual energy costs.

The projects are part of a larger initiative to update roughly



By installing energy-efficient LED lighting on Detroit area freeways, drivers will have a clearer view of the road ahead — especially under bridges and under Detroit's Cobo Center.

15,000 outdated lights on freeways in Macomb, Oakland and Wayne counties with energy-efficient LED lights.

About DTE Project of the Month

Each month the DTE Energy Efficiency Program for Business will highlight an exceptional project completed by a Trade Ally.

If you are a Trade Ally that would like to have one of your projects considered for our Project of the Month, please send an email to lharris@franklinenergy.com with the subject line "Project of the Month."

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