# GEATAIN ENGINEERING CASE STUDY-1 HOTEL



## BACKGROUND

The 1 Hotel is located in the heart of Manhattan 6th Ave between 58<sup>th</sup> Street and 57<sup>th</sup> Street. This luxury hotel provides guests an urban retreat with its close proximity to central park. This 17-floor building was built in 2014 and features 113,500 square feet of meeting space, 229 attractive guest rooms, and a 24/7 fitness facility with modern fitness equipment.

# HOW GEATAIN ENGINEERING HELPED

- Provided extensive startup, commissioning and training services to operations staff to ease transition to new equipment.
- Followed a specific methodology to determine existing conditions and the most critical HVAC equipment, designing an efficient Building Management System.
- Extra attention was paid to equipment performance to uncover earlier than anticipated replacement needs.

#### **BENEFITS**

- A mix of measures implemented to lower energy costs, including lighting, HVAC, and occupancy controls.
- Identified hidden opportunities for occupants to lower energy costs.



## **CHALLENGES**

- No BMS system.
- Only 17% LED lighting.
- Phantom electric loads.

#### **SOLUTIONS**

- Lowering DHW temperature.
- LED lighting.
- Light controls.
- BMS heat controls.
- Cogeneration.
- Batteries.

LIFECYCLE SAVINGS \$ 1,633,000

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