



VILLAGE VIEWS

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

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Project Status Update

The Perley and Rideau Veterans' Health Centre (Perley Rideau) campus construction projects will undergo significant changes in early 2012.

The foundation basement walls are being framed and the concrete placement has already begun at the Building "B" site located along Russell Road. Work is ongoing and by April the building will become visible.

To date, the Building "A" site has seemingly undergone little progress. The piling (see other side for full description) will begin near the end of January, now that the foundation permit is in place. Subsequent to the two month piling process, the foundation and building construction will continue and the Building "A" structure will become more visible.

Draft in Main Lobby

The project team has been made aware that there is a draft of cold air coming from the old main entrance area. The team is working on a solution and expect to have the issue resolved shortly.



Framing of Building "B" foundation underway.



The protective barrier encasing the steeple is complete and will remain in place until project completion.

QUESTIONS WELCOME!

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Announcement!

The Perley Rideau has appointed Cheryl Homuth as the Seniors' Housing Manager. In her new role, she will provide operational planning leadership for the new apartments. She will work directly with the executive staff and the project team to ensure that the project is received successfully. The Village Views congratulates Cheryl on her new responsibilities!

CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS SNAPSHOT: Perley Rideau Temporary Main Entrance



SPECIAL FEATURE

WHAT'S ALL THAT NOISE?

With the building foundation permit in-hand, the piling process will begin at the Building "A" site within the next two weeks.

The piling process will take approximately two months and will create quite a noise and possibly a vibration throughout the existing campus and surrounding area.

WHAT IS A PILE?

A pile is a long slender piece of material that is hammered into the ground which acts as a strengthening element to a building's foundation.

On the Perley Rideau campus projects, the piles will be made out of steel and will be driven into the ground using a machine called a Piledriver.

Once the piles are in place, pilecaps, made of cast-in-place concrete, will group multiple piles together to create the building's foundation.

Approximately 200 piles will be required to be driven into the ground for this project.

It is unknown what the exact noise or vibration impact will be as a result of this process; please be patient with us during this process. In advance, we apologize for the noise and the inconvenience that it may cause and appreciate your patience.