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Multiple Rochester Television Stations featuring coverage of Mayor Lovely Warren's visit to Monroe High School for Phase 2 Modernization Updates

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ROCHESTER, NEW YORK (June 2, 2017) – Mayor Lovely Warren visited the James Monroe School yesterday to observe the progress made on this keystone project which is part of Phase 2 of the Rochester Schools Modernization Program (RSMP).

The local news media was well represented by four local television broadcast outlets: News 8 WROC, WHEC News 10, 13 WHAM TV, Spectrum News. Following are links to some footage:

News 8 WROC

<http://www.rochesterfirst.com/video?videoid=729154111&carousel=2&index=8>

WHEC News 10

<http://www.whec.com/news/mayor-warren-tours-james-monroe-high-school-modernization-updates/4502189/?cat=565>

Mayor Warren was hosted on the tour by the following members of the Rochester Joint Schools Construction Board (RJSCB): Chairperson Allen Williams, Treasurer Charles Benincasa, Norman Jones and Geena Cruz.

Additionally, they were escorted by Program Director Pepin Accilien of Savin Engineers, P.C. The Gilbane Building Company who serves as an associate Program Manager, was represented by Sr. Project Manager Rob Skeelee. The Pike Company, serving as Construction Manager was represented by Michael Rogers.

Originally constructed in 1921, the Monroe structure is undergoing a multi-phase rehabilitation project that will replace most of the existing mechanical, plumbing and electrical systems and will result in a fully refurbished and air-conditioned building with enhanced programmatic and athletic spaces.

The Phase 2A construction budget of \$26 million will reach substantial completion in December 2017 and Phase 2B with a construction budget of \$28 million will reach substantial completion in August 2018. Monroe students who are currently primarily in swing space at the Marshall Campus will return to the modernized facility for the 2018-19 school year.