

this year's Earth Hour with dimmed lights in the following prominent buildings and locations evidencing the City's support:

Ramsey County Courthouse/Saint Paul City Hall
Minnesota State Capitol
Landmark Center
Wells Fargo Place
Ramsey County North Suburban Courts
Ramsey County Sheriff Patrol Station
Ramsey County Public Works/Partners Facility
Five Ramsey County Libraries (Roseville, Maplewood, Mounds View, Shoreview, White Bear Lake)
Metropolitan State University
Rice Park
First National Bank
Xcel Energy Center
Central Library

WHEREAS, the City of Saint Paul Earth Hour web page (www.stpaul.gov/earthhour [<http://www.stpaul.gov/earthhour>](http://www.stpaul.gov/earthhour)) provides helpful information to residents and businesses about how to save energy, save money, and reduce greenhouse gas emissions, as well as pictures from last year's event; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council, hereby proclaims, March 23, 2013 from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. as Earth Hour in the City of Saint Paul. During Earth Hour, the City calls upon all Saint Paul residents, businesses, non-profit organizations, units of government, and houses of worship to turn off nonessential lights to support the aims and goals of this local and international effort.