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# *CPI Daylighting Inc.* *Featured Project*

## *Lowes Corporate Walkway*

One and a half years ago Lowes Home Improvement moved its corporate headquarters from North Wilkesboro, North Carolina to Mooresville, NC. CPI's walkway was chosen to connect their buildings to the parking garages. Originally

there were two walkways, one in front and one in back. Eventually there will be four walkways in total. The architect chose the efficient CRP design without the need of horizontal rafters giving the walkway a clean open span & cutting cost dramatically. The walkways were challenging to install because the employees were already working everyday. Demat, Inc., the installer, had to build a scaffolding structure underneath the canopy



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