New York Police Academy

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Project Overview

Department Construction Manager:

Turner Construction

Size: 720,000 SF

Occupancy: B, Business

Start/End: 10/01/10 to 12/31/13

Architecture

New York City Police Academy design is focused around the conjuration of the five current facilities into one. Exterior Façade is a combination of metal panels, precast concrete, and glazed glass.

Structural

Foundation: Pile cap design ranging from 100 to 180 tons in capacity with piles being sixteen inches in diameter.

Superstructure: Steel system
consisting of rigid and braced
frame design, with composite
decking for floor and roof
support.

Construction

The project is being constructed under a modified fast track construction style, due to local law requirements, with intentions to obtain a LEED Silver Rating as well. A portion of the site is on an old landfill, causing extra precautions in soil testing and foundation design. This however allows for onsite parking and storage, a rarity in New York.



Mechanical

Cooling: Chilled water system containing four chillers,
 four cooling tower and up to eight pumps to supply
 the facility.

Heating: Traditional boiler system containing five
 industrial boilers that are supplied by eight fuel
 oil tanks.

Air handling units will be installed to ensure proper air quality.

Electrical/Lighting

Lighting: Variety of light fixtures to accompany the
 architectural feel for the surrounding, all to be
 energy efficient.

Electrical: Administration is supplied by (1) 3000A/460V 3-Phase, and (1) 2500A/460V 3-Phase Switchboard. The Central Plant will be supplied by (2) 4000A/460V 3-Phase Switchboards, and (2) 2.5MW Diesel Generators for emergency power.

