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Show Me Ethanol progress schedule as of August 24, 2007

There has been significant progress in the past thirty days as weather continues to permit full scale construction operations.

Large amounts of the concrete floor of the facility have been poured and structural steel erection is underway for the process building. Pipe installation began Monday August 20. Fermentation tank construction is well underway with all four tanks in various stages of completion. The floor on the maintenance room is poured and steel installation will begin next week.

The grain storage silo has been poured. Rising 150 feet into the air it is very impressive structure. Other parts of the grain handling system are being worked on as work begins inside the silo for installation of grinding equipment.

All nineteen tanks being constructed on site are expected to be complete by October 20. There are many other pieces of process equipment on site and they will be installed as floors are poured and walls go up.

The DDGS storage floor is poured and wall forms are going up quickly.

The ICM site manager reports that the workforce is expected to double over the next few weeks to around 200 workers.

The full time Show Me General Manager began working Monday August 13 and is getting up to speed quickly on issues regarding future operations and ongoing construction operations. His name is Greg Thomas and he will be officed in Richmond until the new administrative building is completed which is expected to be early November. Construction on the scale began August 20 and building construction will follow shortly.

Utility commitments continue to be pursued as are the plants operating permits.

Grind dates continue to be on schedule. We will be reviewing timelines with the site manager around mid September.

Please see the site pictures for further information and progress viewing.