

GETTYSBURG'S NEW MUSEUM AND VISITOR CENTER



Pennsylvania Memorial

New Museum and Visitor Center

Bus lounge

Baltimore Pike

(Aerial Photo: LSC Design)



Current Cyclorama Building

Hunt Avenue

Main entrance to new facility



*The bus driver's lounge takes shape
(Photo: LSC Design)*



*Closeup of the construction
(Photo: Gettysburg Foundation)*

Construction is proceeding on Gettysburg's New Museum and Visitor Center, a project of the Gettysburg Foundation in partnership with the National Park Service.

The 139,000-square-foot facility has been designed to blend into the rural Pennsylvania countryside on ground that saw no major battle action. When open in Spring 2008, visitors will enjoy nine theater experiences and 11 exhibit galleries—designed to immerse them in the stories of the battle and the Civil War.

The project also includes the conservation of the massive 360-degree Cyclorama painting ("The Battle of Gettysburg"), which is the largest effort of its kind in North America.