

APPLICATION SUMMARY
Preservation Power

Company:	Roth Industries Inc. ("Roth")
Location:	Watertown
County:	Jefferson
IOU:	National Grid
Business Activity:	Producer of domestic hot water solar and geothermal heat pumps, radiant floor heating and PEX-c plumbing systems, and septic, cistern, rainwater collection and oil storage systems and tanks.
Project Description:	Roth is planning a 27,000-square-foot expansion to its existing facility, which will include new equipment to increase production.
Existing Allocation(s):	None
Power Request:	1,200 kW
Power Recommended:	600 kW
Job Commitment:	
Base:	14
New:	At least 8 jobs
New Jobs/Power Ratio:	13 jobs/MW
New Jobs - Avg. Wage and Benefits:	\$52,000
Capital Investment:	At least \$6.7 million
Capital Investment/MW:	\$11.17 million/MW
Other ED Incentives:	PILOT and sales tax incentives from the Jefferson County IDA and \$425,000 in Excelsior tax credits from Empire State Development.
Summary:	The Roth companies are based in Germany, and Roth's Watertown facility is the company's first U.S.-based facility. In order to increase production capacity, reduce redundancy and improve competitiveness, Roth is looking to expand this facility and install a new blow molding machine. The expansion will allow Roth to add a third shift and begin balancing manufacturing loads between its Syracuse and Watertown facilities.