

Aug. 16, 2013

Dear Neighbor,

The demolition of Piece Tower is set to begin this month, and preliminary work is well underway. Crews will begin mobilizing the site for demolition beginning Monday, Aug. 19, however, visible signs of demolition may not be apparent until the following week beginning Monday, Aug. 26.

Demolition activities can be viewed through the Facilities Services web site. To access the link to the real-time camera that is focused on Pierce Tower, log onto the Facilities Services web site at facilities.uchicago.edu, click the “Campus Construction” tab and then “Campus North Residence Dining Hall and Commons.” The live webcam link is listed near the bottom of that page.

Demolition is scheduled to complete by December 2013. Until then, the campus community can expect the following at and around the Pierce Tower site:

- A crane will be utilized inside the construction fence during demolition.
- Trucks will enter and leave the site from Greenwood Avenue.
- Sidewalks will remain open.
- The work will be noisy at times.
- The scheduled work hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Thank you for your patience throughout this project.