# **OSU Properties, LLC**

## **Emergency Maintenance Requests**

Emergency maintenance issues are those that require immediate attention in order to ensure your safety and that of your belongings, and/or to prevent serious damage to the unit. Emergency maintenance requests are addressed immediately, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Please call 614-299-9940 for any of the following:

### **Major Water Leaks or Flooding**

A leak is considered an emergency when it cannot be contained by a bucket until the next weekday, or in the case of a plumbing issue, if you cannot locate the shut-off valve for the source of water.

#### **Fire**

In the event of a fire, immediately call 911, alert your roommates and other tenants, and leave the building. Only use a fire extinguisher if you can answer "yes" to the following questions:

- Have you called 911?
- Have your roommates and other tenants been alerted?
- Is the fire small and contained to a single object, such as a pan or wastebasket?
- Are you physically able and knowledgeable enough to use a fire extinguisher?

#### **Natural Gas Leak**

If you suddenly smell a rotten egg odor inside of your unit, there might be a natural gas leak. Immediately go outside and call Columbia Gas of Ohio's emergency 24-hour response line at 1-800-344-4077. Once the response team is on the way, call 911 and notify the police. Call our emergency maintenance number only after calling Columbia Gas and the police.

#### A Clogged Toilet (If Unit Has Only One Toilet)

To be clear, a clogged toilet is only an emergency when 1) your unit only has one toilet and you have attempted and failed to unclog the toilet using a <u>proper toilet plunger</u>, or 2) the toilet is overflowing and you cannot locate or operate the water shut-off valve on the wall underneath the toilet. If your toilet does overflow, begin cleaning up the water immediately to prevent damage to property.

If you are experiencing an issue not listed above, but you still feel that it might be an emergency, please call **614-299-9940**.