Lighting, Building Exterior

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Maintenance Services and Utilities -Outside Lighting maintain outside lighting. Typically, if the light fixture is attached to the building and can be reached from a stepladder, the responsibility of maintaining the light goes to one of the Maintenance Services - Region Maintenance Shops. Light fixtures attached to a building but not accessible from a stepladder, and street & sidewalk lighting fixtures, are the responsibility of the Utilities - Outside Lighting shop.

Some of the university's outside lighting circuits are on sensors or time clocks to control when the lights turn on and off. Other outside lighting circuits are computer-controlled by the Building Automation System. Facilities & Operations appreciates being notified when outside lighting fails to turn on at night or is on during the daytime and wasting electricity.

Note: Lights in the underground parking area on the outside of the Rackham Building (00172) are handled in a joint effort between Maintenance Services and Logistics, Transportation & Parking. LTP is responsible for bulb replacement and Maintenance Services is responsible for the electrical components.

To request service, call the Facilities Service Center at 734-647-2059 or visit requests.fo.umich.edu.