SUMMARY: Sustainability Efforts by the Center for Lifelong Learning (CLL)
April 1, 2008 - March 31, 2010

- In conjunction with SUNY Canton’s Center for Energy Efficiency and Building Science (CEEBS), CLL assists with registration, marketing, and information management for Building Performance Institute (BPI) Certification training in Building Analyst and Envelope Professional. To date, nearly 100 individuals have been instructed in conducting energy efficiency audits.

- In conjunction with Community Power Network and NYSERDA, CLL has hosted two “clean and tune” training programs for owners and employees of companies that supply and service oil burning furnaces. Individuals learned best practices to maximize energy efficiency.

- In conjunction with Building Performance Contractors Association (BPCA), CLL hosted a one-day workshop and a dinner forum featuring internationally renowned Building Scientist Joseph Lstiburek, Ph.D., P.E.. Fifty architects, contractors, code officials, and other building professionals from Saratoga Springs, Plattsburgh, Watertown and many other communities in the region, joined SUNY Canton faculty and students for an enlightening and entertaining presentation about moisture-related building problems and indoor quality.

- Serve as a member of the St. Lawrence County Energy Alliance and its sub-committee on addressing policy issues with NYSERDA about BPI programs, and creating a contractors’ forum based at SUNY Canton where best practices, training dates, and relevant information could be shared.

- Attended two meetings at the Wild Center, Tupper Lake, with NYS Department of State Code Enforcement officials, NYSERDA, and other parties to begin discussions about offering workshops on the new energy code.