The following are pictures from the week of May 4th-8th in regards to the HVAC Systems Renovations Project. The project was officially given approval by the Board of Trustees to move forward with a (geothermal/conventional) system. Work has already started as the installation of the temporary chiller has begun. The temporary chiller which will provide the chilled water for the original buildings and their air-conditioning systems is replacing the new defunct absorber in the Physical Plant along with the associated boiler and cooling towers. The chiller will be functional beginning of the week of May 11th and will be utilized until roughly the beginning of October of this year.

Picture descriptions: (1) the feed from the switchgear inside the Physical Plant to the temporary transformer is being installed. (2) The precast pad for the transformer is being set in place. (3) The temporary transformer is being installed. This transformer will be used to power the temporary chiller. (4) the temporary chiller arrived and has been backed into it’s final location for the summer. (5) the mechanical contractor has started making the connections to supply the chilled water to the air-conditioning system to the original buildings on campus.