12.0 Facilities Maintenance

This Element will be deleted as it is not required by the Florida Board of Governors regulations. Most policies addressed in this Element are addressed elsewhere in university policy, UF Design and Construction Standards, or Florida Building Code.

GOAL 1: TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE A PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT CONDUCIVE TO TEACHING, LEARNING, AND RESEARCH IN A WAY THAT IS SUSTAINABLE, EFFICIENT, AND PROTECTS THE UNIVERSITY'S CAPITAL INVESTMENTS

Objective 1.1: Maintain the level of performance for the exterior, interior and building systems as described in the standards for construction. - Delete

Policies	Status	Benchmarks	Recommendations
Policy 1.1.1: The Physical Plant Division shall be responsible	Ongoing	The Facilities Services Division	Element and Policy not
for the operation, maintenance, grounds and utilities of all		(formerly Physical Plant Division)	required by BOG. Delete
Education and General (E&G) and Health Science Center		continues to provide these services.	
(HSC) buildings including certain UF Health clinics. The			
Physical Plant Division shall be responsible for all site utilities			
for E&G, IFAS, Housing, Shands and University Athletic			
Association buildings on the main campus and the Eastside			
Campus.			
Policy 1.1.2: The IFAS Facilities Operations shall be	Ongoing	The IFAS Facilities Operations	Element and Policy not
responsible for the operation, maintenance, and minor		continues to provide these services.	required by BOG. Delete
renovation of the buildings, building utilities, and grounds of			
the IFAS portion of the campus.			
Policy 1.1.3: The Planning, Design and Construction Division	Ongoing	The Planning, Design and	Element and Policy not
shall be responsible for minor construction projects for all		Construction Division continues to	required by BOG. Delete
Health Science Center and E&G buildings.		provide these services.	
Policy 1.1.4: The Department of Housing and Residence	Ongoing	The Dept. of Housing and Residence	Element and Policy not
Education Facilities Management shall be responsible for the		Education continues to provide	required by BOG. Delete
operation, maintenance, and minor renovation of the		these services	
buildings and interior building utilities for all housing facilities.			

Policies	Status	Benchmarks	Recommendations
Policy 1.1.5: The J. Wayne Reitz Union Division shall be	Ongoing	The J. Wayne Reitz Union continues	Element and Policy not
responsible for the operation, maintenance, and minor		to operate and maintain the Union	required by BOG. Delete
renovation of the buildings and interior building utilities for		buildings with assistance from the	
all facilities associated with the J. Wayne Reitz Union. The		Planning, Design and Construction	
Planning, Design and Construction Division shall be		Division for minor projects.	
responsible for managing certain minor renovations on behalf			
of the J. Wayne Reitz Union.			
Policy 1.1.6: Facilities of Shands Teaching Hospitals and	Ongoing	UF Health Teaching Hospitals and	Element and Policy not
Clinics, Inc. shall be responsible for the operation,		Clinics, Inc. continues to provide	required by BOG. Delete
maintenance, and minor renovation of the buildings and		these services.	
interior building utilities for all of their facilities located on			
lands in the jurisdiction of the campus master plan.			
Policy 1.1.7: The University shall assure that facilities	Ongoing	The university divisions responsible	Move to Capital
renovated, remodeled or constructed meet or exceed the		for project management ensure	Improvements Element
criteria set forth in the most recent edition of the <i>University</i>		these standards are followed.	
of Florida Design and Construction Standards.			

Objective 1.2: Maintain an inventory of the condition, use type, and capacity in each facility. - Delete

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.2.1: The Planning, Design and Construction Division	Ongoing	The Business Affairs Technical	Move to Capital
shall maintain the University space inventory with		Services office maintains the space	Improvements Element
documentation on use and capacity of all facilities in the Physical		inventory in coordination with the	combined with 1.2.6
Facilities Space Files at The University of Florida. This inventory		Planning, Design and Construction	
shall include data required for the State University		Division, IFAS, and Facilities Services	
System by the Florida Board of Governors. The Physical Plant		Division. Conditions assessment	
Division shall assist in the E&G facility inventory and assessment,		information is also incorporated into	
and IFAS Facilities Operations shall assist in the IFAS facility		the space data as available.	
inventory and assessment necessary for the database.			

