



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE
BUREAU OF OVERSEAS BUILDINGS OPERATIONS

Net Zero Embassies

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OBO Overview – Serving the U.S. Diplomatic Community

290
LOCATIONS

\$71B
PORTFOLIO
REPLACEMENT VALUE

70,000
DIPLOMATIC STAFF
SUPPORTED

\$70M
INSTALLED PV

\$50M
PLANNED PV

25,465+ ASSETS

970+
Office
Buildings

16,575+
Residences

9,385+
Government
Owned

16,080
Leased

114+ MAJOR PROJECTS \$19.2B+ WORKLOAD

50+
Capital
Security
Construction

\$18,000M
WORKLOAD

40+
Active
Major
Renovations

\$850M
WORKLOAD

50+
Compound
Security
Upgrades

\$365M
WORKLOAD

52
LEED
Certifications

12,500
Art
Partners

35+
Secretary's Register
Properties

18,300
Cultural
Objects

AREAS OF FOCUS



**Embassy After Next
Building Program**
Security, Resilience, & Stewardship



Facility Maintenance & Upkeep
Asset Value Preservation
Improve functionality and value of overseas assets



Diplomatic Residential Program
Housing Investment
Improve diplomatic housing & quality of life



Data Management & Analytics
Data-Driven Decision-Making
Improve data quality, availability, and usability



Talent Management
Recruit and Retain
Diversify & professionally develop our workforce



OBO CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Global Status Map



- NEC, NCC, NOX, & NOB
- LFO, MAJOR REHAB, & RENOVATIONS
- CSU & FE/BR
- MSGR
- OTHER

65 ACTIVE PROJECTS

★ OVERSEAS REGIONAL SUPPORT CENTERS (ORSC)

- Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
- Cape Town, South Africa
- Abidjan, Ivory Coast
- Frankfurt, Germany
- Guam, Micronesia

U.S. State Department's first Net Zero Embassy



Embassy Koror

U.S. Embassy Palau

Map of Palau



Koror is home to about 2/3 of the country's population



Office densification is under consideration

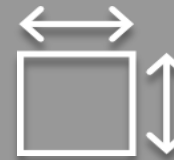
ANNUAL POPULATION GROWTH
+ 0.56%



METRO AREA POPULATION
~ 14,000



CLIMATE
Tropical Climate, with constant humidity
Year-round daytime temperature range is 86 to 88 F and average nighttime temperature 73 to 75 F.

