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## Historic Ocean House Undergoing Guestroom Renovation

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WATCH HILL, RI—The historic Ocean House here is under way with a major renovation of its 49 guestrooms.

The multimillion-dollar project is aiming for a refreshed aesthetic while maintaining coastal New England influences.

The rooms renovation—spearheaded by Ocean House Design Group and designer Peter Niemitz—will be unveiled this spring and will feature ceramic tile entryways, custom wool



A refreshed look is coming to all 39 guestrooms at the historic Ocean House.

carpets, updated technology and renewed color palettes.

The coastal design will utilize natural and white painted woods and linen and chenille fabrics by Scalamandré and Lee Jofa to create an eclectic mix of colors, finishes and materials.

Technology upgrades will include new televisions, nightstands with hidden phone and device-charging connectivity, and Bluetooth-enabled sound systems.

Distinct turn-down amenities will be offered and include custom in-room bar trimmings, e.g., leather-clad ice buckets and trays, and a reimagined selection of beverages.