The garden should not disappear at night.

A short note from the laboratory.

People spend real money on pools, plantings, and paths. After dark those spaces are often black, or washed out by lights that stay full on. Motion lights that snap bright, and trip on every branch, do not belong in a designed landscape.

I am building an outdoor controller that keeps the night beautiful and still answers when someone walks in. A chosen low level so the garden stays visible. A rise when a person is there, then a return. Aimed at people, not at moving plants. Built to last, and meant for lights already installed.

It is for landscape architects, licensed contractors, and homeowners who have already invested in the space. Also for anyone who simply wants the yard to look right after dark.

The work is early. A prototype is on the bench. Presence sensing is still being tested. More notes will follow as there is something worth saying.

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