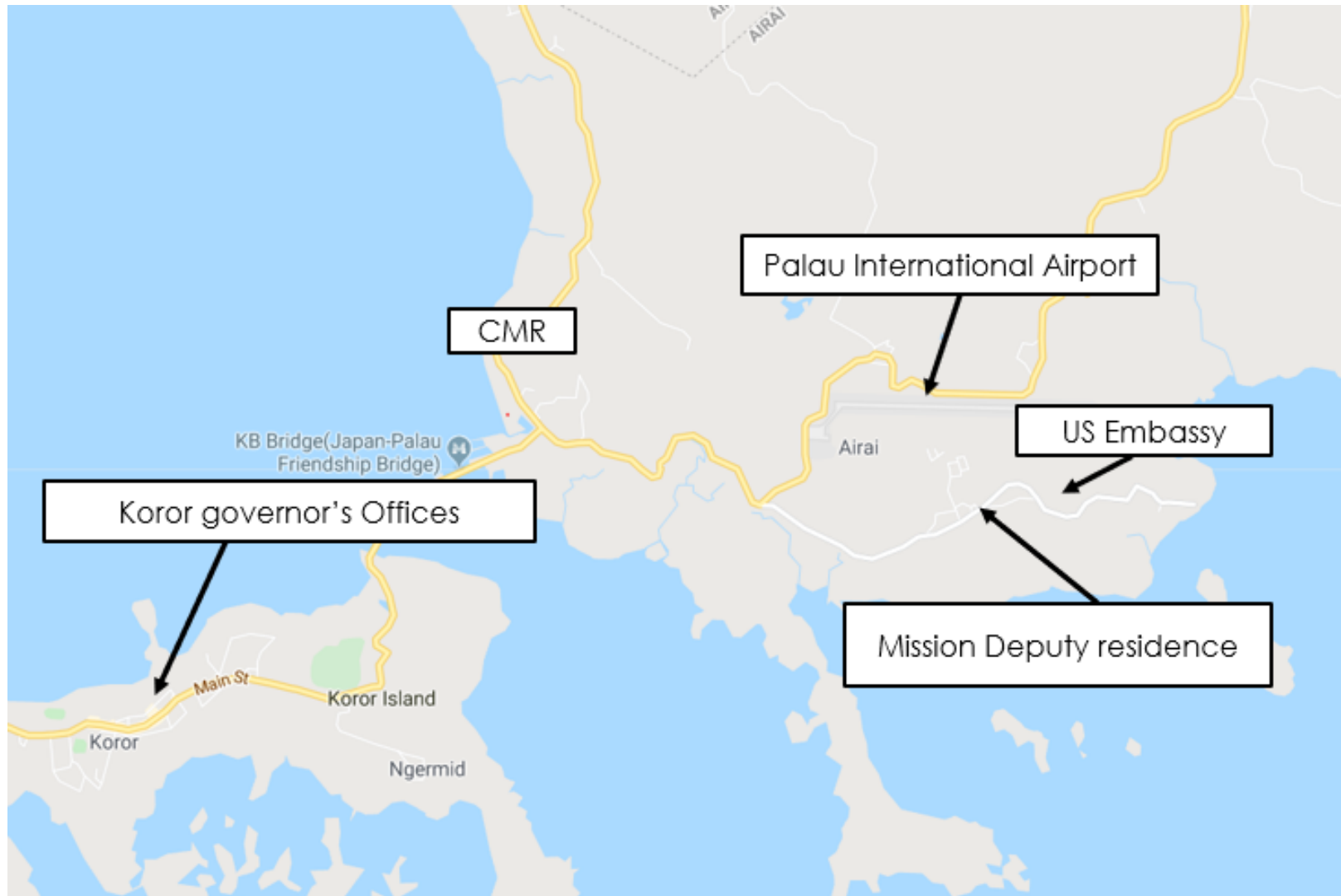


CITY AREA
3 Sq Mi

PRECIPITATION
Rainy throughout the year. No true dry season.



Map of City



Satellite of Chancery



Interior Photos



Office Area



Consular Area

Energy Conservation Project: Completed May 2022



SCOPE: New rooftop and parking canopy solar system, new interior lighting, new site lighting. Koror is now the first U.S. Embassy campus that is 100% solar powered

FINANCES:

- Koror has some of the most expensive electricity rates in the world at \$.46 per kilowatt-hour
- PV Installation Cost: \$1.5M
- After maintenance costs, system was forecast to generate \$101K of energy savings annually, payback in 14th year of operations, and generate a total of \$1.6M in lifetime savings.
- System has generated \$12k in savings in first month of operation, exceeding expectations.
- Life expectancy: 25 years

