

13 SANDERS STREET

Net Zero Energy Affordable Housing



Services Provided:

- Mechanical Engineering
- Photovoltaic System Engineering
- Air Tightness Testing

Project Details

Location: Tillsonburg, ON
Status: Completed in May 2019
Client: Tillsonburg Non-Profit Housing
Building Area: 1,100 m² (11,800 ft²)
Value of project: \$2,847,500
Project duration: 10-month design phase,
 10-month construction duration

Project Personnel

Greg Leskien – Project Principal
 Stuart Evans – Lead Mechanical Engineer
 Scott Rivard – Plumbing & Drainage Design
 Andrew Gartshore – Photovoltaic Engineer
 Cameron Desmarais – Photovoltaic Designer

Target Energy Use Intensity (EUI):

102 kWh/m²/year

PV System Size:

88.4 kW DC

Developer Contact:

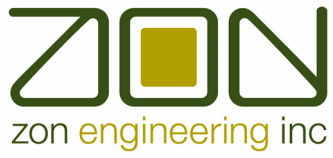
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Project Description

13 Sanders Street is a 100% electrically powered, Net Zero affordable seniors housing building owned by Tillsonburg Non-Profit Housing. The facility contains sixteen (16) 1-bedroom units that include individual exterior access. The building includes a centralized laundry room that contains multiple condensing dryers, eliminating the need for make-up air in the laundry room and significantly lowering the clothes drying energy.

The building is heated and cooled via a heat recovery variable refrigerant flow (VRF) system, allowing each suite to be in heating or cooling mode independent of the rest of the building. Suites feature ducted VRF fan coil units, allowing proper delivery of heating and cooling air into the bedrooms. Individual Energy Recovery Ventilators (ERVs) and electric water heaters are provided for each suite. Zon Engineering Inc. provided a full range of mechanical design services, as well as, designed a 72 kW AC solar photovoltaic rooftop array. Air tightness testing was also carried out by Zon staff, and the final result achieved was 0.75 air changes per hour at 50 PA, which was well below the 1.0 ACH@50Pa target set for the building.





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