



Aldrich Place

80 OTTAWA AVE NW
GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49503

The redevelopment of this 45,000 sq. ft. building included a complete interior and exterior restoration. Much of the original exterior had been removed, but remnants were left to provide models for the reproduction of all of the sheetmetal ornaments, panels and cornices.



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Round pieces were spun out of copper, and other metals included galvanized sheet steel, and stamped zinc.



A close-up view of over 150 feet of rebuilt, painted and installed cornices.



The frieze panel being fabricated and soldered in our shop.



Twenty-three large brackets, 75 modillions and extensive cornice and frieze panels were fabricated and assembled in our shop.



There were literally miles of soldered joints, and hundreds of individual, hand-cut pieces to assemble.



We were able to recover some original elements to use as models.

