

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT



Centennial Plaza

Centennial Plaza was envisioned as a park/plaza open space that would knit together the north and south portions of the municipal campus. The project was awarded to Hunter Contracting and AECOM Landscape Architect.

Major program elements of Centennial Plaza include:

- Park/plaza open space;
- An educational “Centennial” theme to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Arizona statehood on February 14, 2012;
- Pedestrian connections between City Hall, the Development and Community Services Building and the Public Safety Administration Building;
- Shading provisions for the City Hall amphitheater; and
- Provisions for public restrooms.

Two unique highlights of the plaza will be the prominent “Decades Walk” and the captivating shade canopy structure over the existing City Hall amphitheater. The 100-year Decades Walk will commemorate major world and state historical events.

During the month of May 2011, steel columns for the shade canopy structure were erected at the amphitheater and construction of seat walls were completed.

Forming of the decades walk and placement of the vertical trellis will be ongoing during the month of June.

We look forward to the installation of landscaping and the shade canopy fabric cover in July 2011.

The anticipated completion date of the plaza is September 2011.

STATISTICAL INDICATORS

May 2011

Active Design Contracts

21

Active Design Costs

\$10,242,275

Active Construction Projects

26

Active Construction Costs

\$47,392,314

Engineering Chargebacks

General Fund - \$135,022

HURF - \$6,390

Traffic Accidents in City ROW

2010 – 184 Accidents

2011 – 90 Accidents