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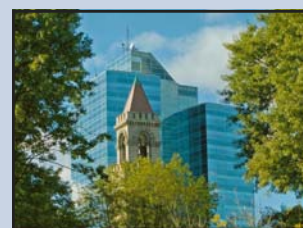
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O'Reilly, Talbot & Okun (OTO), an environmental engineering/geotechnical firm, is pleased to announce that it has won a Central Massachusetts "Green Award" (Public Sector category) from the *Worcester Business Journal* for its role in the design and construction of the new Worcester District Court, beginning with reclamation of the downtown land on which it sits.

According to the *Worcester Business Journal*, the awards were created "to celebrate local businesses and organizations that are going the extra mile to make green choices." In addition to Public Sector, other award categories include: Renewable Energy Usage, Energy Efficiency, Green Building, and Land Use.

The firm worked closely with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Division of Capital Asset Management (DCAM) for approximately five years - from the clearance and remediation of a contaminated urban "brownfield," through the design and installation of long-term environmentally protective systems.

"We are proud and delighted to have played a central role in a project that has taken an underused and contaminated city block, eliminated remaining hazards and headed off future ones, and brought an outstanding, environmentally friendly new public resource to the city," OTO principal Jim Okun said. "Being recognized with the 'Green Award' for our contribution is a very satisfying bonus for us and our project partners."



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