

Grassroots philanthropy: the story of our (unlikely) capital campaign

CONGRESS 2017 Halifax, NS



Our inspiration



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The Ecology of Commerce

A Declaration of Sustainability





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Our rationale

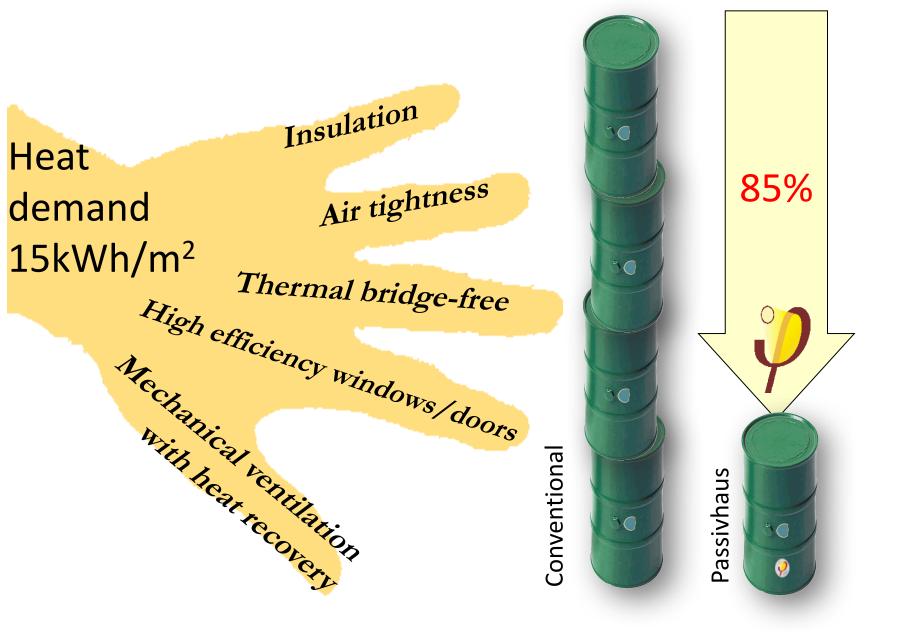








Our proposal



The PassivHaus Standard

FUNDRAISING CHALLENGES

- Limited fundraising experience prior to this campaign and no existing internal infrastructure, limited staffing resources e.g. Fundraisers
- Board had limited engagement with fundraising ventures prior to this campaign
- Some of the Board was reluctant to engage in this capital campaign
- Challenges with brand acceptance, perceptions, and NIMBY
- Time.....

On the positive side...

- Passion, persistence, dedication, commitment
- Embedded the goal in our Strategic Plan
- Hiring a well-known successful consultant for training and coaching
- Priority of the Board, particularly 2-3 members
- Finding 'our' approach & sticking to it: The Tour
- Securing two large Major Gifts during 'quiet phase'.

Larger than the project itself was...

The belief in philanthropy and in raising awareness of the cause within the broader community.

That passion had a contagious effect.

13-15 November 2015



A BUILDING QUALITY REVOLUTION

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