

Flip the Switch



**LIGHTS
OUT SU!**

JAGUAR NATION SUPPORTS CONSERVATION

Rising energy cost is one of the greatest challenges facing colleges and universities across the nation. Currently, 40 percent of SU's energy costs are for lighting, 40 percent for heating and air conditioning, and 20 percent for all other energy consumption.

CONSERVE ENERGY, PRESERVE JOBS & TUITION

The simplest conservation practices will save dollars, jobs, and student tuition cost.

ENERGY CONSERVATION MAKES \$ENSE

A five percent decrease in electrical demand equates to approximately \$1 million over one year.

Let's Conserve SU! Here is what you can do to help SU lower energy costs.

- **TURN OFF LIGHTS WHEN NOT IN USE**
(dormitory suites, classrooms, laboratories, offices, etc.)
- Turn off PCs, monitors, printers, copiers, coffee pots, and lights every night
- Enable sleep settings on computer monitors when not in use; screen savers do not save energy, but sleep settings do
- Turn off radios, televisions, PCs, monitors, printers, copiers, coffee pots, and lights every night
- Set thermostats at 75 degrees during warm months and 78 degrees during cool months
- **DO NOT USE PORTABLE HEATERS AND CANDLES;**
portable heaters and candles are prohibited on SU campus
- Use natural lighting when possible
- Make sure that doors and windows are kept closed while heating and air conditioning systems are on
- Report malfunctioning thermostats to campus administrators

Learn more about SU's energy conservation campaign during the **Lights Out SU! Flip the Switch Pep Rally, Wednesday October, 25, 2006, NOON, Smith Brown Memorial Union Courtyard**
(if rain persists, the pep rally will be moved to the Cotillion Ballroom)

