City of Tucson LED Street & Garage Lighting Project

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About Tucson

- Arizona's Second Largest City
- 235 Square Miles
- One of the toughest Outdoor Lighting Codes in the country
- Home of the University of Arizona
- Home to the Headquarters of International Dark Sky Association
- Kitt Peak National Observatory (70 Miles)
- Serving Electric Utility is Tucson Electric Power

Project Goals

Energy efficiency

- Save energy and dollars through correct sizing and dimming capability
- Control lighting to maximize city benefits
- Reliability/maintainability
 - 10 year parts and labor warranty
 - Capability to minimize lumen loss and maximize fixture life through controls
- "Provide the right amount of light"
 - Meet applicable codes and Dark Sky requirements
 - Account for pedestrian conflict levels and safety
 - Minimize light pollution and "Blue" light output
 - Provide dimming capability to improve efficiency and further lower light pollution

Challenges

- 80% of Lighting System was 480v, 20% were 240/120v
 - Unknown which fixtures were which
- Tucson Electric Power owns and operates approximately
 3500 dusk to dawn lights inside city limits
 - Could or would not provide data on which ones they own
- Brand new Light Rail System that was funded through Federal Grants
 - New lighting had to match the color and look of existing fixtures exactly
- Over 1500 pedestrian decorative lighting fixtures of which 25% are historically protected
 - Had to engineer non-intrusive method to add photocell control per pole

Technical Project Scope

- Convert all City owned street lighting to high efficiency, high CRI LED technology
 - Includes 21,264 fixtures with a mix of cobrahead, decorative, and specialty types
 - Includes multiple voltages and technologies (HPS, LPS, MH, Etc.)
- Install Adaptive Controls on all cobrahead and compatible decorative fixtures for control and dimming
- Upgrade over 2450 garage fixtures to LED with occupancy and daylight sensing dimming controls
- Convert all 480v wiring services in Residential areas to 240v to facilitate energy efficient conversion

Roadway Lighting Design

- Performed a detailed GIS audit of all City owned fixtures and separated all Utility owned and neighboring municipality fixtures from inventory
- Performed a detailed photometric analysis of roadway pole/fixture configurations
- Identified 21 configurations that account for over 93% of city roadway lighting
- Collaboratively worked with City to identify and determine scope of work for each fixture type as well as any specialty area lighting
- Determined process to identify and convert 480v Residential circuits to 240v

Proposed Fixture Aesthetics





ATBS and ATBM Roadway & Collector Fixtures



Light Rail
Pendant Bell Retrofits



Adaptive Control Strategy and Dimming

- ROAM control system will provide monitoring and dimming capability for compatible fixtures
- All ROAM compatible fixtures will have an initial dimming level of 10% for future lumen maintenance
- All ROAM compatible fixtures on roadways that are rated low pedestrian conflict will be dimmed an additional 30% from midnight to dawn
- All ROAM compatible fixtures in Downtown Entertainment District, 4th
 Avenue Entertainment District and around the University of Arizona will
 be dimmed an additional 30% from 3:00 AM to dawn
- Intersection fixtures have dimming capability, however, that capability will not be used except for the initial 10% dimming

What does Success look like

- Overall energy consumption reduced by over 70%
- Debt Service fully covered under 10-year financing with over \$64,000 per month excess energy savings generated for City contingency fund
- 10 Year Parts & Labor Warranty:
- \$2.6 million in estimated maintenance savings over 10year financing period
- Quality of white LED lighting and color rendering improves pedestrian and bicyclists' ability to see and be seen
- Roadway lighting's contribution to Sky Glow reduced by 20% compared to pre-retrofit conditions

Q & A



City Wide Roadway Lumen Comparison

Current Condition

HPS	Initlal Lamp	Luminire		Total Fixture
Wattages	Lumens	Eff	Quantity	Lumens
50	4,000	0.75	28	84,000
100	9,500	0.75	1,022	7,281,750
150	16,000	0.75	818	9,816,000
250	29,000	0.75	1,889	41,085,750
400	50,000	0.75	10,366	388,725,000
Total HPS			14,123	446,992,500

LPS Wattages	Initlal Lamp Lumens	Luminire Eff	Quantity	Total Fixture Lumens
90	13,500	0.70	2,806	26,516,700
135	22,500	0.70	27	425,250
180	33,000	0.70	48	1,108,800
Total LPS			2,881	28,050,750

LED Wattage	Initlal Lamp Lumens	Luminire Eff	Quantity	Total Fixture Lumens
53	4,049	1.0	924	3,741,276
81	6,044	1.0	38	229,672
83	6,120	1.0	2	12,240
117	9,117	1.0	32	291,744
185	18,710	1.0	33	617,430
215	18,562	1.0	49	909,538
Total LED			1078	5,801,900
Grand Totals	;		18,082	480,845,150

Projected Project

		Total Fixture		
New LED	Lumens	Initial Dim	Quantity	Lumens
ATB260B E85	19,152	0.90	390	6,722,352
ATBM D R3	11,689	0.90	9,388	98,762,699
ATBM E R3	13,415	0.90	1,385	16,721,798
ATBS E R2	3,962	0.90	3,215	11,464,047
ATBS F R3	4,477	0.90	331	1,333,698
ATBS H R2	6,249	0.90	1,213	6,822,033
Total New LED			15,922	141,826,627

New LFD Intersections

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ATB260B E85	19,152	0.90	2,160	37,231,488
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Grand Totals			18,082	179,058,115

Total Environmental Lumen Reduction 62.76%

- Preliminary analysis of current environmental lumen levels of the existing roadway lighting (cobrahead and shoebox) fixtures vs. post retrofit LED lighting shows a significant reduction in lumens
- Further reductions in environmental lumen emissions will occur during the dimmable hours noted previously

Project Cost and Financing

•	Total Financed	Project Co	ost	\$15,824,900