

RAILING SYSTEMS CASE STUDY



PROJECT: WATERFRONT PEARL

LOCATION: PORTLAND, OR

BLDG USE: RESIDENTIAL

COMPLETION: SPRING 2008

PRODUCTS: ALUMINUM SERIES 200 TOP RAIL
WITH BASE PLATE MOUNTING METHOD
AND DECORATIVE HORIZONTAL MIDRAILS

ARCHITECTS: SOREN RASMUSSEN & MCA ARCHITECTS

CUSTOMER: HOFFMAN CONSTRUCTION

“Superior views from a superior rail”

The Waterfront Pearl is located in the old River Queen parking lot on the edge of the Pearl District in Portland, OR. It consists of two 10-story towers with spectacular river, mountain and pearl district views.

As one of the few condominium structures that offers dockside living on the Willamette River, a decorative yet distinctive looking railing system was needed by MCA Architects to provide an unobstructed view. The preliminary concept was provided by the architect and the design came to life using Sapa's in-house design, drafting, and engineering team.

The final design utilized Sapa's series 200 flat top aluminum railing with 1/4" tempered glass infill and decorative horizontal midrails. With this style the residents of the Waterfront Pearl can maximize their panoramic views while feeling safe and secure on their balconies.

Sapa's state-of-the-art coatings facility guarantees that the railing will last for decades with its professional PPG Duracron S600 "Seafoam" finish.

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