

BRONX COUNTY HALL OF JUSTICE

Bronx, New York, USA

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The Bronx County Hall of Justice stands prominently on its two-block site facing East 161st Street near the borough's Grand Concourse. The building houses 47 court parts, seven grand jury rooms, and administrative office suites for contract agencies and the District Attorney. It also provides underground parking for 240 vehicles.

Fitting the building into the surrounding community was important during the design process. The L-shaped structure forms the edges of a public courtyard, reinforcing the commercial street wall and embracing neighboring communities with an open and engaging civic plaza.

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FACTS + FIGURES

Completion

2006

Size

72,000 gsm

Awards

Citation: 2007 Justice Facilities Review, The American Institute of Architects Academy of Architecture for Justice, 2007
Best of 2006 Public Works and Facilities, New York Construction, 2006

Media Coverage

The Architect's Newspaper,
"Feature: Five-Year Reunion," October 2011
The Architect's Newspaper,
"Bronx Criminal Court Complete," April 2006
Metals in Construction Magazine,
"Bronx Criminal Court: Innovative Glazing System Resists Blast," Spring 2006

Client

Dormitory Authority
State of New York

Consultants

Joint Venture Partner
DMJM Harris

MEP Engineer

WSP

Structural Engineer

Ysrael A. Seinuk PC

Civil Engineer

Leonard J. Strandberg
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