

# PP-R PIPE PROVIDES GREAT VALUE ON DIRECT BURY APPLICATION AT DISTRICT ENERGY PLANT



## PROJECT:

Detroit Thermal,  
Steam/Condensate,  
Direct Buried

## PRODUCTS:

**aquatherm blue pipe®**

## LOCATION/DATE:

Detroit,  
Winter and Spring 2014

## THE CHALLENGE

With several thousand feet of mostly direct-buried pipe needed, the engineering team sought a pipe system that would hold up to the corrosive condensate

## THE SOLUTION

Aquatherm Blue Pipe® was an ideal solution thanks to its corrosion resistance and its light weight compared to steel



“The installation of Aquatherm went very smoothly. I liked working with the product. The learning curve on this product was a very short learning curve. It’s very easy to work with.”

– Pete Ivory, Foreman, Progressive Mechanical, Detroit



## AQUATHERM ADVANTAGES

- Aquatherm pipe provided labor savings thanks to heat fusion and its lighter weight compared to steel
- For some direct-buried sections of the project Aquatherm pipe didn’t require insulation, where steel pipe would have
- Ownership liked the cleaner nature of PP-R and the reduced risk of theft that Aquatherm pipe offers



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