

## Mission San Luis To Build New Visitor's Center



With Florida's legislative session now over, attention now turns to spending the money in the state budget. On Saturday, state-owned Mission San Luis held a groundbreaking ceremony for its new visitor's center.

The 7.6 million dollar facility will feature a theater, exhibits, classrooms and a multi-purpose space for conferences and functions. The national historic landmark attracts many locals and out of town visitors. It features interactive learning exhibits on Tallahassee's early history, beginning three hundred years ago. Board members say since the mission draws more and more visitors each year, it needs a facility that better showcases the property.



"This is a very important part of Florida's cultural heritage and the visitor center will allow us to bring more people in and teach them about what's going on in the state of Florida as far as how we've evolved to this point," Linda South, Sec. Dept. of Mgmt. Services



Project managers say they expect construction to start right away and the new visitor center should open next year.