



Above: Location of the Solaire in Battery Park City.  
Center: Artist's rendering of completed tower. At right:  
Under construction in September 2002.

### The Solaire at 20 River Terrace, Battery Park City New York, NY

Battery Park City's Solaire is New York City's first "green" residential building. Green buildings are designed to depend less on water and energy resources. The 27 story, 900 unit tower was completed and ready for occupancy in 2003.

Mueser Rutledge Consulting Engineers (MRCE) served as the geotechnical consultant on the project, performing a subsurface investigation, making foundation recommendations, and making controlled inspection of piles for the new residential tower.