

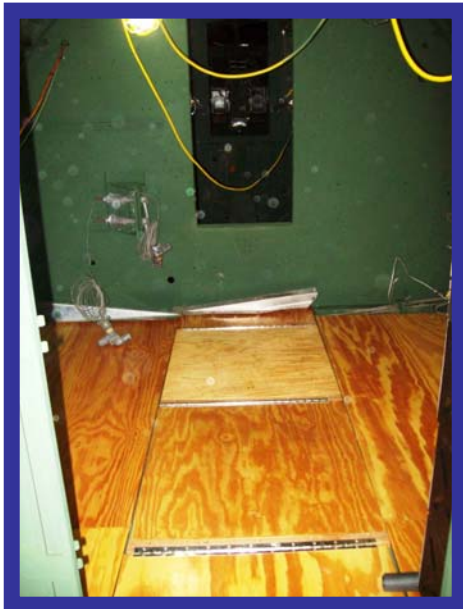
## **UPDATE # 79 - "CITY OF SAVANNAH"**

B-17 Restoration  
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Those of you who have been following this weekly update of "*City of Savannah*" activity will be sure to take note of a major passage this past week - - the first additions to the airplane has finally taken place!

Last Wednesday the day crew brought the radio room floor (constructed during Garcia Week) out of storage and began fitting it into the airplane. That evening the night crew finished the installation and mounted some of the communications equipment that Tommy Garcia donated to our project during his visit. Special thanks need to go out to John Finch for building the radio equipment supports and to Greg Kindred for his many skills that helped with the installation. More kudos to the Wednesday night crew, specifically, Jack Nilsen, for completing the nose blister installation. After twenty-two months of work, all of these sub-projects came together on one night. ***Along with Skip Shelton's painting last week, the transformation - restoration of the "City of Savannah" has finally begun!!!!***



Special thanks this week for what is probably another first for the project. Richard Moscatiello may have been the first volunteer to work on all three work shifts in one week – as well as taking part in a presentation to the Savannah

Project Management Institute on Friday, when that group visited the Museum to learn how our project is working. Well done Richard!

We will be standing down next week for the Thanksgiving holiday. On behalf of Jerry, Jim and everyone on the Museum management staff we wish all of you who receive this update a wonderful holiday, and safe travel if you are leaving town to be with friends and family.

*More to come, when we return . . .*