



Pasadena Unified School District District Service Center Facilities Department

August 16, 2010: UPDATE to Blair Middle School Site / Construction

To Our Neighbors:

Work continues on the underground utilities as preparation for placement of the final finish floor concrete on the second level, Area 3, nears completion. There is much activity on the roof of the building this week as the wood curbs for the HVAC are cut and mounted around the entire building third level.

Second level courtyard side wall framing continues through Area 1 and Area 2. We will then move to Area 4 as concrete hardens in Area 3. MEP continues with the HVAC crew hanging duct in Area 1 and Area 2. In Area 1, the forms are ready to be stripped and we are ready to begin water proofing on the exterior perimeter side. The plan this week is to complete backfilling around Areas 1 and 2 with scaffolding being delivered to the site this Friday. The goal is to start erecting this scaffold as it arrives on Friday and thus, we shall be ready to strap the exterior of the building in preparation for the exterior skin.

Wing wall columns are now installed so the external perimeter steel of the building is now complete. The interior atrium steel above the stairwells begins tomorrow inside the courtyard. In addition, construction of the lunch shelter continues on the Allendale side of the project site.

On Monday the 23rd of August, we will be setting up temporary fencing in preparation for the wall foundation placement. Currently we have between 40 and 50 workers on site on a daily basis. Again, this will increase as the framing goes in and we prepare to start drywall.

As always, should you have any questions or are aware of any noise outside of normal working hours, please don't hesitate to contact me at the number below.

Sincerely,

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