

## PROJECT > Statue of Liberty

One Coat Fiberglass Reinforced Stucco  
New York, NY



### PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

A gift from France, the Statue of Liberty has been the unwavering symbol of freedom and welcome signal to visitors of the United States since 1886. Representing the Roman goddess, Libertas, the statue sits atop a pedestal built in historic Fort Hood that collectively extends more than 300 feet from the ground on Liberty Island to the tip of her torch. In 2012, the New York Port Authority led an effort on behalf of the U.S. National Parks Service to rehabilitate stairwells and tunnels under the national monument and throughout the Fort Hood foundation using QUIKRETE® One Coat Fiberglass Reinforced Stucco (FRS). Acies Construction applied nearly 3,800 80-pound bags of

QUIKRETE® One Coat FRS to strengthen new and existing archways that were widened over stairwells and tunnels in compliance with current industry building codes. As a result, the Statue of Liberty can once again safely host millions of visitors each year.

QUIKRETE® One Coat Fiberglass Reinforced Stucco is a Portland cement-based plaster designed for use in one coat stucco applications over substrates of fiberboard, plywood, oriented strand board (OSB), gypsum sheathing or expanded polystyrene (EPS) insulation board on exterior walls of wood or steel stud construction. It may also be used as base coat in conventional two- or three-coat stucco systems.

**GENERAL CONTRACTOR:** New York Port Authority

**SUB-CONTRACTOR:** Acies Construction

**PROJECT START DATE:** March 2012

**PROJECT COMPLETION DATE:** August 2012

### QUIKRETE® PRODUCTS USED:

- 80 lb One Coat Fiberglass Reinforced Stucco (FRS) : 3,780 bags

