Facilities Services Annual Report
Fiscal Year 2017
Serving the Mission of Illinois State University

Facilities Services
A Division of Finance and Planning
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A Message from the Associate Vice President

Facilities Services at Illinois State University continues to adapt in an agile manner in meeting the emerging needs of the academic enterprise. This first ever Annual Report includes Facilities Services facts and summarizes our major accomplishments in Fiscal Year 2017, by highlighting how we deliver myriad services, uphold fiduciary responsibilities, and care for the physical assets entrusted to us. This Report was created with a vision of Facilities Services being recognized for excellence and responsiveness in service delivery and for being the provider of choice for maintaining our campus facilities and grounds.

It is my desire that this Report illustrates the value we place in maintaining strong, supportive, and collaborative relationships throughout campus. Thank you to all the Facilities employees for all their hard work and efforts that went into keeping the campus clean, safe, and secure for students, faculty, staff, and visitors at Illinois State University. A special thanks to Tanaporn “Gig” Supanichrattana and Mac Gao for the creative genius in compiling this Report.

Chuck Scott
Associate Vice President for Facilities Management, Planning, and Operations

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**Facilities Services**

Facilities Services, a division reporting to the Office of Vice President for Finance and Planning, is responsible for the planning, improvement, and maintenance of the Illinois State University campus buildings and grounds.

**Departments Comprising Facilities Services**

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**Mission**

Provide safe, functional, aesthetically pleasing and environmentally sustainable buildings and grounds which are conducive to the delivery of education and support the mission of Illinois State University.

**Vision**

Leadership through service; recognized for excellence in service, as a partner in solving customer’s problems, and the provider of choice for maintaining University buildings and grounds.

**Core Values**

- Professionalism
- Respect
- Integrity
- Dedication
- Excellence
- Communication
- Relationships
- Quality
- Teamwork
- Engagement
- Honesty and Transparency

**Facilities Services at a Glance**

- **1,100** Total campus acres
- **6.8M** Square feet of campus maintained by Facilities Services
- **186** Buildings owned by the University
- **462** Facilities FTE
- **$30,514,582** Annual Facilities operating expenditures
- **$3.145B** Estimated current replacement value
Facilities Management Administrative Services provides administrative support for all units of Facilities Services. The services include:

- **Building Access**: Provides appropriate access to campus facilities; develop and maintain electronic access system.
- **Business Office**: Maintains and produces accurate financial data and handles expenses for products and/or services.
- **Data/Business Process Analysis**: Maintains Facilities related data and improves business processes and workflow.
- **Employee Relations**: Maintains employee records and assists the department with all Human Resources needs.
- **Stores**: Maintains a storeroom of materials and equipment and handles product/services procurement.
- **Training and Development/Communications**: Promotes growth and broadens the knowledge of Facilities employees.
- **Work Management**: Coordinates routine, non-routine, and emergency work to maintain campus buildings and grounds.

### FY17 By The Numbers

How many key requests did we complete?

4,655 key requests were processed by Facilities Management Customer Services staff.

- 4,414 Physical keys issued
- 314 Fobs/Prox cards issued
- 132 Ring of keys issued

87% Satisfied with maintenance services (The surveys were sent out for every 5th work order completed.)

- 10,000 Approximate number of vendor invoices processed
- 6,044 Stores purchase orders issued with a total value of $2,829,268
- $1.5M Stores stock inventory value

#### Did You Know?

- 187 Electronic access control doors on campus
- 470 Approximate number of employee files maintained by Employee Relations
- 30,000 Approximate number of transactions for daily timesheets each year
- 8,000 Approximate number of stock items in Stores warehouse
Facilities Leadership Pilot Program Team with First Lady Marlene Dietz

In fiscal year 2017, eight Facilities leaders went through the Facilities Leadership Pilot Program and completed all required sessions and activities. The program was adjusted based on feedback from the participants and officially rolled out in Spring FY18. The program provides more opportunities for Facilities employees to build and develop their talent, to connect to the emerging professionals (next leaders), as well as to share leadership values and expectations with others.

