Committee or Individual: Campus Safety Committee  
Date submitted: 12/2/04  
Issue/Concern: Lighting on campus after dark  
Signature of Initiator(s): Tri-Chairs: R. Martinelli, K. Chewning, J. Tanner

Provide information, which succinctly but fully discusses the issue/concern (if necessary, add additional pages).

A. Describe the issue/concern:

In the Noel Levitz survey, students indicated that the lighting is not sufficient throughout the campus after dark. There are places of concern where there is need for better lighting to ensure the safety and security of everyone on campus after dark.

B. What do you recommend or suggest solving this issue/concern?

See attached Recommended Lighting Improvements

C. How will this recommendation support the success of SCC students and benefit the campus community?

Better lighting throughout the campus will provide a better feeling of safety and security for all of the campus community.

Please return this form to the Process Coordinator, Nelle Moffett, RN 221. The Initiator will be notified within 5 working days as to the committee or council that will review this issue/concern.

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Campus Safety Committee
Recommended Lighting Improvements
Dec 2, 2004

- Recommend that district Facility’s Management develop a recommended minimum light level for on-campus exterior locations. This standard will be used to evaluate improved/increased lighting recommendations submitted from the campus as part of the overall safety and security review that has been completed.

- For all lighting improvements that are considered for SCC, there must be consideration given to ambient light levels that might interfere with Observatory operations on the roof of Rodda South.

- For light systems to be effective, shrubbery must be maintained at trimmed levels that do not obstruct lighting. This trimmed condition will also provide for a more secure environment. Recommendations for areas that need to be trimmed are included below.

Specific Recommendations:

- Front of school – From 12th Avenue south to Sutterville along Freeport Blvd.
  -- Add lighting to the area with trees along Freeport. Also, add lighting to the Sacramento City College signage located between Rodda North and Rodda South. This will light up the wooded area on the front perimeter. This lighting is recommended as fairly low (approximately 3’) landscape type lighting. Add path lights along sidewalk for pedestrians where applicable (e.g. path between Lillard Hall and Mohr Hall).

  -- Also cut shrubbery to a maximum of three feet in height from ground to top. Cut trees to a minimum of six feet in height from ground to lowest branch.

- Mohr Hall seating area
  -- Add additional lighting in this area. Again, recommend low, landscape type of lighting.

  -- Also cut shrubbery to a maximum of three feet in height from ground to top. Cut trees to a minimum of six feet in height from ground to lowest branch.

- Art Court seating area
  -- Add additional lighting in this area. Bring to standard level through walkways and corridors.

  -- Cut shrubbery to a maximum of three feet in height from ground to top. Cut trees to a minimum of six feet in height from ground to lowest branch.
- G- Parking Lot
  -- Add lighting to this parking lot, center area, to bring up to standard lighting level.

- ALL Parking Lots on Campus: as part of the extensive Transportation, Access and Parking (TAP) improvements that are planned for the college over the next several years, ensure that a minimum standard light level is included in all design work for these projects. Where necessary add increased lighting to achieve standard level.

- Other interior areas
  -- Cut shrubbery to a maximum of three feet in height from ground to top.
  Cut trees to a minimum of six feet in height from ground to lowest branch.

NOTE: A separate recommendation/work order will be submitted to FM regarding emergency exit lighting for building interiors. This issue has also been reviewed by the Campus Safety Committee.