Weekly Construction Blast
Sept 17th – Sept 22nd

Construction activities:
• Select interior demolition in Theater
• Interior demolition in basement of West Wing
• Demolition of 3rd floor slab and 2nd floor walls in West Wing
• Above-grade demolition of OPO/Hoofers
• Begin building/prepping concrete formwork

Shoreline Rehabilitation Project:
• Continuing dredging and dofferdam installation on the east end of Project
• Filling in the lagoon behind Red Gym

Key shutdowns and closures:
• West Wing closed to the public and Wisconsin Union staff.
• Old OPO/Hoofers area closed to public and Wisconsin Union Staff. Hoofers will continue operations from the Lake Lab and adjacent containers. Hoofer's office located on the 5th floor.

Other site logistics details:
• Langdon St. will be transitioning to a ONE-WAY, WESTBOUND street THIS WEEK as a result of work associated with the Langdon St. Utility Project.
• Shoreline Path outside of OPO/Hoofers is closed for construction. Access to the Terrace will be via Langdon St. or through Memorial Union. All bike racks outside the Union Theater and Hoofers will no longer be accessible. Alternative bike parking is located at Lot 1.

Project milestones:
• Complete installation of sheet piling for Shoreline Work
• Complete East Elevation 2 stone removal

Construction noise/vibration:
• Intermittent noise from torching, cutting, and chipping associated with building separation. This will mostly affect 2nd and 1st floors however noise will travel through the structure.
• Noise from OPO/Hoofer’s demolition should be expected on the Terrace.

Student Involvement:
• Student Construction Rep is attending weekly construction Core Team meetings and monthly project sustainability meetings.
• Student FF&E survey completed with over 4,000 responses!

Neighboring construction projects:
• Langdon St. Utility Project:
  • Set-up and site-prep on Langdon Street and Library Mall
  • All green fencing is associated with the Langdon St. Utility Project

Looking ahead:
• Week of 10/01: West Wing and Hoofers - Begin Excavation and earth retention
• Week of 10/08: Complete West Wing demolition
• Week of 10/15: Begin pouring West Wing footings and foundations
• Week of 11/12: Begin West Wing steel erection

Stone Salvage Update…

Boldt crews have been hard at work removing, cataloging, and palletizing the exterior stone from the West Wing of the Memorial Union. At this point, a majority of the intended stone salvage is complete. Quarra Stone Company in Madison has begun inspecting, cleaning, and refurbishing the salvaged stone. Once this process is complete the refurbished stone will be used on the façade of the new structure preserving the iconic look and feel of the Memorial Union.