Work Orders Accessed through WebTMA GO on iPad

In fiscal year 2017, Velocity Software was upgraded, as well as 47 Identiv Hirsch panels. In addition to the upgrade, new access control technology was installed at several campus locations including Cook Hall, Felmley Hall of Science, Nelson Smith Building, and Alumni Center to limit campus facility access and enhance university property security.

Educating Illinois
GOAL 2: Provide rigorous, innovative, and high-impact undergraduate and graduate programs that prepare students to excel in a globally competitive, culturally diverse, and changing environment.

STRATEGY 3: Recruit and retain high-quality, diverse faculty and staff.

Facilities Leadership Pilot Program Team with First Lady Marlene Dietz

Educating Illinois
GOAL 4: Enhance institutional effectiveness by strengthening the organizational operation and enhancing resource development.

STRATEGY 1: Review processes and practices to ensure efficiency and effectiveness in the University's operations.

< iPad utilization

All Building Mechanics and Building Operating Engineers use WebTMA GO on iPads, helping them track and manage their work orders. This process has moved from manual paper to digital, which reduces paper usage, increases accuracy, and improves timeliness in reporting. Facilities Management Administrative Services continues to work with Craft Trades to explore opportunities to improve workflow and processes.

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Electronic access control upgrade

New Access Control Installed at Cook Hall
Facilities Management

Automotive Services & Fleet Reservations

Automotive Services provides vehicle maintenance and repair for University vehicles. The unit operates a full garage, including:
- Regular vehicle maintenance and repair
- Pickup and delivery of vehicles in need of repair
- Maintain vehicle service records
- Provide vehicle cost reports

Fleet Reservations provides travel assistance for all University departments and Registered Student Organizations (RSOs) through a rental fleet program. Some of the fleet services include:
- Vehicle and bus reservations
- Passenger van and minibus training
- Daily vehicle inspection and preparation
- Transportation billing and cost reports

FY17 By The Numbers

How many automotive work orders did we complete?

More than 1,784 work orders were completed by Automotive Services.

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What type of work did we complete to maintain University vehicles?

- General Vehicle Maintenance: 17.6%
- Vehicle Safety Inspections: 37.22%
- Vehicle Repairs: 45.18%

DID YOU KNOW?

- 700 Gallons of motor oil used to maintain University Vehicles per year
- 272 University vehicles (includes 41 rental fleet vehicles)
- 13 Hybrid University vehicles (6 rental fleet vehicles and 7 departmental vehicles)
- 357 Bus reservations (includes 71 charter bus bookings and 286 school bus bookings)
Providing sustainable transportation >

Automotive Services purchased three 12-passenger Ford Transit vans, which are available for use by the ISU community, to improve the safety and transport capacity of the current vehicle pool. The new Transit vans have a higher roof, wider seats, and larger rear storage, and are ideal for transporting large groups around town or on a long road trip.

Sustainable transportation alternative >

Automotive Services has been transitioning its fleet to be more sustainable. In fiscal year 2016, five new 2017 Ford Fusion Hybrid sedans were purchased under state contract for our rental fleet and were placed into service in fiscal year 2017. The Hybrid version of the Ford Fusion seamlessly switches between gas engine and electric motor, or a combination of both, which better delivers fuel efficiency than non-hybrid vehicles. The Ford Fusion Hybrid has become the most popular rental vehicle for our customers this year.

“Our mission is to support the campus community mission with safe dependable travel, promote sustainable and cost effective practices for vehicle/equipment replacement, and provide cost effective preventative maintenance and repairs.”

- Tim Murry, Transportation Manager
Building Maintenance and Operations provides maintenance services in support of the University’s operations, including repair and maintenance of buildings and equipment throughout campus. The areas of service includes:

- **Maintenance and Repairs:** Craft Trades provides maintenance and repair services including carpentry, electrical, maintenance, moving and hauling, painting, and plumbing to the University community. Most residential and campus dining maintenance problems are handled by the Building Mechanics and Building Operating Engineers.

- **Projects and Elevator Maintenance:** The services include: providing estimates for large repairs and maintenance projects, managing maintenance projects, determining maintenance needs and repairs, coordinating various projects with Facilities Planning and Construction, and providing oversight of elevator maintenance.