KOROR, PALAU

LED Lighting and PV Installation

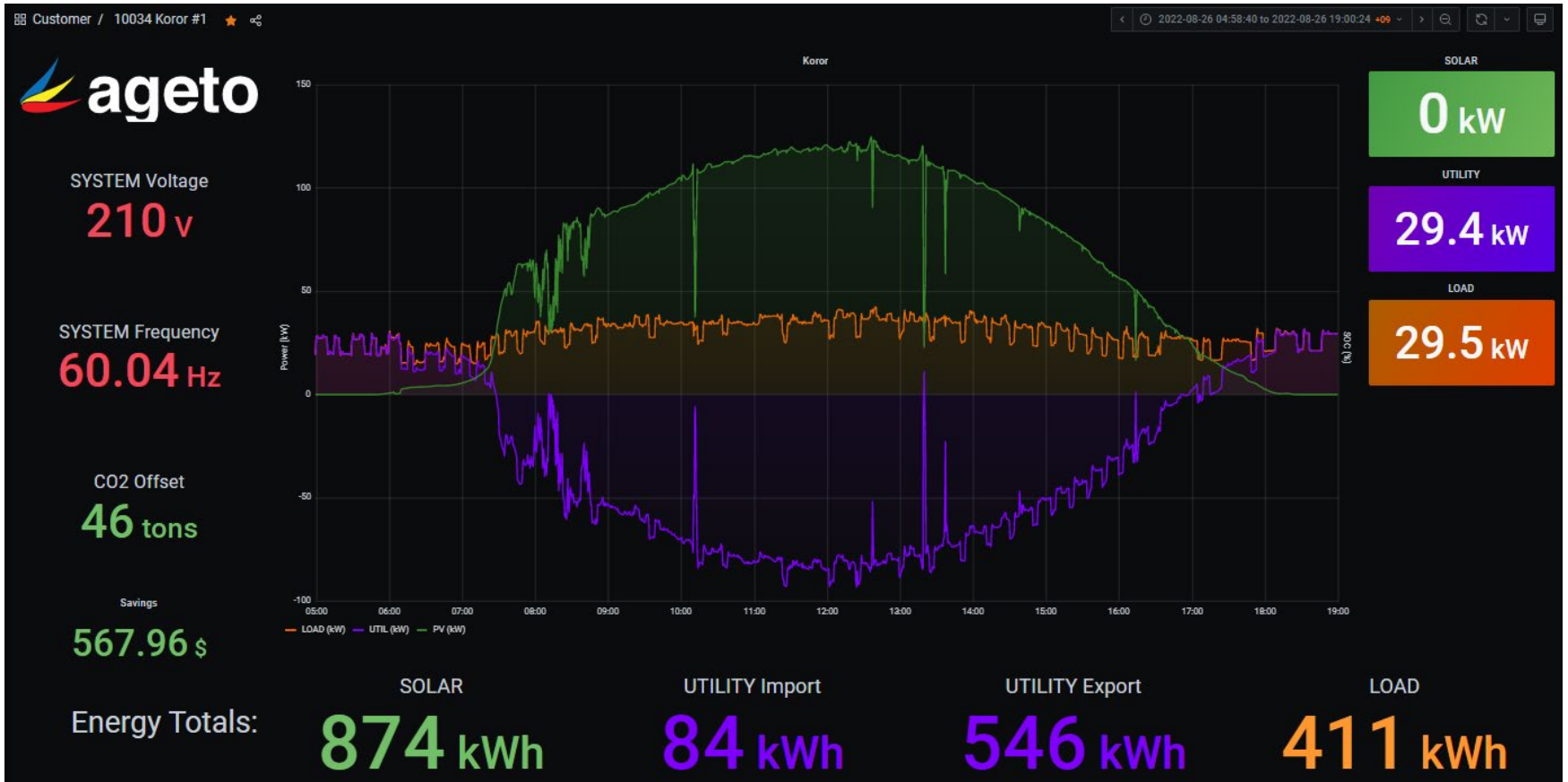
PV QUICK FACTS	
PV Initial Investment	\$ 1,527,226
System Size	162kW
\$/w Installed	\$12.62
Production Since Completion (04/20/22-9/08/22)	36.9MWh
2021-2022 Local Electricity Cost	\$77,982.56
Production Value Since Completion (04/20/22-9/08/22)	\$40,895
PV Payback	14.7 < years
Lifetime Savings (after payback)	\$1,607,968



Intention for Net-Zero:

