



St. Joseph County Public Library Upgrades AMH for New, Cutting-edge Library

When it came time for a major renovation project at St. Joseph County Public Library (St. Joe) in Indiana, the decision to partner with EnvisionWare to upgrade their automated materials handling system was an easy one. "We'd had our original sorter for 10 years and had been extremely pleased with the quality and reliability," said Myles Dillon, Technical Services at St. Joe. "After a decade of use, however, the renovation was a good opportunity to upgrade to a new model."

Working with EnvisionWare, St. Joe upgraded to the EnvisionWare Modular Sorter. The new model is smaller and quieter than their prior sorter and is Windows based, rather than Linux. "The company listened to some of our concerns with the prior model and standardized the motors, which makes it easier to manage and maintain," said Dillon. "We've also had a great experience with the service and product."



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Construction of the new library was completed in November 2021. The project consisted of a complete renovation of the Main Library building, including a new dedicated teen area and larger children's area, quiet spaces and more study room, new public computer and digital lab space, an updated local and family history space, construction of a new Community Learning Center and auditorium, and the creation of a courtyard and greenspace.

With high circulation numbers, the sorters get a lot of use. In addition to the downtown location, the Library has nine branches. Five of the locations have sorters to expedite getting materials back on the shelves of these busy locations.

