

## Eldor awarded 7kW photovoltaic system project

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Eldor Contracting Corp. has completed a renewable energy project for the Manhasset Union Free School District (UFSD). Eldor installed a 7kW photovoltaic system at the Manhasset Secondary School's concession stand. The project was funded through a \$29,250 grant from CBS EcoMedia Inc., a subsidiary of CBS Corp., an organization which sells advertisements to companies and uses a portion of its proceeds to provide grants for projects benefitting the environment. Serving as the architect and owner's representative for the project was John A. Grillo Architect, PC.

The Manhasset UFSD was selected as a grant recipient based on its ongoing commitment to saving energy and reducing energy costs. Instrumental in securing the grant was Armand Markarian, PE, director of facilities for the Manhasset UFSD.

He projected the entire project costs to be covered by the grant funds and rebates from the local power authority, the Long Island Power Authority (LIPA). Over the past two years, the Manhasset UFSD completed energy saving projects reflecting energy savings of over \$3.3 million. These projects were funded through an energy performance contract approved by the Board of Education in 2009.

In its role for the Manhasset UFSD's photovoltaic system project, Eldor provided its photovoltaic system design services and electrical construction services. Additionally, Eldor managed all coordination with LIPA. This was not Eldor's first project for the Manhasset UFSD. The company was also contracted in 2009 for another project.

## About Eldor Contracting Corporation

Founded by current President Nicolaus P. Feldmann over 35 years ago, Eldor is one of the New York-Tri State region's largest electrical contractors. Operating from its sustainable corporate headquarters in Holtsville, NY and another facility in College Point, NY, the company offers end-to-end services. They including: electrical contracting, value engineering, procurement, construction and renewable energy solutions. Eldor is recognized for its proven track record and problem-solving capabilities on even the most complex, challenging projects. Eldor employs a highly qualified, credentialed team of professional engineers, superintendents, project managers, foremen, journeymen and apprentices - each fully-trained and committed to delivering projects on-time, on-budget and to specifications. Eldor has approximately 200 employees. The company's executives are well-respected within the industry as reflected in their leadership roles within relevant industry associations such as the National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA). Eldor also holds key certifications such as those of the New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA) and North American Board Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) as well as active membership in organizations including the New York State Energy Industries Association (NYSEIA). For more information, visit: www.eldor.com About CBS EcoMedia Inc.

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