LEDS Bring Virtue of Sustainability to Parking Structure







SETTING:

Interior and hallway lighting, CABQ Acropolis Parking Structure, Albuquerque, NM.

HEROES & VILLAINS:

Eco-\$mart 72W TROFFER.lin fixtures replace 175W HID bulbs. Our lin.10//REC, lin.5//REC, hex.2//REC and lin.8//REC LED bulbs were also used.

MORAL:

Over 270 lights replaced and retrofitted to save roughly \$61,000 on energy and maintenance costs generating an average ROI of just 18 months.

UNIQUE MOTIVATION:

Make downtown's busiest parking garage the most technologically advanced and energy efficient, while vastly improving the quality of light.

PLOT:

Sharing an illustrious name with one of the most famous sites in the world, CABQ's Acropolis parking structure is far from an ancient ruin–in fact, thanks to Eco-\$mart's intelligent light and motion sensing controls, it's at the forefront of technology. And while there may not be any Altars to Athena there are still hundreds of visitors a day, so the safer and brighter it is, the better. The recent Eco-\$mart LED upgrade brings a new level of daylight-true illumination, which gives the building the airy feel of the Parthenon, all while saving 51% in energy costs and producing nearly 4 times the previous light output. The new bulbs also reduce light pollution, which keeps neighbors happy. Indeed the new bulbs are so energy it's a wonder they weren't made on Mt. Olympus, while Eco-\$mart's lighting controls are a modern day muse inspiring the future of lighting.



