

PUBLIC SAFETY

PROJECT STUDY EASTON POLICE



Easton Police Department Expands

The Easton Police Department has experienced significant growth in both staff and scope of duties in the past 10 years. In late 2017, the Department moved to a new \$7.1MM location that is more than double in size with expanded training areas. The new facility is located in a 1920's building and includes both restored sections as well as new construction.

Reynolds worked with the police staff and general contractor to design new spaces for locker rooms, property and evidence, weapons and file storage. The Reynolds team tailored solutions to meet both the new space and the goals set by the police team. Among those goals was to increase capacity and accessibility in Property and Evidence, provide professional and organized locker rooms, expand file storage capacity, provide secure and convenient storage for weapons, and minimize the amount of space devoted to storage.

Pass-Through Evidence Lockers—These “one-way” lockers allow staff to enter items into evidence 24/7 without having to wait for an evidence technician. They are integral to maintaining chain of custody.



Locker Rooms—Expanded locker rooms provide a neat and organized space for staff to comfortably get ready for duty. The new lockers provide ample room to store uniforms and equipment and provide charging outlets and USB ports for phones and electronics, drying racks, a drawer for boots and equipment, a secure cubby and bench seating. Lockers were installed in the men's and women's locker room, bicycle, SRU and motorcycle areas, even the K9 unit has its own specially designed lockers.

Property and Evidence—The new high density movable shelving provides 50% more storage capacity and greater accessibility in a small footprint.

File Storage — High density moveable shelving increased file storage capacity by over 50%. Now files are situated in one location with easy access and room for growth over the next 20 years (a key requirement of the project).

Weapons Storage—Compact racking keeps weapons secure and organized while pistol lockers located throughout the facility make securing weapons easy.



AT A GLANCE PROJECT BENEFITS

- Custom lockers provide ample room for officer gear and equipment
- Pass through Property and Evidence lockers allow 24/7 secure submission of evidence
- Increased evidence storage capacity by 50% with high density shelving
- Office file capacity increased by 50% with room for 20 years of growth

“My goal was to create a new facility that would be a model of police efficiency, training and preparedness. Reynolds helped us achieve that goal with highly efficient designs that maximize space and make storage and retrieval of evidence, files and weapons, secure and fast.

The new lockers for all of our staff locker rooms now provide a spacious, comfortable area for staff to get ready for duty and securely store uniforms, equipment and personal items, with handy features like drying racks and in-locker outlets and USB ports for charging.

The staff is very happy with the new surroundings and new equipment.”

Carl Scalzo
Police Chief

Expanded storage capacity and locker rooms for new Easton Police facility



SECURE STORAGE AND LOCKERS



SOLUTION

Pass Through Evidence Lockers

- 24/7 evidence submission without a technician
- Multiple sized lockers accommodate weapons to envelopes to tires
- Easy retrieval and logging in evidence room

Weapons Storage

- Wall mounted pistol lockers at key locations
- Compact and secure weapons racks for long guns, Tasers and pistols

HIGH DENSITY EVIDENCE STORAGE



SOLUTION

High Density Movable Shelving Property and Evidence and File Room

- 50% increase in storage space
- Deep shelves accommodate boxes, long and bulky items
- Ample room for active and long-term storage
- Easy access with wide aisles
- Easy to move with manual controls

STAFF LOCKER ROOMS



SOLUTION

Custom Staff Lockers

- Charging outlet and USB port in each locker for electronics
- Locked cubby for personal items
- Ventilated drawer with drying rack for vests and room for boots
- Benches throughout
- Special sized units for K9 unit, motorcycle and bicycle staff