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.2.2: The Physical Plant Division shall provide for ongoing inspections of E&G buildings by department supervisory staff in conjunction with scheduled preventive maintenance and inspection of the various building components.	Ongoing	The Physical Plant Division continues to provide this service	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete
Policy 1.2.3: The Physical Plant Division shall be responsible for conducting continuous facilities condition assessments for E&G and Health Science Center facilities, and will provide a comprehensive assessment by 2020 with assistance from the Planning, Design and Construction Division.	Ongoing	The Facilities Services Division continues to provide this service. The facility condition assessment has been completed for 10.5 million GSF of E&G space with another 1 million underway. Additional assessments are being completed. This data is being incorporated, along with IFAS facility data into a comprehensive Academic Regeneration study as recommended by the Campus Framework Plan.	Incorporate in a Capital Improvements Element policy about deferred maintenance and the Campus Framework Plan's academic core regeneration strategy combining Policies, 1.2.3 and 1.2.8 of this Element.
Policy 1.2.4: The IFAS Facilities Operations shall provide for ongoing inspections of buildings by department supervisory staff in conjunction with scheduled preventive maintenance and inspection of the various building components. Facilities Operations shall also provide for annual unit surveys and maintain its facilities condition audit data.	Ongoing	The IFAS Facilities Operations continues to provide this service.	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete
Policy 1.2.5: The Department of Housing and Residence Education shall conduct annual and ongoing inspections of buildings in concert with supervisory staff and preventive maintenance schedules for individual building components. These inspections shall be recorded in the computerized maintenance work order system.	Ongoing	The Department of Housing and Residence Life continues to provide this service.	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.2.6: The Planning, Design and Construction Division shall continuously review documentation of space use and capacity in each building, and provide this information to university administrators for evaluation of the most effective and efficient use of space.	Ongoing	The Planning, Design and Construction Division continues to provide this service on a continuous basis.	Move to Capital Improvements Element combined with 1.2.1
Policy 1.2.7: The University of Florida Physical Facilities Space Files data, maintained by the Planning, Design and Construction Division, shall be integrated with the work order systems of the Physical Plant Division and IFAS Facilities Operations.	Complete	The Facilities Space Files maintained by Business Affairs Technical Services integrate with the work order system of PPD's Maintenance and Management System. Integration with IFAS maintenance has not occurred.	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete
Policy 1.2.8: The University shall assess spaces in its inventory of classrooms, libraries and teaching and research laboratories and identify barriers to efficient and effective use. Facility deficiencies that inhibit efficient use shall be addressed by colleges, departments and other units through capital maintenance projects implemented through the Planning, Design and Construction Division. Obsolete facilities shall be recommended for demolition in coordination with the Offices of the Vice President for Business Affairs, Senior Vice President for Health Affairs, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs, and Senior Vice President for the Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences.	Ongoing	Identification of facility maintenance activities are more decentralized with colleges and departments funding and requesting maintenance activities. The Facilities Services Division maintains facility condition audits and capital maintenance priorities in coordination with the Planning, Design and Construction Division. These activities are being coordinated through an Academic Regeneration Study.	Incorporate in a Capital Improvements Element policy about deferred maintenance and the Campus Framework Plan's academic core regeneration strategy combining Policies, 1.2.3, and 1.2.8 of this Element.

Objective 3.0: Identify and prioritize maintenance and improvement projects with a schedule for eliminating deficiencies to ensure that facilities meet University standards. - Delete

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.3.1: The Physical Plant Division shall be responsible for	Ongoing	The Facility Services Division	Incorporate into Capital
establishing and maintaining a priorities system for programming		continues to provide this service for	Improvements Element
maintenance and improvement projects for E&G, and Health Science		E&G and HSC facilities and	
Center buildings and campuswide utilities with input on fire and life		campuswide utilities with input from	
safety issues from the Environmental Health and Safety Office.		Environmental Health and Safety on	
Projects receiving a high priority generally address health, fire and life		fire and life safety issues. Funding	
safety issues, classroom condition, building envelope, building and		requests and projects are	
facilities systems operation and reliability, maintenance cost		coordinated through the Planning,	
reduction, energy conservation and campus/building appearance.		Design and Construction Division.	
These priorities shall be incorporated into the annual Fixed Capital			
Outlay Critical Deferred Maintenance Request submitted to the			
Florida Board of Governors by the Planning, Design and Construction			
Division upon approval from the Vice President for Business Affairs.			
Policy 1.3.2: The IFAS Facilities Operations shall be responsible for	Ongoing	IFAS Facilities Operations continues	Incorporate into Capital
establishing and maintaining a priorities system for programming		to provide this service with input	Improvements Element
maintenance and improvement projects for IFAS buildings with input		from Environmental Health and	
on fire and life safety issues from the Environmental Health and		Safety on fire and life safety issues.	
Safety Office. Projects receiving a high priority generally deal with		Funding requests and projects are	
health and safety issues, building envelope including roofing,		coordinated through the Planning,	
mechanical systems operation and reliability, operating and		Design and Construction Division.	
maintenance cost reduction and building appearance. These priorities			
shall be incorporated into the annual Fixed Capital			
Outlay Critical Deferred Maintenance Request submitted to the			
Florida Board of Governors by the Planning, Design and Construction			
Division for IFAS Statewide facilities upon approval from the Vice			
President for Business Affairs.			

