



Energy efficiency is key for new building

larger facility, smaller bill, and a breath of fresh air

Not only is the new facility for Midwest Fabrication & Supply larger, it has better air quality, costs less to heat and cool (**saving \$50,000** annually), and has earned it a substantial energy-saving rebate from Minnesota Energy Resources.

One new addition is an "air scrubber," a 30,000-cubic-feet-per-minute air filtration system that pulls in smoke from welding equipment, runs it through filters, and pushes the clean air back into the room. Without the need to exhaust and reheat the air, the plant stays warmer in the winter and **uses less energy**. Plus, four large, energy-recovery wheels recoup 70% of the heat content in the plant's exhausted air, leaving Midwest Fabrication & Supply to heat only 30% of the plant with natural gas.

Visit our Web site to learn how your energy conservation improvements can be rewarded with a rebate from Minnesota Energy Resources.

Contact Minnesota Energy Resources 24-Hour Customer Service at **800-889-9508** or find information online at **minnesotaenergyresources.com**

"The efficient use of energy is a key component to being competitive in this industry. The energy-saving programs from Minnesota Energy Resources were an important part of constructing our new facility."

–Jim Bushey
Plant Manager
Midwest Fabrication & Supply