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The 22-story Windsor Over Peachtree condominium building features commanding views of downtown Atlanta and the surrounding area (left). Above: Aquatherm pipe in place at Windsor Over Peachtree. Its virtually leak-free performance impressed the installing contractor.

PROJECT: Windsor Over Peachtree condominium HVAC system

PRODUCTS: aquatherm blue pipe°

LOCATION/DATE: Atlanta, GA December 2017 - July 2018

THE CHALLENGE

Replacing the deteriorating and leaking HVAC piping in an occupied, 22-story condominium building with tight mechanical blockouts between floors

THE SOLUTION

Lightweight and virtually leakfree Aquatherm Blue Pipe[®] was installed with no flame or welding, and the fast installation speed made possible by offsite fabrication caused minimal disruption for the residents



"Aquatherm is a plastic, but don't even consider equating it to something like PVC or CPVC. It doesn't even compare to those pipes. It's in a class of its own."

— Joe Escher, Vice President, E. Escher Inc. Mechanical Contractors, Roswell, GA



AQUATHERM ADVANTAGES

- The virtually leak-free performance of heat-fused Aquatherm pipe impressed the contractor — only five leaks were detected out of more than 4,000 fusion welds
- The ability to fabricate risers offsite presented considerable installation time savings over steel pipe, and dramatically reduced system downtime in an occupied building
- As this was an occupied building, the ability to install new pipe without welding or open flame was of paramount importance to the building owner



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