How many work orders did we complete?
More than 44,721 work orders were completed by ISU Craft Trades in FY 2017.

- **84** In-house FTEs working in Building Maintenance and Operations
- **84** Elevators on campus maintained by Building Maintenance and Operations
- **6.8M** Square feet of campus maintained by Building Maintenance and Operations
- **2,663** Approximate number of residence rooms maintained by Building Maintenance and Operations
- **$8.2M** Total expenditures for Building Maintenance and Operations
- **89** Maintenance project estimates completed ($1,000 minimum)
- **38,546** (86.2%) Routine Maintenance Work Orders
- **6,175** (13.8%) Planned/Preventive Work Orders

**FY17 By The Numbers**

**Did You Know?**

- **39** Fire hydrants on campus maintained and inspected each year to ensure proper functioning
- **2,400** Approximate number of emergency shower and eyewash stations inspected each year
- **184** Backflow preventers inspected each year to ensure the proper operation
- **11,552** Fire alarm devices in all campus buildings and residence halls inspected each year to ensure campus safety
Illinois State University has continued to provide a supportive and safe environment, including equal access to restrooms and other essential facilities, for people of all identities. Existing single-use restrooms are converted to all-gender facilities and appropriately labeled as “All Gender Restrooms” with designated signage in place. This project was successfully completed by ISU Craft Trades. All-gender restrooms are available at several campus locations including the Alumni Center, Bone Student Center, Center for Community Engagement and Service Learning, Center for the Visual Arts, Fell Hall, Hovey Hall, Linkins Dining Center, Rachel Cooper, Redbird Arena, Schroeder Hall, Watterson Towers, and the 308 Kingsley Street Building.

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STRATEGY 5: Provide integrated and holistic services that support students’ individual needs.

All-gender restrooms on campus >

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< Ongoing residence halls door lock projects

Facilities Management and University Housing worked together on upgrading new locks at the west campus complex (Wilkins/Haynie/Wright) and Linkins Dining Center to ensure safety and security. ISU carpenters removed old locks and replaced with 4,700 individual interchangeable cores within the four buildings. The new upgrade continues to provide safe and secure residence facilities. This is an ongoing project to upgrade all residence hall locks.

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GOAL 3: Foster an engaged community and enhance the University’s outreach and partnerships both internally and externally.

STRATEGY 3: Develop partnerships with business, educational, and government entities that provide learning, financial, and mutually-beneficial opportunities.

Marketplace at Linkins refresh >

Marketplace at Linkins was renovated by in-house staff to enhance dining services. The project included repainting the interior of the facility, upgrading the electrical and lighting, and replacing new carpet. The new dining environment has a much more modern appearance than before and becomes a more welcoming and comfortable gathering space for the Illinois State University community.
Custodial Services maintains a clean and safe environment within all academic, residential, and administrative buildings on campus supporting Illinois State University’s mission and goals. The unit provides custodial services to the University community; including routine cleaning, trash and recycling removal, and specialty cleaning. Other services include: laundry services, janitorial equipment repair, as well as equipment and supplies delivery for University departments.

University Recycling Services provides quality recycling and waste management services for the Illinois State University community; including waste and recycling collection, confidential materials pickup, and other special service requests. The unit also promotes sustainability awareness and recycling practices throughout campus.

**FY17 By The Numbers**

*How much did we recycle on campus?*
Illinois State University has achieved a 47% diversion rate in FY17. University Recycling has continued to develop partnerships with other departments and the community to reduce waste and increase recycling opportunities through sustainable activities and events.

More than 2,750,730 pounds of materials recycled in fiscal year 2017.

*What materials does Illinois State recycle?*

- **262,180 lbs.** Single Stream
- **400,590 lbs.** Brush
- **898,032 lbs.** Others
- **525,238 lbs.** Pulp
- **427,160 lbs.** Cardboard
- **237,530 lbs.** Scrap Metal

*18M* Linear feet of roll paper towels consumed

*4.9M* Folded paper towels consumed

*1,240* Gallons of floor finish applied to University floors

*4,379* Material requests submitted in TMA

**Did You Know?**

- **48** Exterior recycling bins on campus
- **270** Collections of confidential materials each year
- **6** Team cleaning areas on campus (SFHB, Fell Hall, DeGarmo, Stevenson, Science Lab, and Milner) to maximize the efficiency of resources
- **3.3M** Square feet of campus cleaned by Building Service Workers
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Floor refinishing >
In fiscal year 2017, the custodial team successfully completed several floor refinishing projects at multiple campus locations including Metcalf Gym, Kemp Recital Hall Stage, and U-High Stage and Gym. The new floors provide a clean and safe environment to support student learning and activities.

