

Gov. Christie Breaks Ground for \$28.6 Million

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The 54,000-square-foot expansion project is referred to as the Unified Science Center² (“Unified Science Center Squared”) to acknowledge its emphasis on science and math. It

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President Saatkamp thanked alumni, students, faculty and staff for being there and introduced speaker Carl Archut Jr., president of the Student Senate, saying: “At Stockton, our students remain the central focus of what we do and why we exist.”

Archut thanked the governor, the secretary of Higher Education, President Saatkamp and other officials for investing in facilities for students.

“During my college search, the Campus Center was just completed and Unified Science Center 1 had just had its own groundbreaking ceremony,” said Archut, a native of Paulsboro, NJ. “During my academic journey, I have witnessed immense growth through additions of buildings, programs and initiatives. All of them with a clearly defined purpose: to ensure students would maximize their learning potential, while maintaining the best college experience possible.”

He added, “By enhancing our school, students will one day be able to contribute to society—bringing the skills they learn in this building into their various communities. Your investment in Stockton is invaluable.”

Archut introduced the governor, who thanked him and said, “Notice that after Carl’s remarks, the sun came out.”

U.S. Rep. Frank LoBiondo, R-2nd

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nation's preeminent program for the design, construction and operation of high performance green buildings.

Additional Stockton projects receiving bond funding include:

\$6.4 million for an energy management project to modernize equipment and infrastructure, including upgrades to the college's heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems;