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Rehabilitation of Mulry Square

Borough of Manhattan, New York

PROJECT NAME Rehabilitation of Mulry Square in Manhattan (NYCDDC Contract HWMP094)

PROJECT OWNER/CLIENT

New York City Department of Design and Construction

START/END DATES 1999 - 2004



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Located in a historic district of Manhattan, Mulry Square encompasses a heavilycongested area that includes Seventh Avenue from West 12th to Perry Streets, West 11th Street from Waverly Place to Seventh Avenue, and Greenwich Avenue from Perry Street to Bank Street. KS Engineers, P.C. (KSE) was responsible for overseeing construction of the following improvements:

- Installation of four-inch and seven-inch thick sidewalks and pedestrian ramps
- Installation of decorative areas containing bluestone and granite pavers and bollards
- Installation of new 12-inch and 20-inch water mains, new drainage systems, sewer manholes, catch basins, and connectors
- Installation of new steel-faced and granite curbing
- Installation of new street lighting, traffic signalization, street signs, and trafficcalming systems
- Utility relocations and tree plantings
- Demolition of existing roadways and installation of new concrete base and asphalt wearing course.

The complexities of the project included:

- Monitoring St. Vincent's Hospital, which borders the project area, to confirm that it was not affected (through, for example, vibration, utility disruption, traffic that impedes emergency vehicles, and the like) by the contractor's operations.
- Monitoring the significant utility relocation work by Con Edison to confirm that it
 proceeded without unduly impacting the contractor's activity and construction
 schedule.



