

STATUE OF LIBERTY RENOVATION

Interior Railing
New York City, New York USA

L-92



On July 4, 2013, the Statue of Liberty reopened after undergoing a number of renovations - including new stairway railings inside the monument's pedestal. Banker Wire's L-92 woven wire mesh, in bronze, was used as railing infill panels, enhancing the look and durability of the interior staircases. The L-92 mesh pattern is woven in a lockcrimp style. Straight sections of wire are connected by highly-defined, lockcrimped intersection, ensuring the panels' stability. The mesh matched the aesthetic standards of the national landmark through the attention to detail and customization options for which Banker Wire has become known. The single most important detail in this installation was the repeatability of the mesh pattern - and as with every Banker Wire project, a wire weave was created to ensure that repeatability.

"It was a pleasure working with Banker Wire. The project went very smoothly, and the material provides a perfect aesthetic, high durability and is easily serviceable," says Rich Blatman, president of SRS, Inc.

"Direct Metals Company was confident that Banker Wire would deliver a high-quality product, on time and at a reasonable cost," says John Hoover, owner of Direct Metals. "The partnership between Direct Metals and Banker Wire allowed for a successful installation at one of our nation's most important landmarks."

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