- Pre-COVID usage per year – 260MWh
- Usage after Lighting and Efficiency Measures - 217MWh
- Electricity cost calculation based on May 2021-April 2022 utility bills in EnergyCAP
- LED Lighting and PV Installation total cost = \$1,992,890

Koror's Monitoring Controls



Energy Totals listed are for the time period of 5am – 7pm on 08/26/2022

Koror's Monitoring Controls



Energy Totals listed are for the time period of 05/20/2022 – 09/15/2022

Future Net Zero Embassies: Pacific Islands



APIA, SAMOA

LED Lighting, PV Installation, and Battery Storage

PV & BESS QUICK FACTS

PV Initial Investment	\$1,462,121
System Size	77 kW
\$/w Installed	\$20.31
Estimated Annual Production	90,544 kWh
2020-2021 Local Electricity Cost	\$33,922.48
2022 Estimated Production Value (after O&M)	\$34,407
PV Payback	34 < years
Lifetime Savings (after payback)	-\$484,660



- LED Lighting, HVAC upgrade and air sealing, PV Installation, and Battery Storage total cost = \$2,486,095
- Electricity cost calculation based on Oct 2020-Sept 2021 utility bills in EnergyCAP

KOLONIA, FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA

LED Lighting, PV Installation, and Battery Storage

PV & BESS QUICK FACTS

PV Initial Investment	\$2,983,864
System Size	227.9 kW
\$/w Installed	\$13.20
Estimated Annual Production	302,597 kWh
2021-2022 Local Electricity Cost	N/A
Estimated Production Value (After O&M)	\$127,212
Payback	22 < years
Lifetime Savings (after payback)	\$683,663



- LED Lighting, PV Installation, and Battery Storage total cost = \$3,550,517

MAJURO, MARSHALL ISLANDS

LED Lighting, PV Installation, and Battery Storage

PV & BESS QUICK FACTS

PV Initial Investment	\$ 2,527,421
System Size	169 kW
\$/w Installed	\$14.96
Estimated Annual Production	239,229 kWh
2021-2022 Local Electricity Cost	N/A
Estimated Production Value (After O&M)	\$75,675
PV Payback	26 < years
Lifetime Savings (after payback)	-\$170,300



- LED Lighting, PV Installation, and Battery Storage total cost = \$2,759,734

Pacific Islands Contract Totals

SUMMARY	
Initial Investment	\$ 8,500,632
Total PV Capacity	588 kW
\$/w Installed	\$14.46
Estimated Annual Production	862,075 kWh*
2021-2022 Local Electricity Cost	N/A
Estimated Production Value (After O&M)	\$321,513
PV Payback	22 < years
Lifetime PV Savings (after payback)	\$1,516,666

NIAMEY, NIGER

PV Installation and Battery Storage

PV & BESS* QUICK FACTS

Initial Investment	\$2,412,929
System Size	750 kW
\$/w Installed	\$3.45
Estimated Annual Production	1.06 MWh
Estimated Electricity Cost (2021-2022)	\$480,715
Estimated Diesel Cost (2021-2022)	\$1.2M
Estimated Production Value (After O&M)	\$125k
PV Payback	17 < years
PV Lifetime Savings	\$1.35M
PV+BESS Annual Savings	\$1M

*Battery Energy Storage System (BESS)



- LEED Platinum certified building
- No option for net-metering with local electric company
- High reliance on diesel generators because of grid-instability (poor quality and frequent outages)
- BESS allows for \$1M in annual savings by not running diesel generators

Niamey's Battery Storage



- 1.5MWh of Lithium Nickel Manganese Cobalt (LiNMC) battery capacity
- Battery containers were painted to match aesthetic of NEC, however are typically white

Niamey's Battery Controls



Energy Totals listed are for the time period of 6am – 8pm on 09/05/2022

Q&A



Map Legend:



3 Installed Wind at 88 kW



46 Installed Solar at 10 MW



30 Planned Solar at 12.4 MW