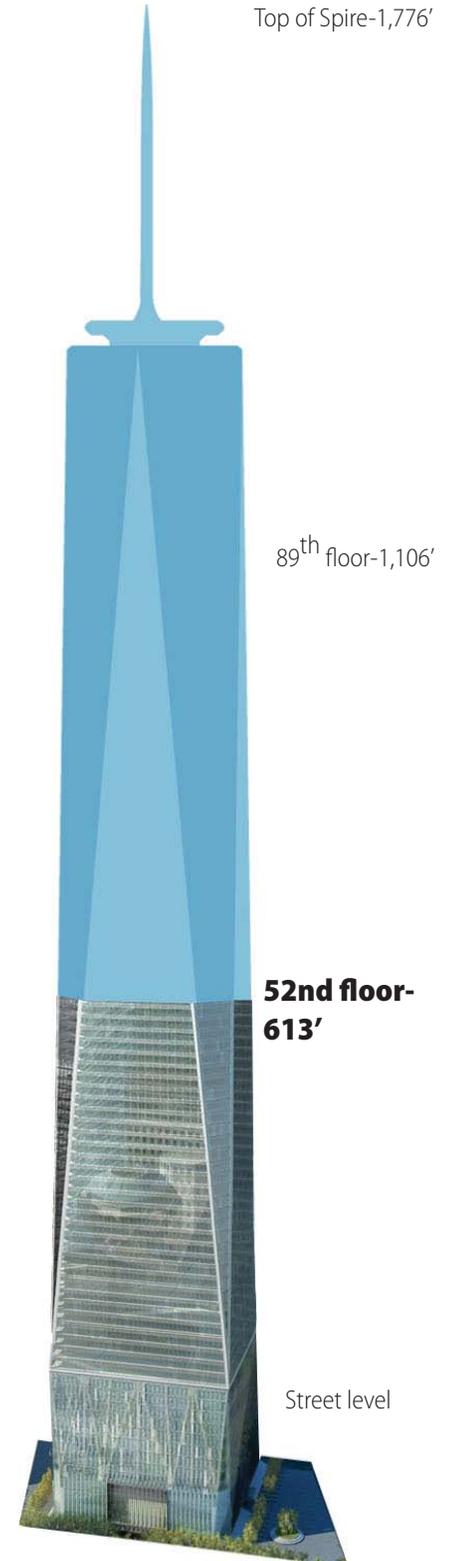


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## ONE WTC SURPASSES MILESTONE AND SOARS TO 52nd FLOOR

**O**ne WTC is quickly rising in the northwest corner of the World Trade Center site. In December, steel erection progressed to the 52nd floor and to more than 613 feet above grade, surpassing its milestone of 50 floors by the end of 2010. Concrete floor slabs are cast to the 44th floor, core shear walls are cast to the 41st floor and installation of the building's glass curtain wall begins to form the iconic skin that will feature prominently on the downtown skyline.

Once completed, it will be the tallest skyscraper in New York City at 105 floors to the roofline, or 1,776 feet, including the mast. One WTC will provide 2.6 million square feet of office space and will use approximately 45,000 tons of structural steel, the equivalent of 22,500 full-size passenger cars. ♦



### 'CURTAIN WALL' BEGINS TO ENCLOSE ONE WTC



Rendering of glass curtain wall on One WTC

Visitors might notice a bit more sheen and shine to the ongoing WTC construction site. Installation of the aluminum and glass curtain wall has begun at One WTC. The exterior cladding will consist of over one million square feet of prismatic glass when complete.



Prismatic glass panels at One WTC

# CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS AROUND THE WTC SITE

## NATIONAL SEPTEMBER 11 MEMORIAL & MUSEUM (NS11MM)



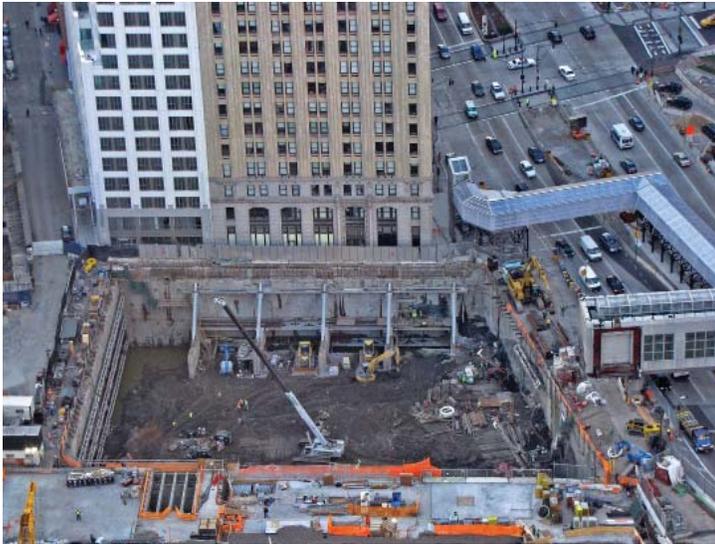
The NS11MM will be a place memorializing the 9/11 victims and educating the public. In less than a year, on the tenth anniversary of September 11, 2001, the Memorial Plaza will become accessible to pedestrians. Today, all of the structural steel has been installed; most of the concrete has been poured; the North Pool has been successfully tested; and over 100 trees have been planted on the Plaza. The erection of the atrium steel framing around the original WTC trident steel has been completed at the northwest corner of the Pavilion building.

## TRANSPORTATION HUB PATH STATION



The Transportation Hub's PATH Station and Transit Hall, designed by renowned architect Santiago Calatrava, will be 300,000 square feet and serve more than 100,000 daily commuters upon completion. Today, construction of the PATH Station roof continues to move forward as over 150 pieces of the sweeping Calatrava center span ribs are in place. Over 2,800 tons of permanent steel have been erected in the station in total.

## VEHICULAR SECURITY CENTER (VSC)



The VSC is an underground security structure that will serve as the screening point for all vehicles entering the WTC site. More than 70,000 tons of soil have been removed to date and tieback installation is progressing as it continues to support the slurry walls. Excavation of the western portion continues and is scheduled to be completed in the middle of this month.

## FOUR WORLD TRADE CENTER



Located at the southwest corner of the site, 4 WTC will rise to 975 feet and will be the fourth-tallest skyscraper on the WTC site when completed. This month, steady progress will continue on the reinforcement and form work for concrete floor slabs and columns, currently at the 9th floor. The steel erection and installation of the core wall also continue through the 9th and 11th floors, to what will eventually be a 64-story tower.

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