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< Sustainable practices on campus
Illinois State University was awarded 50 new specialty recycling bins from the Coca-Cola/Keep America Beautiful Public Space Recycling Bin Grant. The bins have been placed in several campus areas including the west campus residence halls, Redbird Arena, Redbird Plaza, and Hancock Stadium to expand recycling opportunities in public spaces. The bins are also used during special events on campus to increase recycling opportunities.

Campus waste reduction >
University Recycling collaborated with Campus Recreation to promote awareness of recycling and to reduce waste reduction through the water bottle exchange event. The event is one of the Earth Day activities that encourages students to use reusable plastic bottles instead of one-use plastic bottles.
Grounds Services is committed to providing a safe, horticulturally diverse, sustainable, and academically supportive campus environment that contributes to Illinois State University’s mission. The unit provides maintenance of campus landscape and hardscape for Illinois State University; including:

- Athletic fields maintenance
- Turf maintenance
- Horticulture and tree planting
- Tree protection and preservation
- Exterior pest control
- Parking lot and sidewalk maintenance
- Other landscape improvement projects
- Snow removal
- Trash abatement
- Sustainable practices

**FY17 By The Numbers**

**How many acres on campus?**
Illinois State University is comprised of 1,100 acres.

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Most flowers planted on campus are grown in the University’s greenhouses. 12,000 were grown in the 2017 fiscal year.

114 Trees planted improving the Fell Arboretum

6,550 Pounds of fertilizer used on campus

18,800 Pounds of grass seed used on campus

800,000 Pounds of salt used on campus roads and sidewalks

191 Exterior trash bins on campus maintained by Grounds staff

**Did You Know?**

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"As the settlements move out into the prairie, people will turn their attention to the cultivation of forest trees. This, in some neighborhoods, has already been done."
- Jesse Fell to his parents, 1833

Reforest campus >
Illinois State University Grounds achieved Tree Campus USA status from the National Arbor Day Foundation for the 9th time in 2017. The honor of the Tree Campus USA designation is a point of pride for the Illinois State University community and recognizes ISU’s dedication to tree care, environmental stewardship, and community outreach. In April 2017, ISU students, faculty, and staff celebrated Arbor Day by planting trees on campus to promote a sustainable campus and to support the mission of Fell Arboretum.

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< Landscape improvement
In collaboration with Facilities Planning and Construction, Grounds employees completed the installation of bricks with a new asphalt trail at Thomas Metcalf School. The smooth asphalt path made the trail great for student activities and exercise classes in physical fitness.

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“Bike Share 309” on campus >
ISU Grounds, the Office of Parking and Transportation, and the Office of Sustainability collaboratively worked with the Town of Normal on integrating a new bike plan onto campus. Illinois State University joined a new public bike-sharing program, “Bike Share 309,” to provide more transportation alternatives for students, faculty, and staff. The rental bike stations are located at Cardinal Court, Schroeder Hall, west campus residence halls, and Watterson Towers.
Facilities Management

Property Control & Central Receiving

Property Control maintains the inventory of all equipment and assets belonging to Illinois State University. This includes:

- Identify and tag equipment
- Update inventory file
- Conduct an annual inventory
- Report the status of the University’s equipment to the State
- Manage surplus inventory including reissuance and/or disposal of surplus equipment

Central Receiving provides efficient delivery services and serves as Illinois State University’s central location for:

- Receiving shipments for the campus community
- Delivering items to University departments
- Shipping return items to vendors

FY17 By The Numbers

How much surplus equipment did we reissue to departments?

