This message is for all McMaster University faculty and staff in the Health Sciences Centre.

There will be a shutdown of power in the Health Sciences Centre on **Saturday, August 19th 2017** from **7:30am to 7:30pm**.

During this process **normal power will be disabled** in the areas designated as TS4 (see areas noted below). The emergency power system will support the affected areas until normal power is restored. Any critical equipment within affected areas must be transferred to the emergency power system. HHS-Engineering Department will be available if special arrangements or assistance is required.

Please note that the following areas will be affected:

**TS-4 (North-Purple Quadrant all levels)**
- **Level 1**: 1B Bio-Med Library; 1A Lecture Theatre Rooms A1/A2/A3/A4 and A5; 1A Williams Cafe; 1H Bio-Chem. Teaching; and 1J area (Rms. 1J5 to 1J13).
- **Level 2**: 2B Bio-Med Library & Williams Cafe; 2A Lecture Theatre Rms.; and 2J area (Rms. 2J26 to 2J36, 2J42, and 2J-21B/C/D).
- **Level 3**: 3A Dpt. of Pediatric & 3A area/offices; 3H Research-North side (Rms 3H25 to 3H57); 3N10 area/offices; and 3N-offices 3N12 to 3N20.
- **Level 4**: 4H Research-North Side (Rms 4H17 to 4H42); 4N-53/54 Lab; and 4N Rms 4N59 to 4N64.

**Additional Information:**
- All other systems and equipment located outside the areas designated as TS4 will not be affected.
- Data/phone receptacles in the areas designated as TS4 will not be affected.
- Mag-Locks and card-readers in the areas designated as TS4 will work normally during shutdown time.
- Ventilations system (air flow) as well as scavenging system (if any) in the areas designated as TS4 will work normally during shutdown.
- All elevator banks (red, yellow, blue, and purple) will work normally during the shutdown.
- All units/clinics/labs/offices in the areas designated as TS4 will lose regular power (regular lights and receptacles) during shutdown. The emergency power system (emergency lights and receptacles) will support the affected areas during that time.

Departments are responsible for making their own arrangements, however, if special arrangements or assistance is required, please send the request via email to Facilities Management/Andrew Harrison (Electrical Supervisor) at harrisonan@hhsc.ca

Department Managers and supervisors are asked to please advise their staff (whose duties require them to work in the affected areas) of this power interruption.
If additional assistance is required or in case of an emergency associated with this process during the shutdown, please contact:

- German Paredes (HHS - Project Supervisor) at 905 979 0308
- Andrew Harrison (HHS-Electrical Supervisor) at 905 870 2286
- HHS Engineering Services/Electrical Shop at ext. 73699 or the shift engineer at ext. 75959

For further information, please contact German Paredes at paredesg@hhsc.ca or ext. 77093.