



# PHASE V RESTORATION UPDATE

## October 27, 2023

### WHAT A WEEK!

The top tier of the roof is now completed, and all of the construction crews are moving forward with tier two. Progress is expected to be slightly faster than the top tier, due to the lower elevation, and ability to use a 65-foot lift rather than the 85-foot lift. The architect and project manager were on site this week to inspect the progress, and both they and the MVCMA Tabernacle Restoration Committee were able to share their appreciation with TRAC for the great work being done so far.



## **Schedule Highlights**

### **2023**

Current: Tier #1 completed and Tier #2 underway.

### **2024**

Jan 3: Roof work is scheduled to be completed.

*No major work is planned during January and February, based on potential weather and environmental (temperature) conditions.*

Mar 1: Painting of structure in place begins.

Mar 4: Electrical rough-in begins.

Apr 1: Stage modification and ADA lift installation begins.

May 6: De-mobilization begins.

May 17: Restoration of Site; "Substantial Completion" due (per contract)

May 31: Last day available for construction work, with limited exceptions

June 9: MVRHS Graduation (tentative)

## **Sneak Peek Photos!**

We are hoping to receive some aerial photos next week of the completed top tier. In the meantime, here are some photos taken from the ground of each side of the top tier of the roof with new tiles installed. *(Photos courtesy of Tabernacle Restoration Committee)*





**ALSO** – if you stand near the entrance to the work site, and peek up through the trees, you may just catch a glimpse of what the roof will look like when it's entirely complete! With the top tier done, the second tier started, and the third-tier mockup in place, there is a very small slice of the roof which provides a visual of the completed look! PEEKABOO!

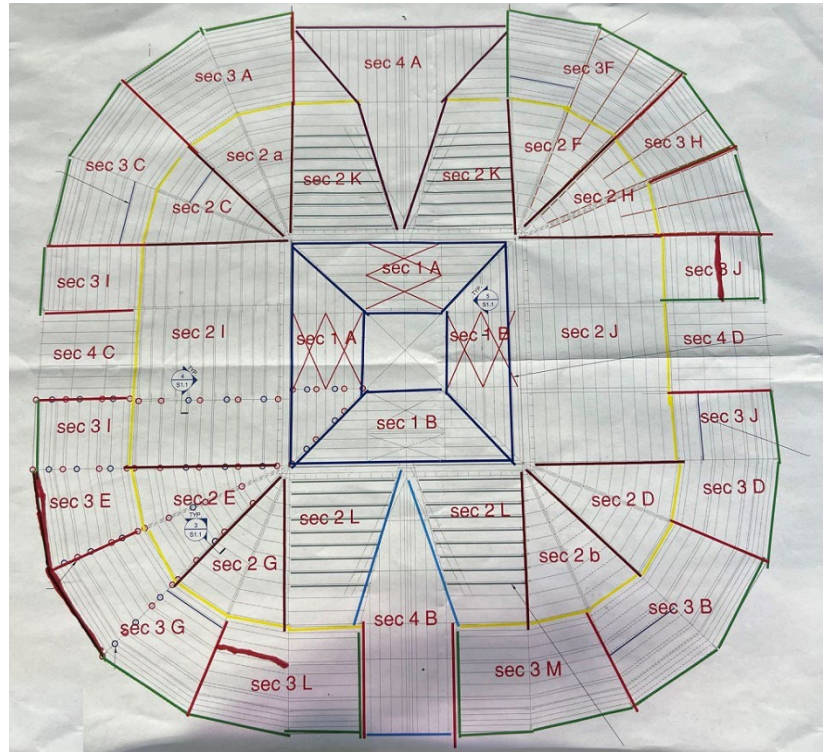


## **The Roof Replacement**

Work on the roof will be completed level by level, in what can best be described as an alternating clocklike fashion, finishing one 'slice' of the roof and then moving across to the opposite side (12 o'clock, 6 o'clock, 1 o'clock, 7 o'clock, 2 o'clock, etc.).

Section 1 has been completed, and sections 2A through 2D are underway.

The map of the roof sections provided labels each tier/section from 1 (highest elevation) through 4 (lowest), and uses letters of the alphabet to map out the pattern of work. There are (32) thirty-two individual sections identified on the map. It is expected that a total of 980 panels will be installed across all sections. *(Photo courtesy of TRAC)*



Each roof section will proceed through three phases of work including abatement, painting, and installation of tiles – all of which are estimated to be completed in (3) three days. An independent monitor will remain on site during all abatement work to ensure correct protocol is being followed. The baseline schedule remains as planned, with roof work being completed in the first week of January.

## **Protection Efforts**

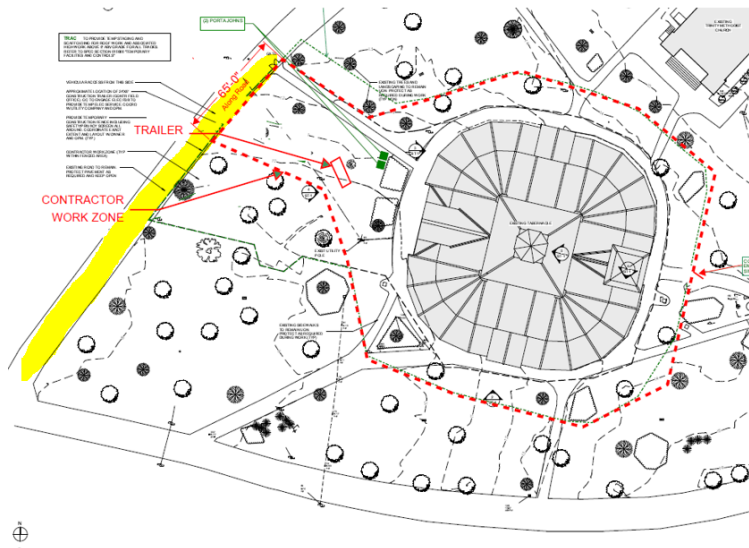
Weekly discussion continues to ensure that proper care is taken for historic preservation needs, including (but not limited to) the stained-glass windows, benches, trees, lighting fixtures, stage, railings, and cupola.

- The cabling system remains in place and will be detached and reattached as needed.
- Trees and landscaping have been protected in coordination with Hagerty Tree Services.
- The benches are protected under a system of scaffolding which has been built over them.
- A box-like structure has been built around the glass lantern lighting fixtures.
- Stage railings have been protected with similar boxing structures.
- Plywood will be secured over the stained-glass windows prior to work commencing in each area.

## **Traffic and Parking – Reminder**

The highlighted area reflects both the area in which TRAC is permitted to drive in reverse, as well as the area which has been designated for them to utilize for any vehicle parking needs. Contractors have been advised that the road must remain unobstructed for regular traffic flow during the entire project.

**Please do not park any vehicles along this section of Trinity Park.**



## **Raise Funds, Our Voices, and the Roof**

Total donations received since June 1 now total **\$272,958**. Thank you for your incredible support as we continue this campaign through construction!

Remember that your impact to the MVCMA can be doubled any time of the year by utilizing the "Double the Donation" lookup tool located on the MVCMA website to see if your employer matches donations. Visit [mvcma.org/support](http://mvcma.org/support) for more information.

Development and fundraising communications should be directed to [Development@mvcma.org](mailto:Development@mvcma.org).

The [Tabernacle@mvcma.org](mailto:Tabernacle@mvcma.org) email address should be used to provide feedback related to the project. The TRC will respond to questions in future communications, to maintain equal access to information.

All details provided remain ***subject to change***.

**Sincerely,**

The Tabernacle Restoration Committee

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