

# Trump Taj Mahal Hotel

Atlantic City, New Jersey

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Structural

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# Project Team

- Owner's Representative: Trump Hotels and Casino Resorts
- Architect/Interior Designer: Friedmutter Group
- Construction Management: Bovis Lend Lease
- Interior Designer: Hirsch Bedner and Associates
- Civil Engineer: Arthur W. Ponzio & Associates
- M.E.P Engineer: Giovanetti, Shulman Associates
- **Structural Consultant:** The Harman Group
- Parking Consultant: Schoor Depalma
- Lighting Consultant: John Levy Lighting Productions
- Building Envelope Consultant: Edwards and Company
- Acoustical Consultant: Chips Davis Designs
- Low Voltage Wiring Consultant: Michael Raiser Associates
- Vertical Transportation Consultant: Lerch, Bates Associates
- Landscape Architect: Cairone and Kaupp

## Structural System

- Cast-in-place concrete core acts as shear wall, providing lateral force resistance
- 10" Filigree flat slab floor system outside of concrete core
- 12" Flat plate concrete floor system inside of concrete core
- **Steel framed** bridge with **composite metal deck** connects the new tower to the existing tower
- 6' to 9' deep reinforced concrete mat foundation system
- Wind tunnel test performed for wind loading

## **Mechanical/Plumbing System**

- Individual International fan coil units provide heating and cooling for each guest suite
- Guest room air is exhausted into registers located in lobbies, corridors, and other common areas
- Common areas are supplied air via AHU units; VAV boxes are located in each of the serviced spaces
- Plumbing is separated into a low (up to level 22) and high (level 23 to 40) zone
- Hot water is provided by Patterson Kelly hot water generators,
   6 for the low zone and 9 for the high zone
- Water is pumped throughout the tower using one Triplex domestic water booster pump system per zone
- Chilled water is supplied from the existing hotel

#### General

- Cost: \$250 Million
- Size: 730, 000 Square Feet
- **Height:** 430 ft
- Occupancy: Hotel/Resort
- **Function:** Expansion to Existing Hotel
- Construction: July 2006 to Summer 2008

#### **Architecture**

- Iconic style architecture
- **Square, centralized** floor plan
- Short-story core and shell concrete high-rise hotel
- Reflective glass curtain wall encompasses the shaft of the tower
- Architectural precast concrete panels form a solid base
- Metal crown and Trump sign at the top of the tower
- Large, bold signage spans the vertical of the east and west corners
- Located on the Boardwalk of Atlantic City

#### **Construction**

- Bovis Lend Lease is acting as the CM at Risk, all of the work is being sub-contracted
- One tower crane is located on the north side of the tower
- **Self-jacking slip forms** will be used to form the concrete core
- Staging areas are located on the northwest area of the site, where a parking lot will be later constructed

# Lighting/Electrical System

- 120/208V and 277/480V 3 phase 4 wire systems
- Main power is fed from a 23kV switchgear station located at the adjacent Xanadu Building
- Main power is split between four unit sub-stations, 1500kVA and 750kVA stations on the 1st level and 1000kVA and 2000kVA stations on the 40th level
- Six (6) 100 to 200 amp panel boards service each floor
- Diesel fueled 1,000kW/1240kVA 480V emergency generator
- Guest room lighting fixtures are typically incandescent lamps



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