

# Electrical Power Shutdown

Attention: RIT Housing Residents

Exception: Colony Manor will not experience the electrical shutdown

No electricity May 25<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 a.m.  
and May 26<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 a.m.

The switchgear in the substation is being replaced and upgraded to continue reliable electrical service and improve distribution of on-campus power generation (solar power and fuel cell).

The electrical shutdown is scheduled for May 25<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m. and May 26<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m.

All buildings will be affected except Red Barn and Colony Manor.

- There will be no internet or wireless connection.
- Card reader access to your building/unit will more than likely run out of battery power, if at any time you cannot get into your housing contact Public Safety 475-2853 or 475-3333
- Push lights are available at Housing Operations on Wednesday, May 25<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Charge all your mobile devices prior to the shut down date and time.
- Unplug all sensitive electronic equipment prior to the scheduled date and time.
- Keep refrigerator opening to a minimum to maintain the internal temperature.
- Plan to take a shower prior to the shutdown. Hot water is stored in the hot water tanks and will only last until used up or cools down.
- Toilets will still work.
- Have a battery operated light source on hand.
- Fire alarm systems and emergency lighting will operate.
- Be sure you plan for food you need during the power outage.

We are providing advance notice to all residents so that proper arrangements can be made if necessary.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your patience as this necessary work is completed.

In the event of an emergency, please contact Public Safety.

Emergency: (585) 475-3333  
General: (585) 475-2853  
Text: (585) 205-8333

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Location Hours for May  
25th and May 26th

