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**Campaign Update**

OHR CHADASH CAMPAIGN

FAQ Volume #2

1. **Why should you “Light Up the Night” on September 14?**

This will be an extraordinary night:

* To experience what our beloved temple might look like in the future.
* To learn about the construction plans and schedule.
* To learn about the campaign’s progress.
* To honor Rabbi Kupetz and Cantor Buch.
* To eat, drink, and revel in our community and our future.

1. **How is the safety and security of congregants being addressed in the renovation plans?**

* A representative of TBI’s Security Committee is involved in looking at plans and making recommendations as a member of the Renovation Committee.
* The height and treatment of windows, the height of walls and trees, and all other security concerns are being carefully considered.
* Any earthquake mitigation planned by the Buildings and Grounds Committee and approved by the Board will occur in conjunction with the Renovation Committee.

1. **How are the architectural plans taking protecting the environment into account?**

* Sustainability is being considered in all choices of materials and furnishings.
* All appliances in the new kitchen will be energy efficient.
* New lighting will give off less heat and provide more light.
* More landscaping and trees will help cool our environment.

1. **How will the plans make the campus more accessible?**

* A new fire exit out to Towne Avenue will have an ADA approved railing.
* New tile floors in walkways will be skid proof.
* Care will be taken to make walking up to and leaving the bimah easier for everyone.
* New hearing assistance devices will be more effective for those congregants who need them.

1. **Need an answer - write to ohrchadash@tbipomona.org**