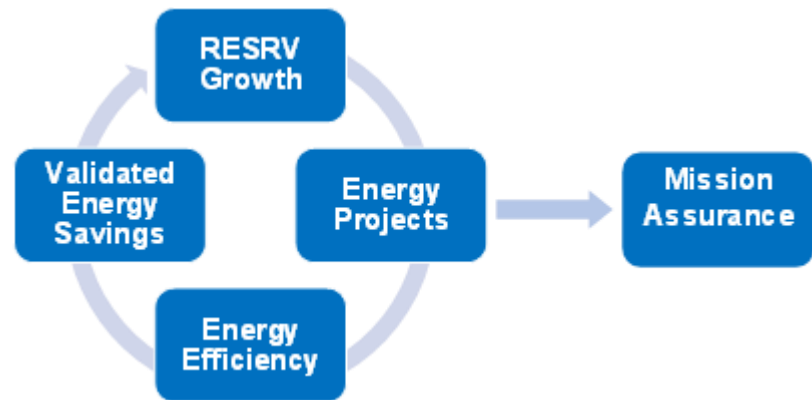




Resilient Energy Savings Resource Vault (RESRV)

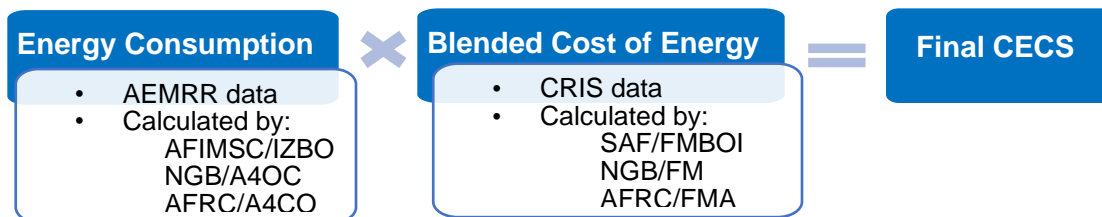
The Department of the Air Force created the RESRV to retain energy cost savings, re-investing in valuable energy resilience projects which enhance Mission Assurance through Energy Assurance.

The RESRV implements 10 United States Code (U.S.C.) § 2912, allowing the Department of the Air Force (DAF) to retain energy cost savings for reinvestment in DAF installations and energy priorities. Each fiscal year the RESRV captures validated Calculated Energy Cost Savings (CECS). RESRV funds contribute directly to the National Defense Strategy efforts to “rebuild military readiness as we build a more lethal joint force” and to “reform the Department’s business practices for greater performance and affordability.”



Validation and Funding Approach

CECS is developed each fiscal year (FY) for the FY prior (FY22 CECS developed in FY23, etc.). A sum equaling CECS is transferred from O&M funds, pending funds availability, by the end of the second FY. The CECS calculation is as follows:



Per 10 U.S.C. § 2912 authority, 50% of RESRV funds are made available to the installation where energy cost savings were realized with the other 50% for the Enterprise. All projects will be adjudicated for statutory, fiscal, and programmatic compliance prior to funding approval.

RESRV Project and Funding

The validated CECS for the first three years of the RESRV pilot (FY19-21) is about \$62M spanning across 75 Active Duty DAF installations, \$4.7M across 69 Air National Guard installations, and \$1.4M across 8 Reserve Command installations for placement in a no-year “shared energy savings” account. About \$12M of RESRV Enterprise funds were distributed for approved projects in FY22. Future RESRV Enterprise projects will be sourced from Integrated Project List (IPL) requirements.

The Department of the Air Force is taking a resilience-focused approach to future energy and water projects concentrated on providing strategic agility for missions and installations.

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