Mission

The mission of the Office of Facilities Planning is to be service oriented in providing professional leadership in land use planning for the campus community, and in the planning and utilization of new and existing physical facilities.

Areas of Responsibility

- Maintain and assist in the periodic review of the University's long-range physical development plan.
- Interact with University administrators and Physical Plant staff in the establishment and maintenance of appropriate University architecture and engineering standards.
- Interact with University administrators and Physical Plant staff, as well as staff at the Kansas Board of Regents and the Kansas Division of Facilities Management, on construction projects involving existing buildings, new buildings, vehicular and pedestrian circulation, parking and open space.
- Coordinate the preparation of capital improvement plans.
- Coordinate project committees, and the services of project and on-call architects and/or engineers, during the design and construction of campus capital improvement projects.
- Review requests for remodeling and interact with Physical Plant staff in the identification of rehabilitation and repair priorities, and the development of estimated budgets.
- Maintain inventory of campus physical facilities and space utilization.

Current Data Relative to University Building Inventory

- Total Number of Buildings: 80
- Total Building Gross Square Feet of Space: 3,047,772
- Total Building Net Assignable Square Feet: 2,033,635
- Total Replacement Cost of Buildings: $742,085,000

Recently Completed Capital Improvement Projects

- Eck Stadium – Phase 5 Improvements (Indoor Practice Facility)
- Ninnescah Biological Research Field Station
- Advanced Education in General Dentistry Building
- Cassat Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic & Welsbacher Theater

Current Capital Improvement Projects

- Rhatigan Student Center Expansion & Renovation