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.3.3: The Associate Vice President for Student Affairs, Auxiliary Operations shall be responsible for establishing and maintaining the annual review of deferred maintenance and capital improvements projects utilizing the most recent Housing Master Plan and input on fire and life safety issues from the Environmental Health and Safety Office. Maintenance projects shall be included in the annual budget approved by the Associate Vice President for Student Affairs, Auxiliary Operations. Projects receiving a high priority generally deal with early detection and warning systems, emergency egress, personal security, health and safety, mechanical systems operation and reliability, operating and maintenance cost reduction and building appearance. In conjunction with development of the Capital Improvements Program, all key	Status Ongoing	Benchmark Data The Department of Housing and Residence Life continues to provide this service with input from Environmental Health and Safety on fire and life safety issues. The Department updates its Housing Master Plan regularly having completed a significant update in 2018.	Recommendations Incorporate into Capital Improvements Element
management personnel, the Family Housing Mayor's Council, and the Inter-Residence Hall Association provide input to the Associate Vice President for Student Affairs, Auxiliary Operations. Policy 1.3.4: The University shall refer to Policies 1.1.13 and 1.1.14, and the future building sites identified on Figures 13-1, 13-1.a, 13-1.b, 13-1.c and 13-2 of the Capital Improvements Element when identifying maintenance priorities in order to reduce investments in relatively short-term structures. Removal and replacement of buildings that are temporary or in serious disrepair shall be considered as a viable means to reduce deferred maintenance except in the case of historic properties as defined in Policy 1.5.4 of this Element.	Ongoing	The university has undertaken a significant Academic Regeneration Study that will address and coordinate these elements to develop a coordinated facility reinvestment strategy.	Move to Capital Improvements Element with updated references

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.3.5: The University's ADA Compliance Office shall continue to assess existing facilities for ADA accessibility, and initiate special projects to correct any deficiencies.	Ongoing	The ADA Compliance Office continues to provide this service. The responsibility for this university function is assigned outside of the Campus Master Plan process.	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete See also Urban Design Element, Policies 1.1.1 and 1.1.7 for ADA design requirements.
Policy 1.3.6: Maintenance and other facility improvement projects shall incorporate sustainable building concepts and energy efficiency, such as low water usage fixtures, window glazing, proper insulation, and new technologies that conform to the principles of the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) program of the U.S. Green Building Council or similar green building certification programs including certifications that may be developed specific to the University of Florida and/or Florida State University System.	Ongoing	Maintenance projects include sustainable principles as found LEED Existing Building certifications. Facility renovations received LEED certifications including the O'Connell Center (v4 Silver) and Norman Hall (v3 Gold).	Incorporate into Capital Improvements Element policies

Objective 1.4: Maintain a scheduled preventive maintenance program - Delete

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.4.1: The Physical Plant Division will continue to	Ongoing	The Facilities Services Division	Element and Policy not required
utilize a comprehensive computerized maintenance		continues to provide this service.	by BOG. Delete
management system. This system will provide for scheduled			
service, maintenance, and inspection of mechanical systems,			
life safety systems, motor pool, building envelope, equipment			
and building components, and site utility infrastructure on an			
ongoing basis.			

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.4.2: The IFAS Facilities Operations preventive maintenance program will continue to provide scheduled service, maintenance, and inspection of mechanical systems, life safety systems, motor pool, building envelope, equipment and building components under its jurisdiction on an ongoing basis.	Ongoing	IFAS Facilities Operations continues to provide this service.	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete
Policy 1.4.3: The Department of Housing and Residence Education Facilities Management will continue to coordinate the computerized maintenance work order system for the Department to provide scheduled service, maintenance, and inspection of mechanical systems, life safety systems, motor pool, building envelope, equipment and building components under its jurisdiction on an ongoing basis.	Ongoing	The Dept. of Housing and Residence Education continues to provide this service.	Element and Policy not required by BOG. Delete

Objective 1.5: Identify, designate and protect historic and archaeological resources.

Move this objective and its policies to the Urban Design Element, new/renumbered Objective 1.1.6 if not redundant.

