



Dear community partners,

In an effort to keep you informed about construction on the new Louisville Veterans Affairs Medical Center, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Louisville District is happy to share details on major activities planned for the coming week.

**Construction activities scheduled for the week of JANUARY 24, 2022 include:**

- Plans this week include moving forward with earthwork on detention basins as well as continued installation of stormwater/drainage features and select topsoil removal. Rock soundings and advanced drilling will be continue to get exact depths to the surface of bedrock on the site.

**Additional notes:**

Area residents have probably noticed that blasting area signs have been installed in the neighborhood in preparation for when blasting starts on the construction site. It is possible that blasting could start this week, but a start date for has not been set as of today as USACE waits for final approval from the federal highway authorities, but be assured that info will be communicated as soon as it's available. Also, no additional pre-blast inspections will be performed.

Also, area residents may see work taking place on the construction site on Saturdays to make up for time lost due to inclement weather.

If you have specific questions about the construction of the new medical center, please send us an email at: [LOUVAMCconstruction@usace.army.mil](mailto:LOUVAMCconstruction@usace.army.mil). For the most recent information on the project, please visit: [www.va.gov/louisville-health-care/programs/new-robley-rex-va-medical-center](http://www.va.gov/louisville-health-care/programs/new-robley-rex-va-medical-center).

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**Rendering of the North Entry of the new Louisville VA Medical Center in Louisville, Kentucky.**

**Louisville VA Medical Center Overview**

The Department of Veterans Affairs and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Louisville District are building a new 104 bed, full-service hospital in Louisville, Kentucky to provide world-class healthcare to Veterans in Kentucky and Southern Indiana. The new 972,000 square foot facility will replace the existing Robley Rex VA Medical Center.