

## Casa B Living Wall Somerville, Massachusetts

•TYPE Commercial • SIZE **80 sq. ft.**  • COMPLETION June 2010

A lush living wall of tropical low-light varieties sets the mood at Casa B Restaurant in Union Square, Somerville, Mass.



The living wall at Casa B transformed a previously unplanted basement dining area into a verdant room bursting with foliage and life. Plants selected were inspired by those native to the restaurant owner's home country of Colombia.

Several varieties of low-light leafy tropicals were grown by Plant Connection on Long Island, using a GrO2 Living Wall system, prior to being transported to Somerville. Recover built an aluminum panel, bracket, and basin system with integrated automatic drip irrigation to hold plants and circulate water. Perforated trays enable water to seep down through the soil and penetrate each tray bed, while a series of grow lights promote healthy plant generation and add ambience to the installation.





**Top left to bottom right:** Different varieties of low-light tropicals in this living wall create a vivid backdrop to Casa B's dining area.

## PROJECT INFORMATION

Green Roof Design
Recover Green Roofs

Type Living Wall

Plant Type(s)
Low-light tropicals

Living Wall Components Gr02 System

Plant Supplier Plant Connection

Green Wall Installer Recover Green Roofs

Irrigation Installer Recover Green Roofs

Maintenance Services
Recover Green Roofs