

UW Madison Project Status Report
JCAC Updates

December 2025

Project Name (alpha order)	User Group	Est. Construction Start	Est. Substantial Complete	Current Status
Armory and Red Gym Exterior Envelope (SJL)	Letters & Science	Summer 2024	Late 2025	The exterior repairs to the Red Gym are continuing through the fall of 2025. This includes brick work, new slate roof and reinstallation of existing skylights.
Camp Randall Sports Center Replacement Kellner Family Athletic Center (CW)	UW Athletics	Winter 2024	Early 2028	Sidewalks east and south of Camp Randall Sports Center (SHELL) remain closed. The new training center (TC) anticipated bid date is early 2026 with demo of the McClain Center starting spring 2026. The access lane to phase 2 will be through Badger Way, exiting onto Breese Terrace.
Athletics Hall of Fame (CW)	UW Athletics	Spring 2026	Fall 2026	Updates to the Hall of Fame display. DRB & JCAC reviews in fall 2025.
Campus Utility and Energy Study (JG)	UW FP&M	Study Start Winter 2023	Study End Fall 2025	Study options to reduce district energy system GHG emissions while maintaining system reliability, efficiency, and safety.
Dayton Street Chilled Water Line Updates	UW FP&M	Summer 2025	Summer 2026	The project replaces Chilled Water Valves along West Dayton St. Phase 1 will include excavation down to existing chilled water lines. The road will be temporarily restored at the end of phase 1. Phase 2 will install new valves and chilled water valve pit. Phase 2 will follow the same traffic control plan.
Engineering Drive Utilities (SF)	UW FP&M	Summer 2024	Fall 2026	Randall open but left turn from N. Randall Ave to Engineering Dr. is closed. Sidewalk on north side of Engineering Dr. closed.
Engineering Education/Research Building (DR) aka Philip A Levy Engineering Center	College of Engineering	Fall 2025	Fall 2028	Demo of 1410 Eng. Dr. is complete. Walkways surrounding the Engineering Research Building are closed.
Grainger Hall First Floor Renovation (MB)	Business School	Fall 2025	Winter 2026	First floor dining renovation and atrium addition. The south half of Brooks Street and the west lane of Park Street will be closed for the duration of the project. Northbound lane of N. Brooks St. closed from Grainger Hall Garage (Lot 7) entrance to W. Johnson St. (Lot 7) remains open.
Irving & Dorothy Levy Hall (L&S Building) (CW)	Letters & Science	Spring 2024	Fall 2026	Project building work continues through 2026. Traffic closures include southern lane of W. Johnson St. from Davis Residence Hall to N. Park St., southbound bicycle lane closed on N Park St. from W Johnson St. & W Dayton St. Clymer east of Bernard Court closed for duration of project.
Lakeshore Nature Preserve Frautschi Center (KP)	UW FP&M	Spring 2026	Spring 2027	DRB completed final review at April 15th Meeting and City of Madison approved rezoning 7/1/25. Project scheduled to bid early 2026.
Lakeshore Path Limnology Bypass (SJL)	UW FP&M	Fall 2025	Summer 2026	Reconfigure the bike/pedestrian path to bypass south of Limnology Building. Construction continues through winter with path and parking area site work. Access to the south entrance will be limited, the east and west entrances will remain accessible. Starting in spring, the last phase will focus on site restoration and landscaping.
Lifesaving Station Erosion Control #23F4X (MT)	UWPD	Fall 2026	Spring 2027	Slope stabilization, dredging, seawall & breakwater repair.

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LVM (Elvehjem) Façade Repair (ME)	UW FP&M	Spring 2024	Summer 2026	Facade stone removal & rebuilding in process. Sidewalk closures continue through Jan 2026.
Material Science Engineering (DR)	College of Engineering	Fall 2024	Spring 2028	Remove 1974 and 1995 additions. Temporary façade wrap. Final masonry work for SE façade on hold till July 2025.
Morgridge Hall- Computer, Data & Information Sciences (CDIS) - (BM)	Letters & Science	3/23/2024	Summer 2025	Construction is complete and departments are moved in. Some minor closures will remain during final punchlist phase.
Music Hall Renovation (BM)	Letters & Science	Spring 2027	Fall 2030	Building renovation and addition are currently in Schematic Design phase. DRB and JCAC reviews planned in Fall 2025.
Near East Play Fields (RJ)	UW Recreation & Wellbeing	5/24/2024	Spring 2026	Most of field work is complete and the new building construction is still ongoing.
Science Hall Renovation and Repairs (BM)	Letters & Science	1/1/2027	1/1/2029	Project is currently in Design Development Phase. DRB Review on 5/20/25 and JCAC Introduction on 5/22/25.
South Central Utility Project (MH)	UW FP&M Physical Plant	Spring 2026	Fall 2027	North side of U-Ave from N. Charter Street to Henry Mall.
Transportation Demand Management (TDM) Study	UW Transportation	Summer 2025 Design Team Selected	TBD	The UW-Madison TDM study has been awarded to a consultant. The schedule will be developed as the consultant starts work.
Vet Med Addition and Renovation (DR)	School of Vet. Medicine	7/21/2024	North - Summer 2026 South BSL - Early 2026	Project construction work continues through summer 2026. There will be some temporary road/walk closures for deliveries.
Vilas Hall Accessibility Improvement (CW)	School of Education	Fall 2025	Fall 2026	Elevator work began in fall 2025 and the courtyard ramp work will begin in summer of 2026.
Wisconsin Union Shoreline Improvement - Lake Lab Building (SL)	Memorial Union	Fall 2026	Spring 2027	Storage building for Hoofers equipment is currently in Schematic Design phase. Anticipate October DRB & JCACA SD Review.
WIMR East Wedge Cyclotron Project (ME)	SMPH	Fall 2026	Fall 2028	Project is in Design and will be reviewed by DRB and JCAC in winter 2025.