



## ASI Press Release

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### **New Construction Management Firm Announced for University Union Expansion Project**

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The University and ASI have announced that effective immediately, the campus will be self-performing the remainder of the University Union Improvement Project (UUIP) due to differences of opinion with the general contractor concerning the timely progress and completion of the work. The University and Turner Construction Company (acting as the University's Agent) will assume full management of the UUIP project.

Turner Construction Company, one of three highly qualified firms interviewed for this assignment, was selected by the University and ASI on the basis of the strength and availability of the project team proposed. The project timeline and resources are currently being assessed with Turner Construction Company. A revised projected completion date will be announced soon.

Turner Construction Company is one of the largest building contractors in the country. The project team from Turner includes seasoned and experienced professionals who are immediately available to begin work on the project. With a corporate philosophy anchored on the delivery of quality projects, gaining clients for life, and working in a team approach, the company is committed to completing the project as soon as possible.

The expanded University Union will provide the campus community with important additional services and facilities including an 11,000 square foot fitness center, a new 500 seat food court, additional meeting rooms and study lounges, and a 1000 seat multipurpose room for large events and conferences. The University Union will continue to serve students and the campus community in the current facility until the UUIP is completed.