PROJECT DESCRIPTION:
The documentation of the 43rd U.S. President, George W. Bush, time in office from 2001-2009 is captured in the George W. Bush Presidential Center on the campus of Southern Methodist University in Dallas. The 207,000 square foot facility features the George W. Bush’s Presidential Library and Museum, which house more than 70 million pages of text records, more than 200 e-mail messages and nearly four million photographs from President Bush’s administration. It also features a permanent exhibit “Freedom, Responsibility, Opportunity and Compassion”, an interactive element called “Decision Points Theater” and a full-size replica of the Oval Office.

The QUIKRETE® Companies was selected to provide a variety of products for the construction including a pre-blended mortar mix specially formulated to meet a specific Cordova Cream color selected by First Lady Laura Bush. QUIKRETE® provided the necessary pre-blended mortar, core fill grout and sand mix in bulk bags with a silo delivery systems to install the block, brick, and Texas limestone on the George W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum. In addition to delivering consistent Cordova Cream pre-blended mortar, QUIKRETE® and its bulk mortar silo system enhanced productivity and reduced labor costs on the project.

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT COMPANY: Manhattan Construction

MASONRY CONTRACTOR: Dee Brown, Inc.

QUIKRETE® PRODUCTS USED:
- 3,000 lb Mason Mix - Portland Lime, Type N (PLN) Mortar: 471 bulk bags
- 80 lb bags Mason Mix - Portland Lime, Type N (PLN) Mortar: 924 bags
- 3,000 lb Mason Mix - Portland Lime, Type S (PLS): 253 bulk bags
- 80 lb bags Mason Mix - Portland Lime, Type S (PLS): 84 bags
- 3,000 lb Core-Fill Grout: 778 bulk bags
- 80 lb bags Core-Fill Grout: 168 bags
- 80 lb bags Sand Mix: 558 bags

PROJECT START DATE:
Fall 2010

PROJECT COMPLETION DATE:
Fall 2012