

NOTICE to Minnesota Members with Mercury Vapor Security (Yard) Lights:

Under a newly passed law in Minnesota, new compact fluorescent lamps (CFLs) with a screw base or a bayonet base may no longer be sold or offered for sale in Minnesota after 2024. This ban also includes mercury vapor bulbs. (This ban does not include sodium vapor or LED bulbs.) This new law may affect many of our Minnesota members who have mercury vapor security (yard) lights.

Effective January 1, 2025, Traverse Electric can no longer repair mercury vapor security lights located in Minnesota that require a new mercury vapor bulb. We can still repair a mercury vapor light if it only needs a new photo eye and not a new bulb.

Traverse Electric sells and installs 150 Watt LED Lights and 100 Watt High Pressure Sodium lights. The LED lights have a ten (10) year warranty on the light fixture and a five (5) year warranty on the photo eye and give a crisp white light. The High Pressure Sodium lights give off an amber (yellowish) light.

If you require a new light, a Traverse Electric employee will contact you to go over your options and the costs for a new light.