

Lighting Upgrade

As we come to the close of the school year, the district is in the process of improving and upgrading our facilities to provide a high quality education in a pleasing learning environment for the upcoming year. One of our larger project this summer will be a complete lighting upgrade for KHS, KES, KMS, VES, and VHS. The new lights will be LED which will provide a higher quality of light with lower energy requirements. Kane District is working in cooperation with Garkane energy to receive a 30% rebate on the purchase of the new fixtures. This project is part of the Garkane LED lighting rebate program. We appreciate the opportunity to partner with Garkane to improve our facilities and save on future electrical costs. The estimated cost for the project will exceed \$120,000 with a two-year payback period to cover the cost of the project. Essentially, after two years the energy savings will pay for the cost of the project and provide substantial ongoing utility savings. The district will begin the replacement of over 3,500 light bulbs this summer with an expected completion date of July 15th.

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