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ICEV Update

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The construction of the basement roof for the Masjid building has recently been completed. The concrete pouring for the roof was performed on Tuesday November 9th, 2004. Recent photos of construction are posted on the ICEV website www.icev.org. The available funds in the project account will Inshallah allow the construction to proceed for the time being. It is anticipated that the walls will be raised above ground shortly. Members of the ICEV board will pursue the City of Chandler to obtain occupancy permit and allow us to start praying at the partially completed facility.



- The annual fund raising dinner for ICEV was held on October 23rd, 2004 at the community center of the Holy Trinity Church. An out-of-town speaker, brother Sheikh Muhammad Abdul Hakim helped us raise \$23,424 and obtained pledge for another \$22,150. We also have received two large contributions during this year totaling over \$200,000. These funds allowed us to continue construction of the Masjid.
- The Islamic School is continuing to hold its classes every Sunday at 11:30 AM. Approximately 30 students are enrolled in the school at the present time. If you are interested to volunteer in helping the school, please contact the school administrator at mohsiul@cox.net or the school principal at huq3@aol.com. You can also contact them if you are interested to enroll your children to the Islamic School.
- If you have any question or comment, please contact <u>zchowdhury@cox.net</u>.