

**Lighthouse Restoration October 2010**  
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The exterior renovations on the light are 99% complete, minor details on the windows remain.

A dehumidifier is working away inside the lighthouse building, this has helped stabilize the interior environment. There will be some paint and touch up inside after the window work is complete to finalize the phase 1 effort.

Phase 2 will shift attention to the keepers quarters, first priority will be new roofs on both houses. We expect the work to be bid this year but no construction until things dry out in the spring of 2011.

Parks has many great images that chronicle the wrapping of the light, stripping of the exterior walls, stripping of the copper roof, masonry, copper, metal and carpentry work. We will take some of the best and get them up on the website. Recent staffing changes have made updating websites a bit of a challenge so please bear with us as we work through the backlog.

The lens is still in place, it functions but it will not return to service as an aid to navigation.

Project website can be found here:

<http://seattle.gov/parks/maintenance/DiscoveryLighthouse.htm>

There is not a plan in place for tours at this time. Keep checking back for progress updates on the web.

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