

Fox Cities Exhibition Center

Weekly Update - 12/19/2016

Key Progress Points

- Sheet Piling Progress: All sheet piling along the north side and part way down the west side of the job site have been installed to scheduled depth. WE-Energies is conducting the Eighth Street power line relocation this coming Saturday which will allow the sheet piling to proceed on the south end of the site. Sheet Piling is still scheduled to be completely driven to depth around the beginning of the year.
- Tieback Anchors: The test anchor has been completely tested and the number of tiebacks needed is being determined by the engineers. Michels will have a second auger machine and crew arriving in the coming week to install tiebacks in conjunction with the machine and crew already on site.
- Conditions & Safety: Extreme temperatures that measured below zero caused a delay of one day due to the machines inability to function properly. However, there is no impact from the lost day to the overall schedule of the sheet piling. Work has been coordinated with WE-Energies to abandon the existing four-inch gas main that the sheet piling would run parallel with along Elm Street and divert the natural gas through other lines in the surrounding blocks. No injuries occurred this past week.



Progress Photographs



Beginning stages of the temporary shelter to house the grouting machine.



Sheet piling along the west side of the future building driven to depth.



First tieback (test tieback also) completely installed. Rod will be cut back flush with the brace.



Michels utilizing the diesel hammer attachment to drive sheet piling along the west side of the project.