# **GRU Lighting Programs**

#### October 2013



#### **Lighting Programs**

**GRU Offers 2 Lighting Programs Rental Lighting** - offered to residential / commercial customers and private roadway applications **Public Roadway Lighting** offered to Public Agencies



## Rental Lighting Rental lighting consist of 2 rate structures

**Standard rental rate. Rate includes** equipment purchase, installation, maintenance and energy charges **Contributed rental rate. Rate** includes only maintenance and energy. Fixture purchase and installation cost paid for up front by others



- Lights can be rented by any GRU residential or commercial customer within the Electric Service Territory
- Typical Applications
  - Commercial Endeavors
  - Apartment Complexes
  - Residential Properties
  - Private Roadways



Located on customer's property

May be attached to an existing GRU distribution pole or roadway lighting pole (no additional cost)
May be attached to a dedicated standard or decorative pole at an additional cost



#### **Types of Lights Installed:**

- Area Lights
- Flood Lights
- Decorative Lights
- Roadway Lights
- Pedestrian Scale Lights

#### **Light sources**

- High Pressure Sodium (HPS)
- Metal Halide



- Customer signs a 5 year rental agreement
- Engineering meets with customer to determine location of light and / or pole
- Engineering and customer determine type of light to be rented \*
- GRU installs and maintains light

\* Any photometric requirements designed by professional engineer



**Quantities of Lights (August 2013)** Rental Standard 13,535 Contributed 112 **Total Rental Lights** 13,647 \$2,030,073 \* Yearly Revenue \*does not include fuel adjustment or pole rental

charges

# GRU Public Roadway Light Program



Public Roadway Lighting Public roadway lighting consist of 2 rate structures

- Public Standard Rate. Rate includes equipment purchase, installation, maintenance and energy charges.
- Public Contributed Rate. Rate includes only maintenance and energy. Fixture purchase and installation cost paid for up front by others.



**Currently maintain 35 different High Intensity Discharge decorative and non-decorative light fixtures** 

Types include:

- Pedestrian scale decorative lights
- **Decorative lights**
- roadway decorative fixtures
  - Traditional roadway fixtures Flood Lights

**Light Sources** 

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- High Pressure Sodium (HPS)
  - Metal Halide



Light fixtures currently offered for roadway applications are

- High Pressure Sodium (Local and DOT roadways)
  - Mercury Vapor and Metal Halide in the downtown area only - Area Lighting (mostly pedestrian scale decorative fixtures)



Quantities of Lights (August 2013) <u>City</u>

Standard rate11,642Contributed rate1,309Total City Lights12,951Yearly Revenue\$1,496,073 \*\*does not include fuel adjustment or pole rental<br/>charges



Quantities of Lights (August 2013) <u>County</u>

Standard rate4,801Contributed rate457Total County Lights5,258Yearly Revenue\$522,222 \*\*does not include fuel adjustment or pole rental<br/>charges



#### **Quantities of roadway lights in City (August 2013)**

	<b>Contributed</b>	<b>Un-Contributed</b>	Total
100 watt HPS	36	6416	6452
150 watt HPS	236	2326	2562
250 watt HPS	449	1883	2332
400 watt HPS	86	51	137
<b>Grand Total</b>	807	10,676	11,483



## LED Lighting Discussion



Lighting rates are made up of 3 major components:

- Equipment installation and purchase
- Life cycle maintenance
- Energy consumption

Amortized over lifecycle of fixture (typical 15 years)



**LED Lighting Considerations** 

- Cost of Equipment and Installation
- Life Expectancy
- Maintenance costs (cyclical and non cyclical)
- Heat (dissipation), Corrosion (humidity) and Surge Suppression (withstand Lightning)
- Energy Consumption
- Light characteristics
- Lighting design requirements (IES/etc.)
- FDOT Requirements / Acceptance



# Installation and purchase cost Fixture purchase

- Installation and Removal Cost (Labor and Equipment)
- Other Materials (photocell, wire, connectors, mounting brackets)



#### **Cyclical Maintenance Cost**

- Routine maintenance photocell replacement, cleaning)
   <u>Non Cyclical Cost</u>
- Non Warranty failed fixture repair and replacement (5%)
- Warranty Fixture repair and replacement



#### **Energy Usage (per month)**

HPS	HPS	LED	Diff
Equivalent			
100 w	41	19.1	21.9 kwh
	\$3.12	\$1.45	\$1.67
150 w	62	36.4	25.6 kwh
	\$4.71	\$2.77	\$1.94
250 w	103	60.5	42.5 kwh
	\$7.83	\$4.60	\$3.23
400 w	164	97.2	66.8 kwh
	\$12.46	\$7.39	\$5.07

(GS1 service rate 7.6 cents / kwh) (does not include fuel adjustment)



## Questions

