



24/7 Creativity at San Diego County

Over the past few years, San Diego County Library has experienced a steady increase in visitors. With budgets tight and a growing demand for services, Library Director José Aponte has taken a creative approach to securing funding for self service technologies to enable the library to do more with less.

San Diego County is the first library on the West Coast and the second in the country to install EnvisionWare's 24-Hour Library™, which they've branded the "24/7 Library To Go." The first of two 24/7 locations opened in December 2013 outside of the gates of a county office complex that draws more than 3,000 county employees per day.

A second 24-Hour Library was installed in May outside of a Community Center and near a school in the remote town of Bonsall, CA.

Both 24/7 systems, as well as many of the solutions the library offers, are funded by members of San Diego County's Board of Supervisors who are interested in bringing new services into their communities. The funding source is a win-win for both sides – the County Supervisors bring new resources to support the community and the library expands outreach services.

ENVISIONWARE PRODUCTS IN SAN DIEGO COUNTY LIBRARY

24-Hour Library™ (two)

EnvisionWare® RFID
Software Suite™

- PC Reservation®
- LPT:One™

Coin/Bill Acceptor (CBA™)

Automated Sorters (ten)