30,500 Pounds of surplus items went to the Illinois Department of Central Management Services (CMS) for recycling

50,500 Pounds of electronics recycled

41,308 Equipment items in University inventory with a total value of $186,798,623

715 Surplus pick-up/delivery requests submitted through iServiceDesk

Did You Know?

100%
Of the packages delivered on the day received

40,605 Packages delivered by Central Receiving in FY17

1,590 Inventory items added to the database in FY17 with a total value of $5,685,866

0.04%
Equipment inventory loss in FY17
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**Efficient inventory process >**

Property Control partners with TechZone to ensure that equipment being sold is processed according to the Property Control Rules and Regulations as set forth by the State of Illinois. TechZone staff are trained to tag equipment as it is being sold. In addition, a process was developed with Dell to tag certain equipment. This partnership enhances the efficiency of the inventory management.

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**eRecycling Station at University Warehouse**

Property Control continues to help the University reduce its volume of waste through more recycling and reuse. Property Control works closely with Administrative Technologies (AT) on maximizing the use of surplus electronics. Through this strong partnership, processes were developed to track technical equipment. AT staff assists in identifying viable equipment for reuse and wipes all data from the devices prior to reissuance or other disposition.

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**< Reissuance of surplus electronic equipment**

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Facilities Planning & Construction

Facilities Planning and Construction (FPC) is the on-campus resource for Real Estate, Special Projects, Design, and Construction Management.

The full-time staff of 14 has a combined 168 years of service to the University, offering technical expertise in space planning, design, renovation, and construction as aligned with the goals of Educating Illinois. FPC provides service and support from conception to completion to improve and enhance the Illinois State University experience for students, faculty, staff, and the community.

FY17 By The Numbers

In fiscal year 2017, Facilities Planning and Construction received 323 new project requests resulting in:

- **227** Projects Completed
- **282** with estimated value of **$180M**
  - Under investigation, planning, design, and construction
- **120** with approved budgets of **$103M**
  - Managed by Facilities Planning and Construction in planning, design, and construction stages
- **94**
  - For planning, design, and construction being initiated and completed to facilitate project implementation

### Did You Know?

- **6.8M** Square feet of campus
- **186** Buildings owned by the University
- **714** Classrooms and laboratories
- **516,717** Square feet of learning spaces
Redbird Plaza

Rambo House was approved for demolition by the Board of Trustees in February of 2014. Demolition was completed in November of 2015. A blank slate for site improvements was created as part of the demolition. A student leadership initiative reactivated a dormant plan to provide a student gathering space that was first conceptualized in 2008. “Redbird Plaza” was a concept to provide an area on the former Rambo House site, which was to reflect student pride as well as a place to gather for celebrations or to memorialize other local, state or world events. A bronze bust statue of the Redbird head is a significant part of this gathering area. Redbird Plaza was dedicated in May 2017.

Building collaborative spaces

The classrooms in today’s K-12 environments are moving away from the traditional configuration that features a single point of knowledge (the teacher), and are moving towards a design that supports collaboration, flexibility, and multiple points of knowledge creation. This model requires a classroom space that can be reconfigured to accommodate multiple types of activities, ranging from lecture to small groups to independent study. The College of Education is building upon its current efforts to provide teacher candidates and practitioners with a flexible classroom collaboration environment where faculty can model contemporary teaching methods, and students can have access to 21st-century classroom materials and assistive technologies in a hands-on learning space.

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STRATEGY 4: Continue to promote University planning efforts and ensure all plans are integrated with Educating Illinois.

< Redbird Plaza

On April 28, 2016, a capacitor failed in the high voltage switchgear motor control center at the South Campus Chiller Plant. The capacitor failure caused a significant explosion, essentially destroying the majority of the Motor Control Center for Chiller No. 1 and knocking both chillers out of service immediately, reducing ISU’s campus cooling capacity by 2,000 tons of chilled water. Through a quick cooperative effort, ISU would get a 1,000-ton rental chiller hooked up and running while the existing switchgear was rebuilt in place, restoring the switchgear, and allowing the cooling systems to be operational again.
Office of Energy Management

The Office of Energy Management (OEM) provides energy management services for the Illinois State University campus. The department consists of energy management, heating and cooling plant operations, and the Office of Sustainability. The services include:

- Procurement and distribution of utilities
- Automation and management of building control systems
- Operation and maintenance of facility mechanical systems
- Water testing and treatment
- Improvements of infrastructure systems

FY17 By The Numbers

89,676,257
Kilowatt hours (kWh) of electricity consumed by the University with a total cost of $6,416,045

4,648,568
Therms of natural gas consumed by the University with a total cost of $2,501,252

171,283,332
Gallons of water consumed by the University with a total cost of $1,719,689

Site Energy Use Intensity (EUI)

University Energy Intensity has reduced by 18% as of FY2017 from the FY2010 baseline.

