

Ice floor covering system made for coliseums



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During 2015, the officials at <u>Macon Coliseum</u> spent a cost prohibitive \$60,000. Why? To have their ice surface cleared and replaced for a number of events.



On Monday, November 28, 2016, the coliseum management company Spectra introduced a <u>remarkable flooring</u> <u>system</u>, which that they say will save money for event organizers. Last months, county commissioners agreed to buy the flooring. SPLOST money was used for the purchase at a cost of over \$90,000.



The new flooring acts as an ice covering during other events, which is removable whenever the Macon Mayhem need to practice or for a game. The first test of the new floor: this weekend. "It's skid-resistant, but it also has a conduit that is allows air so there won't be any condensation on the top layer, so people will be able to walk, have a



smooth walk to their seats so they can enjoy the show," according to Coliseum general manager Monty Jones Jr. The Mayhem play this Friday, then Sesame Street Live will move in Saturday and Sunday.

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