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15,000 STICKERS ARE REMINDERS
TO CONSERVE ELECTRICAL ENERGY AT UM

MISSOULA--

University of Montana Physical Plant employes are distributing 15,000 light switch stickers on the Missoula campus to remind students, faculty and staff members to continue their efforts to reduce energy consumption at UM, Jerry Shandorf, Physical Plant accountant, has announced.

The stickers show a yellow lightning bolt and the word "save" on a dark blue background.

Shandorf said the idea for the energy conservation stickers originated in Oregon.

"The University of Oregon first put (the stickers) out," he said. "Then UM Administrative Vice President George Mitchell and Physical Plant Director Ted Parker saw them and suggested that we put the idea to use at UM."

Shandorf said it will be a year or so before UM officials can estimate how much energy and money have been saved by using the stickers.

"With the energy crisis facing us, we felt this is one thing we could do to save energy," he said.

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