Illinois State University Hot/Cold Complaints

The number of hot/cold complaints has reduced by 53.2% as of FY2017 from the FY2010 baseline.

Gallons of Water Per Sq. Ft.

Water consumption has decreased by 23.14% as of FY2017 from the FY2010 baseline.

DID YOU KNOW?

5.3M
Square feet of campus buildings are heated by the University Heating Plant

49
In-house FTEs working in the Office of Energy Management

4.8M
Square feet of campus buildings are air conditioned by central chilled water loops

4
Boilers in the University Heating Plant generate steam to heat campus buildings
Replacement of Non-Functional Heating Hot Water Valves at the Center for Visual Arts

Heating and cooling system enhancement

Heating and cooling shut off valves were replaced at the Center for Visual Arts (CVA) to prevent damage to property and to provide for more reliable operation in the coming years. The project was successfully completed by in-house staff. The OEM team actively worked with Craft Trades on replacing the HVAC water piping and heating isolation valves throughout the CVA building.

Energy efficiency measures

In fiscal year 2017, meters were installed at Stevenson Hall, Horton Field House, University High School, Metcalf Lab School, Felmley Hall of Science, Felmley Hall of Science Annex, Williams Hall, and the University Heating Plant. Sub-metering enables our team to measure where the utilities are being used and compare building efficiency while looking for patterns and trends that indicate the need for attention. In fiscal year 2018, the Office of Energy Management team will continue to install building level sub-meters in campus buildings.

Boiler#8 at University Heating Plant

Campus energy efficiency improvement

In fiscal year 2017, the OEM team completed testing and tuning two of the four boilers to meet U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) standards. Boiler tune-ups improve the efficiency of boilers, allowing the equipment to use less energy and last longer. In addition to the boiler tune-ups, the team performed an EPA mandated emissions test for boiler 8. This required installing a steam vent/muffler and some additional boiler plant work to allow for better operation of the boiler for an extended period at 90% of rated capacity. The boiler passed the test.
The Office of Sustainability strives toward a sustainable campus environment through teaching, research, and service to the people of Illinois, the nation, and the world by endeavoring to use environmentally sound business and operating practices and fostering a culture of sustainability among all members of the campus community.

In addition, the office partners with other departments and the community to make sustainability part of the educational experience, to create a culture of sustainability through outreach, and to promote sustainability on campus.

**FY17 Campus Sustainability Projects and Programs**

**Student Sustainability Committee**
This Student Government Association Committee works to enhance the campus through advocacy, policy, and the allocation of the Student Sustainability Fund. Programs that they supported in 2017 include: The Fair Trade International Course; Tailgate Recycling; Outdoor Classroom at the Horticulture Center; Water Bottle Filling Stations; Student Scholarship; New Baler for Recycling; the Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary Program; and the Solar Car Team.

**Environmental Laboratory Restoration**
Work began on an ecological and creek habitat restoration of the five acre site of the former biological laboratory situated between Cardinal Court and the Carter Harris Building. The project also includes the development of processes and procedures to accommodate the site’s mixed use requests from each of the Colleges. In FY17, two teams were created to begin the planning for the restoration and the academic function and administration of the site.

**Water Conservation (Initiated in FY17, Continuing into FY18)**
We are working with the Department of Chemistry to reduce water fixture leakage that is causing significant water loss in the labs. Estimates of nearly 90,000 gallons lost annually prompted the Chemistry department to address the faulty fixtures. A Sustainability student worker has been working with the Chemistry lab manager and plumbing foreman to map and number the fixtures for each lab, create a preventive maintenance program, and develop a plan to address the immediate leaks. A video module has been created for the labs to assist staff with the program. The pilot program will be tested, modified and then made available for other departments to adopt to assist with water conservation and preventive maintenance strategies that will allow for long range planning and facilities budgeting.

