

Avigilon Offices Assembly Row, Somerville

7,500 sq. ft.

• SIZE

•TYPE Commercial COMPLETION
Fall 2015

This high-performance rooftop with custom curvilinear forms and a breezy plant palette offers occupants space to relax and enjoy the view.



Assembly Row is an award-winning mixed-use neighborhood at a former brownfield site on the Mystic River in Somerville, Massachusetts. Recover installed nine separate garden areas on three rooftop plazas overlooking a large waterfront park, creating a unique urban office escape. Perennial grasses, lilies, and dogwoods watered with an automated smart irrigation system create a serene aesthetic of grasses blowing in the wind.

Pedestrian walkways are separated from gardens by custom precast curbing set on concrete footings, allowing free flow of surface water in all directions. Built-on-site seatwalls capped with floating cedar slats make natural gathering spaces on the roof, and integrated lighting creates an inviting ambiance day or night.





Top left to bottom right: Avigilon Office green roof overlooking the Mystic River / IPE hardwood deck, curvilinear pre-cast curbing and custom seat wall / Custom granite pavers border the main planting bed

PROJECT INFORMATION

Landscape Architect Copley Wolff Design Group

Project Type Semi-Intensive, Intensive

Construction Manager Development Management Associates

General Contractor Recover Green Roofs

Hardscape & Decking Installer Recover Green Roofs

Green Roof Installer Recover Green Roofs

Irrigation Installer Recover Green Roofs

Green Roof Components ZinCo USA

Plant Types Perennial Grasses, Trees, Shrubs, & Groundcover

Hardscaping Materials Hanover Architectural Products

Waterproofing Membrane Sika Sarnafil PVC

Waterproofing Installer John F Shea Roofing

Soil Media Supplier ZinCo USA

Electrician JEC Electric Contracting



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