

Suffolk tapped for Stuart St. hostel project

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[Suffolk Construction](#) said it has been selected by [Hostelling International Boston](#) to renovate the six-story Dill Building on Boston's Stuart Street into a new hostel.

Plans call for the renovation project to be completed in the spring of 2012, Boston-based Suffolk Construction said.

The renovations are being designed by [Bergmeyer Associates](#) and [Stegman+Associates](#), two architectural firms in Boston. And when renovations are completed, the goal is for the facility to become the first LEED certified hostel in the United States, Suffolk Construction said.

Hostelling International Boston currently operates a hostel on Hemenway Street in Boston's Fenway neighborhood. Plans call for the Hemenway facility to close when the Stuart Street hostel becomes operational. The new hostel will have nearly double the capacity of the Hemenway hostel, Suffolk Construction said.

The image with this post is a rendering of what the Stuart Street hostel will look like. It was provided by Bergmeyer Associates and Stegman+Associates.