**Honors & Awards**

- ISU has a **STARS Silver Rating** (Sustainable Tracking and Rating System)
- ISU is a **Green College** in the Princeton Review Guide to Green Colleges
- ISU won **AASHE’S Campus Sustainability Award** (Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education) for the Fix-It-Friday Program in 2017
- ISU has earned **3 certifications** as an Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary Golf Course

More than **55** Water bottle filling stations on campus

More than **37** Sustainability related courses offered at Illinois State University

**$180,000** in grants from Student Sustainability Fund supporting campus sustainability projects
Solar-Powered Charging Stations at Student Fitness Center

Educating Illinois
GOAL 1: Provide a supportive and student-centered educational experience for high-achieving, diverse, and motivated students that promotes their success.

STRATEGY 3: Increase opportunities for students to engage in high-quality, high-impact educational experiences.

Supporting student learning and development >
The Office of Sustainability partnered with Campus Recreation to install solar-powered charging stations in front of the Student Fitness Center, providing the University community a new sustainable location to charge electronic devices. These outdoor power sources help the campus community enjoy more time outside and they no longer need to worry about losing power.

Fix It Friday at Illinois State University

Educating Illinois
GOAL 4: Enhance institutional effectiveness by strengthening the organizational operation and enhancing resource development.

STRATEGY 5: Promote a safe and environmentally sustainable campus.

< Renewable energy initiative
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Supporting student learning and development >
In collaboration with Health Promotion and Wellness, the Office of Sustainability hosted the Healthy You Healthy Earth Wellness and Sustainability Fair. This fair not only presented environmental wellness related topics, but also provided the great opportunity for the Illinois State community to bring unwanted items to be recycled or disposed of properly.

Promoting sustainable practices >

Solar-Powered Charging Stations at Student Fitness Center

Healthy You Healthy Earth Wellness and Sustainability Fair
The Office of Parking and Transportation provides a variety of parking and transportation services to Illinois State University faculty, staff, students, and visitors. These services include:

- Bus service around campus and throughout the Bloomington-Normal area for University community members.
- Shuttle services to transport the University community and visitors to athletic events.
- Operation and maintenance of campus parking facilities, including parking garages and surface parking lots.
- A campus motorist assistance program for University community members and visitors who need assistance with a jump start, unlocking a vehicle, running out of gas, and air for a flat tire.

**FY17 By The Numbers**

**Customer Inquiries**

- 16,644 Phone Calls
- 692 Emails

**Connect Transit Ridership**

- 576,831

**DID YOU KNOW?**

- 4 Electronic vehicle recharging stations on campus (Nelson Smith, Bone Student Center, Science Lab, and The Alamo II)
- 3 University parking garages on campus (North University St., South University St., and School St.)
- 4 “Bike Share 309” stations added to campus (Watterson, Schroeder Hall, Haynie Hall, and Cardinal Court)
- 9,884 Parking spaces maintained (including both parking garages and surface parking lots)
Variable Message Sign (VMS) Conveying Real-Time Data to Drivers

Improving tailgating experience

In partnership with University Athletics, the Office of Parking and Transportation provides parking direction and assistance to University community members and visitors during athletic events. The department regularly provides updated parking information on their web site at https://parking.illinoisstate.edu/ to ensure that the visitors know how and where to park while enjoying the event.

Educating Illinois

GOAL 3: Foster an engaged community and enhance the University’s outreach and partnerships both internally and externally.

STRATEGY 3: Develop partnerships with business, educational, and government entities that provide learning, financial, and mutually-beneficial opportunities.

Continuing to provide universal access

Illinois State University continually seeks to provide sustainable, efficient, and safe transportation services for students, faculty, staff, and visitors. The Office of Parking and Transportation negotiated a two-year (FY18/FY19) agreement with local transit provider Connect Transit to continue fare-free access on any Connect Transit routes for ISU Redbird Card holders.
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