BWL Breaks Ground on New Delta Energy Park (cont'd from front page)

"The BWL has a history of generating its own power for residential, commercial and industrial customers throughout the greater Lansing region. This has allowed us to provide reliable and affordable energy that doesn't depend on the grid," said BWL General Manager Dick Peffley. "Delta Energy Park is the next chapter and is the largest project the BWL has ever taken on, allowing us to close our coal-fired plants."

"Our customers have asked for cleaner energy sources, and this plant will allow us to deliver on that promise," said BWL Commission Chair David Price. "This is just one way the BWL is leading the way in being a cleaner, more sustainable utility."

Delta Energy Park is expected to be operational by June 2021.



Construction work at Delta Energy Park.



Lansing Mayor Andy Schor speaking at the Delta Energy Park aroundbreaking ceremony.

Four Reasons to Recycle

- Dehumidifiers: Rebate amounts for recycling dehumidifiers has increased 49 percent, as reported by ENERGY STAR®.
- Freezers: They encompass oils, refrigerants and compounds that must be properly discarded before being recycled, according to federal law.
- Refrigerators: When they are 10+ years old, they can consist of 120 pounds of steel, which can be recycled and reused.
- 4. Room air conditioners: If they are ineffective, they should be recycled to help shorten peak load demand, avert the dispensation of greenhouse gases and protect resources and energy.

Call 800-573-3503 or visit hometownenergysavers.com to discover BWL Hometown Energy Savers® rebates and to schedule a pickup.







Pennies for Power helps provide shut-off protection for BWL customers who are struggling to make ends meet.

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Sign up online at Ibwl.com/pennies

BW CONNECTIONS

Report Outages

Power, Downed Line or Streetlight 877-295-5001

> Outage Center lbwl.com/outagecenter

> > BWL Mobile App lbwl.com/app

Outage Texting 898295/txtbwl

Water Main Break 517-702-6490

Medical Alert Form

If in-home medical equipment depends on electricity, sign up for our medical alert list. Call 517-702-6006, or go to **lbwl.com** and click on Medical Alert Form.

Seniors Shut-off Protection

If you are 65 or older, the BWL will not shut off your electricity during the heating season. Call 517-702-6006.

Military Families

Families with active members of the U.S. Military are protected from shut-offs. Call 517-702-6006.

Winter Shut-off Protection

Customers having difficulties paying their utility bills may qualify for a winter protection plan.

Call 517-702-6006.





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The Lansing Board of Water & Light broke ground on its new, cleaner and more efficient \$500 million natural gas-fired Delta Energy Park. The new plant will generate 250 megawatts (MWs) and create 1,200 construction iobs. Located at the Erickson Power Station in Delta Township, the new plant will replace both BWL's coal-fired plants, Eckert and Erickson Power Stations. when they retire in 2020 and 2025 respectively, and will be the BWL's second natural gas plant. Retiring both plants will make the BWL the largest utility in Michigan to generate coalfree power by 2025, reducing its carbon emissions by 80 percent.

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Left to right: BWL Board of Commissioners Chair David Price, Delta Township Supervisor Ken Fletcher, BWL General Manager Dick Peffley, Lansing Mayor Andy Schor