

## FOUNDRY BRIDGE

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

Project Highlight

Installation 2011

Project for Venture Richmond

**Features** Custom Arch Design

8 feet by 155 feet delivered in 3 pieces Combination Rail (seperate)

Ipe Decking

## **Project Summary**

Venture Richmond is an organization of enthusiastic community members and businesses which work to revitalize the downtown neighborhood, including the popular Browns Island area. Browns Island is home to multiple festivals, community and cultural events every year, bringing thousands of residents and non-residents to the area. To improve pedestrian traffic a 155 foot single span, pedestrian bridge was commissioned. The community wanted a bridge that would provide safe transportation of pedestrian and bike traffic yet fit in with the modern landscape. The engineers on the project had a design in mind and chose aluminum over steel because of the inherent low maintenance properties and ease of installation. The contractors installed the GatorBridge on the pre-poured abutments in only a few hours' time. The Foundry Bridge is now a focal point of the downtown Richmond landscape and provides hundreds of thousands access to community events.





