

**iWG Assessment**

SWATeam Recommendation Ref #: ECONS0005

Date: 5/2/2017

Original SWATeam Recommendation: The ECBS SWATeam recommends conducting the 'Illini Lights Out' program on an ongoing basis. Starting in spring 2017, iSEE staff have begun coordinating the effort with support of the ECBS SWATeam. We recommend that as an ongoing program, iSEE assume coordination of Illini Lights Out, with help from students and the ECBS SWATeam

iWG Assessment of budget and policy impacts (*check one*):

moderate budget and/or policy impact      OR       major budget and/or policy implications

iWG Routing Need (*check one*):

transmit recommendation      OR       forward to Sustainability Council

iWG Routing Direction (*department name, or Council*):       iSEE      

iWG Assessment: This is an important part of the iCAP and iSEE should take on long-term management and coordination of this program. Moving forward, data on total lights shut off should be collected and shared with building occupants and an educational component should be developed. Perhaps a competitive aspect for participation could be added as well.

Individual comments are required from each iWG member (can be brief, if member fully agrees):

iWG Member Name	iWG Member's Comments
Ximing Cai (iSEE)	I support the continuation of the activity which not only saves energy but also provides a way for student volunteers to participate sustainable campus development. I will talk to iSEE management meeting about the fund requirement.
Morgan Johnston (F&S)	F&S supports this recommendation.
Robyn Deterding (Student Affairs)	On behalf of Student Affairs, given the support by the students and the iSEE staff, we support further efforts with this project.
Matthew Tomaszewski (Provost's Office)	I support this proposal and encourage consideration of Sean's concept of broader participation.
Gary Kling (Academic Senate)	Since we have willing students, and iSEE staff willing to supervise the program, the ability for short and long-term savings should make this an important part of our iCAP goals.
Joseph Edwards (Student Sustainability Leadership Council)	No feedback.
Sean Reeder (OBFS)	I'm supportive of this idea, and think that we might want to see how to get RSO's involved, perhaps having competitions, or evening getting them to "own" a particular building, kind of like you see on the side of the interstate where groups have signs stating they are responsible for keeping it clean for a stretch of road.

## Attachment D

Scott Willenbrock (Provost's Fellow)	I support this recommendation.
Rob Fritz (college-level facility manager)	This is a low economic impact with a high gain in energy savings. I approve this activity.

Attach any comments from subject matter experts (with names and roles).