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Media Advisory

The Glass is rising: Installation of the glass curtain-wall at Sprint Center has begun

The enclosure of Sprint Center began yesterday with the installation of the first pieces of glass that will surround its exterior, creating the iconic look and feel of Kansas City's newest landmark. The glass panels are 12' x 5' in size. In total, 2,204 panels will create the 130,000 sf exterior.

The panels arrived in Kansas City via train from Long Beach, CA. The panels are being stored in a warehouse roughly two miles from the arena site and will be delivered to the site on semi trucks as needed.

On September 21, the first steel tubes were set to create the base structure for the glass. The tubes are over 80 feet tall and 16 inches in diameter and were erected on the Grand Blvd. side of the arena site. They were erected both vertically and horizontally to form a solid support structure for the curtain wall glass.

Over the next six months, enclosure work will continue in a circular pattern around the outside of Sprint Center and on its roof.

Other Sprint Center construction activities onsite include concrete forming, deck pours, slab on grade concrete work, underground utilities, and architectural and mechanical, engineering, and plumbing (MEP) rough-in activities (studs for interior wall partitions, plumbing and sprinkler piping, ductwork, and electrical conduit).

Photo/Video Opportunity on October 18 and beyond – Media representatives are encouraged to shoot photos/video from the corner of Truman and Grand Blvd.

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