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# Alternative Financing

Financier's Perspective

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# Background on GE Capital-Potomac Federal

- Financing Federal projects for 25 years
- Equipment at over 500 locations worldwide
- Staff of Federal experts
- \$500 million/year in volume
- Influenced Energy project legislation
- ESPC and UESC project financing
- Largest non-bank financial institution



# Oil to Gas Conversion Project

- 15 high rise residential buildings
- \$15 million of work
- Conversion from oil heat to gas heat
- Used portion of gas transportation charge for debt repayment
- Variable monthly payments based on gas usage
- Used historical consumption to predict cash flow
- Variable financing term based on usage



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