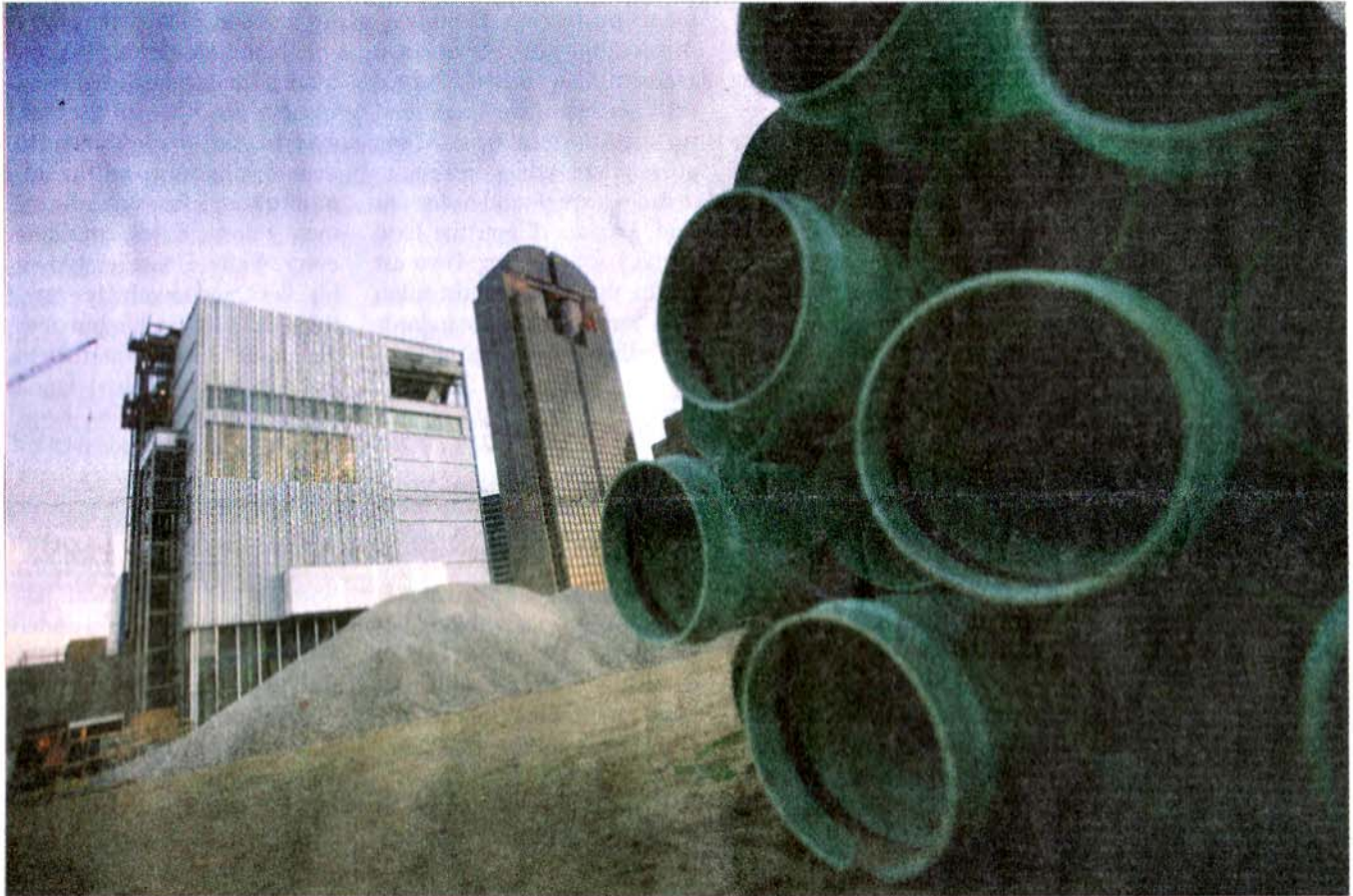


## Arts center taking shape



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**J**ust seven months from opening, the Dallas Center for the Performing Arts is a cluttered, furiously busy construction site, punctuated by the aluminum pipe-clad box of the Wily Theatre (above left) and the striking red drum of the Winspear Opera House. Photographers from *The Dallas Morning News* took a behind-the-scenes tour of the center and came back with stunning images in which art merges with engineering. (Photo essay, 1E)



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