

MAPEI projects in the works

MAPEI partners with a host of flooring professionals throughout the Americas and Caribbean to provide solutions for a large variety of project challenges. "Projects in the Works" showcases some of the installations currently under construction or close to completion. Check out what's happening in your area – MAPEI may be right around the corner.



Coors Field

Denver, Colorado



Brekhus Tile & Concrete of Denver, Colorado, is renovating nine corporate suites at Coors Field, the home of the Colorado Rockies baseball team. The nine suites plus a reception area will be transformed into three interconnecting super suites, and a business center for the baseball team and Roc Henge Events Center.

Ultraplan® Easy self-leveling underlayment was poured over **Primer L™** in all areas to provide a single level surface. This was followed by installation of water-jet-cut stone and a variety of decorative tile on 10,000 square feet (929 m²) of walls and floors using **Kerabond/Keralastic™** premium flexible mortar system and **Keracolor™ U** premium unsanded grout. Brekhus' goal is to have the suites available for the opening day of baseball season, so MAPEI products will be there for the first pitch.



Monterrey Subway

Monterrey, Mexico

Monterrey is the third largest city in Mexico, home to about 4.5-million people. To help strengthen the infrastructure of this populous city, the public subway system is currently undergoing repairs spanning 7.5 miles (12 km) of concrete structures using MAPEI products.

Planitop® 15 is a form-and-pour cement repair mortar that contains a corrosion inhibitor. It is used for applications where high early strength and flowability are required, which is ideal for subway repairs. **Planiseal™ 88**, a cement-based waterproofing coating for concrete and masonry surfaces, will be used to cover and protect the repairs.

Trump Tower – Chicago

Chicago, Illinois

Once all 92 stories are complete, Chicago's Trump International Hotel and Tower will become the city's second largest building, only trailing behind the Sears Tower. The 339-room condominium hotel, which occupies floors 17 through 27, opened on Jan. 30. Residential condominiums will stretch from floors 19 through 85.

An abundance of MAPEI products will help complete this massive project. **Ultrabond ECO® 350** and **Ultrabond® 980** are being used to install carpet and wood over more than 750,000 square feet (69 677 m²) of the tower. **Ultralite Mortar** will be used for wall tile installations, while **Ultracontact** and the **Kerabond/Keralastic** mortar system will be used for floor tiles. Both **Keracolor S** and **Keracolor U** will be used to grout the tile. **Mapelastic™ HPG** will be used for waterproofing, and **Mapeguard SM** and **MAPEI SM Primer™** will be used for crack isolation.



Beth Medrash Govoha

Lakewood, New Jersey



Beth Medrash Govoha, a rabbinical college in Lakewood, New Jersey, recently underwent a facelift. Established more than 60 years ago, Beth Medrash Govoha is the oldest and largest Orthodox Jewish university in the United States. A variety of MAPEI products was used to install new porcelain tile from Olympia Tile over existing terrazzo flooring in the main study area, the Adolph Beren Hall.

Tri-Patch™ was used to level and smooth 500 square feet (465 m²) of old terrazzo floor. **Mapeguard™ SM** was applied for crack isolation, while **Ultracontact™** full-contact mortar was used for setting the tile. Vertical marble columns and wainscot areas were installed using MAPEI's **Ultralite Mortar™** lightweight wall and floor mortar. Finally, **Keracolor S** premium sanded grout was used to grout all tile. The hall has high commercial use because 600 students will dance there together during Jewish festivals.