

WASHINGTON STATE CAPITOL

2021 - 2024



December 2021- December 2022 Newhouse design

January - April 2023 Deconstruction of Newhouse & Press Houses

May 2023 Demolition of Newhouse & **Press Houses**

June 2023 - November 2024 New building construction

NOVEMBER 2024 Estimated substantial completion

2021 - 2026



April 2021 - April 2022 Preservation & validation study

April - July 2023 New design

March 2024 - July 2026 Construction

AUGUST 2026 Estimated substantial completion

mid-2026 - late 2026



2026 Design 2026 Construction Timeline subject to change

Legislative Campus Modernization

The Legislature directed Department of Enterprise Services (DES) to manage work for Legislative Campus Modernization (LCM) over the next several years on a portion of the historic West Capitol Campus. A series of projects will address serious life-safety issues with the buildings, overcrowding, and access for legislative agencies and the public while upgrading existing building systems and making Newhouse and Pritchard high performance, net-zero-ready facilities in keeping with State of Washington Executive Order 18-01.



Irv Newhouse

Built in 1934, the building is beyond its life, and the interior is very crowded during legislative sessions.



Joel M. Pritchard

Built in 1958 and on the National Registry of Historic Places, the building has significant health and life safety hazards and currently cannot support efficient legislative functions.



John L. O'Brien

Planned renovation on top two floors will relieve interior crowding.

