

CUTLINE: Construction at Southern State's new Mt. Orab Campus at the intersection of State Route 32 and BrooksMalott Road is progressing on schedule for its August 2014 grand opening.

SSCC's Mt. Orab Campus on track to open August 2014

Its steel framework soundly in place, Southern State Community College's Mt. Orab Campus is right on schedule to open August 2014. Quandel Construction representatives Nathan Minnich-Weber and Todd Clevinger updated the college's Board of Trustees on progress at the

"I'm pleased to say we're vertical; we're all the way topped out with our steel," said Minnich Weber, at the Oct. 9 regular board meeting.

A June groundbreaking ceremony kicked off construction of the two-story, 56,000-square-foot

Following the construction update, the Board of Trustees passed a resolution to authorize the divestiture of the South Campus property via sale or lease. Southern State is working with the Department of Administrative Service's Office of Real Estate and Planning (DAS Real Estate) to coordinate the sale or lease of the property. Interested parties including local realtors should contact Marc Half, DAS Real Estate Evaluator, at 646-8435 or Marc.Half@das.state.oh.us.

South Campus will remain open for classes through May 2014. The college will then transition to