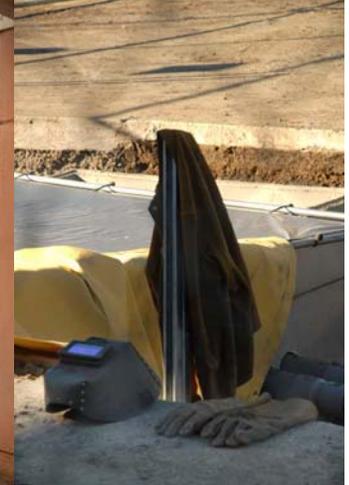


# EXCUSE OUR DUST SCENES FROM THE CONSTRUCTION ZONE



## CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



### We're in the trenches

As is readily apparent to anyone walking around Chabot, we have trenches opened up all over the east side of campus. The trenches will hold our new campus-wide heating and cooling lines, domestic water pipes, and IT conduits. When completed, we will have energy-efficient heating and cooling for every building, brand new conduits for our Instructional Technology backbone, and an updated delivery system for water. The current trench construction will be finished in February, and the construction will move to the western side of campus.

### Please Pardon our Dust

We are renovating buildings 800 & 900 and making improvements to Building 1000 to create new updated spaces for Architecture, Art, Engineering and

Design. Interior demolition has already begun and the new interior construction will begin in late December. The buildings will be ready for classes for Fall 2008.

### They're Coming Down

Buildings 400, 600, and 700 will be demolished to make room for the new Community & Student Services Center (CSSC) and the new Instructional Office Building (IOB). The demolition will begin in late January 2008. New construction of the Community/Student Services Center and Instructional Office Building will begin soon after.

**Tree Relocation:** Before we begin the demolition we will be relocating several great trees. Expect to see some heavy equipment in Chabot's front yard as the trees are removed, transported, and replanted under an arborist's care.

### Tree Replacement

As part of the new campus plan we will be removing a number of trees in order to accommodate the new construction. In particular, the renovated parking lots, demolition of Buildings 400, 600, and 700, construction of the CSSC and IOB, the creation of a new ring road connecting our two main parking lots and new drop-off loop will all require that we remove trees. New trees are going back in on campus at a ratio of two added for every one removed.

### We're Moving into the Villas

Our Temporary Faculty Offices, also known as "The Villas", are currently under construction in Parking Lot "F" on the south end of campus. The construction will be finished in December and the move-in will occur the first week of January 2008. Be prepared for this exciting new home after the holiday break.

### Parking Lot Challenges

We will be rebuilding our two main parking lots this coming year. Parking Lot G/H at the

corner of Depot Road and Hesperian Boulevard will be under construction from March to June 2008. Parking Lots A and B near the Athletic Complex and Administration Building will be under construction from June to August 2008. During this time parking on the campus will be tight. Please allow a little extra time, plan on walking a little farther, and be patient. The improvements and added safety will be worth it.

### Hard At Work

While Chabot College administration, staff, and students will be having a well-deserved holiday break, construction will be ongoing. We have identified the holidays as a great time to accomplish some of the noisier and more disruptive tasks around the campus such as saw cutting concrete for future construction. Any noise that we can make over the holidays will mean that much less noise during critical school class hours.

