



Absorption Plus[®] Acoustical Wall Panel Case History

Newark Police Department

5th Precinct, 480 Clinton Avenue, Newark, NJ

Project Architect: Netta Architects

General Contractor: EPIC Management Inc.

Installing Contractor: EPIC Interiors LLC, Piscataway, NJ

Project Detail: Three story 75,000 square foot LEED project, houses the departments 5th precinct and the city's Office of Emergency Management.



EPIC Interiors provides exterior framing, roof trusses, drywall, acoustical ceilings and related carpentry trades work. Rick Banghardt, EPIC Interiors Manager states "SPI was awarded acoustical ceilings, metal studs, insulation and drywall on this project due to a record of dependable service, quality products and competitive price."

EPIC had acoustical wall panels for the project Command Center in their scope. SPI was invited to quote Absorption Plus panels as they met the panel performance specification. The unusually short product lead time (2 weeks typical), panel literature with acoustical test performance, sample submittals and competitive price, convinced EPIC to award acoustical panels to SPI. Rick also noted "purchasing the complete, interiors package from one trusted supplier was easier from a coordination standpoint."

EPIC was very satisfied with the quality of the Absorption Plus panels. They were especially impressed with panel turnaround time as a late scope change required additional panels be fabricated. Rick noted the extra panels were on site within a week which exceeded our expectations. "We'll definitely use SPI's wall panel service again."

*Absorption Plus Impact Wall Panels
match the Command Center design.*



Command Center monitors city video feeds



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