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.5.1: Continue to identify, designate and protect	Ongoing	Provisions of the memorandum of	Move all polices under this
the university's historic and archaeological resources by		agreement are met in the	objective to Urban Design
complying with the provisions set forth in the programmatic		university's maintenance,	Element, new/renumbered
memorandum of agreement with the State Division of		rehabilitation, remodeling,	Objective 1.1.6 if not
Historic Resources pursuant to Section 267.061(2) Florida		renovation and demolition activities.	redundant
Statutes regarding maintenance, rehabilitation, remodeling,		Monitoring and maintenance	
renovation and demolition activities.		activities are ongoing for these	
		resources.	
Policy 1.5.2: Continue to maintain an inventory and	Ongoing	Inventories exist and are maintained,	Move all polices under this
evaluation of all archaeological and historic properties		including digital mapping and	objective to Urban Design
under University ownership that are included on the		archival document storage.	Element, new/renumbered
National Register of Historic Places.			Objective 1.1.6 if not
			redundant
Policy 1.5.3: Continue to maintain an inventory and	Not	Analysis of buildings approaching the	Move all polices under this
evaluation of all archaeological and historic properties	Complete	50yr age was prepared and reviewed	objective to Urban Design
under University ownership that are potentially eligible for		by a subcommittee of the PHBSC in	Element, new/renumbered
inclusion on the National Register of Historic Places, and		2012. A draft report was transmitted	Objective 1.1.6 if not
update the programmatic memorandum of agreement with		to the FDHR in 2013; however the	redundant
the State Division of Historic Resources pursuant to Section		report has not been finalized. The	
267.061(2) Florida Statutes as needed when or if additional		programmatic memorandum of	
properties are added to the Register. The Preservation of		agreement has not been updated	
Historic Buildings and Sites Committee and the Land Use		although UF and FDHR staffs have	
and Facilities Planning Committee shall be consulted prior		discussed the need and continue to	
to the addition of any new university properties on the		coordinate reviews of registered and	
National Register of Historic Places.		potentially eligible buildings.	

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.5.4: Prior to an historic property being demolished,	Ongoing	Construction projects comply with	Move all polices under this
rehabilitated or substantially altered in a way that may		this policy including new	objective to Urban Design
adversely affects its character, form, integrity or		construction, renovations, additions,	Element, new/renumbered
archaeological or historical value, the University shall		and demolitions.	Objective 1.1.6 if not
consult with the Preservation of Historic Buildings and Sites			redundant
Committee and the Land Use and Facilities Planning			
Committee, in addition to any other committee reviews			
called for through the standard project review process			
defined in the Implementation Element. For the purpose of			
this campus master plan, "historic property" shall be any			
property on the National Register of Historic Places, any			
building identified on Figure 1-2, or any property deemed			
eligible for inclusion on the National Register of Historic			
Places based on its being at least 50-years of age and having			
received a review from the State Division of Historical			
Resources documenting its historical significance. For			
property that is on the National Register of Historic Places,			
the University shall also consult the Florida Department of			
State's Division of Historical Resources to avoid or mitigate			
adverse impacts, and undertake any appropriate salvage or			
recovery action as required by the programmatic			
memorandum of agreement.			
Policy 1.5.5: The University shall continue to develop and	Not	This policy reflected a grant-funded	Delete
implement cleaning and maintenance protocols for use by	Complete	project in the CDCP that was active	
maintenance staff, supervisors, contractors and building		over 2003-2005. Ultimately, the	
occupants such as using less abrasive "green" cleaning		grant did not result in the anticipated	
products to ensure proper protection of historic materials in		tools to implement this policy. The	
University of Florida historic structures.		university's standard maintenance	
		routines and use of less abrasive	
		"green" cleaning supplies keep these	
		buildings in good condition.	

Objective 1.6: Protect and improve air quality through the proper control and reduction of airborne pollutants.

Clean Air Policies are required by FBOG and are recommended for inclusion in the Conservation Element. This Objective and its policies will be moved to the Conservation Element.

Policies	Status	Benchmark Data	Recommendations
Policy 1.6.1: The University shall monitor indoor and outdoor	Ongoing	The Environmental Health and	Move to Conservation Element
air quality, and minimize emissions of air pollutants from and		Safety Office continues to provide	
within buildings by adhering to the Fume Hood Policy and		this service.	
Indoor Environmental Quality Policy developed and			
implemented by the Environmental Health and Safety Office.			
Policy 1.6.2: The University shall continue to comply with the	Ongoing	The University continues to	Move to Conservation Element
regulations set forth in the Clean Air Act, Title 40 Code of		comply with these regulations as	
Federal Regulations (CFR) as applicable.		applicable.	