



Peter Minuit Plaza - Zipper Bench

Location New York City, NY
Designer/Architect WXY Architects.
Duration Oct 2009 - Jan 2010

Scope - Soheil Mosun Limited was contracted to fabricate these modern custom designed zipper benches for a public park area in New York City.

Highlights - The bench is made of steel gables for the support structure and rolled ribs with custom rolled and fit arm rests. The bench was then powder coated with a metallic silver finish suitable for exterior applications. Ribs are 1/4" roll formed steel. Arm rests are 1/2" roll formed steel. This design has particular attributes which are attractive to parks departments, namely the bench acts as a tree trunk protector. (Actual location of Peter Minuit Plaza not shown).



End and curve detail



Straight on view of the closed end of the zipper bench



Detail at the convergence point



The zipper bench nestled against a tree



Roll formed rib detail