



GRU LED

Gainesville Regional Utilities makes the switch to LED street lighting.

The energy Gainesville will save with the new LED street lights could power Ben Hill Griffin Stadium every year!



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On Oct. 1, 2017, the Gainesville City Commission passed an ordinance and directed Gainesville Regional Utilities to replace all streetlights to Light Emitting Diode (LED) fixtures and bulbs. GRU has over 30,000 streetlights in its territory. This phased program will last approximately five years.

LED lights are more energy efficient.

LED lights use 63% less energy than traditional High Pressure Sodium (HPS) lights.

LED lights last longer and will reduce GRU's maintenance costs.

LED bulbs last 2-3 times longer than HPS lights (10-15 years).

LED light color temperature can improve nighttime visibility.

The City of Gainesville has adopted 3000 Kelvin (K) lights which provide a warmer and more natural correlated color temperature (CCT).

LED lights reduce crime rate and lead to safer neighborhoods.

In New York City, a study found a 39% reduction in crimes at night where new LED street lights were installed.

LED lights reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

In 2017, LED bulbs reduced 570 million tons of carbon emissions nationwide.

See the LED savings at home.

Gainesville residents can continue the savings at home by replacing indoor incandescent and compact fluorescent (CFL) bulbs with LED.

Gainesville Regional Utilities is committed to providing sustainable and cost-effective energy.

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