

PROJECT DETAILS

ANIMAL SERVICES — ADDITION OPPORTUNITIES



LOCATION

Animal Services shelter Wheaton, IL

ISSUE

Current expansion project opportunities

SOLUTION

Additional project items that would support and enhance the Animal Services shelter

BENEFIT

New shelter that mirrors growing trend toward humane, fear-free animal shelter/community center

DISTRICTS REPRESENTED

US Representative Districts 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, & 14

IL Senate Districts 21, 23, 24, 25, 28, 39, 41, 42, & 43

IL Representative Districts 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 56, 77, 81, 82, 84, & 85

County Board Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6





PROJECT HISTORY & INFORMATION

DuPage County Animal Services is a self-funded immediate open admission animal shelter caring for more than 2,300 animals annually of all species. Originally built in 1978, it is currently being expanded to address critical needs.

Items not included in the original expansion project scope but could be addressed with additional funding:

Solar [Photovoltaic] Panel Additions

- Existing roof was replaced during current construction project, and with new 'flat roofs' facility is ready to host PV panels
- New expansion electrical system and room has been designed to accommodate future PV panels
- Current estimate for roof PV system: \$240,000-\$275,000

DuPage County Animal Services is a <u>Bird Strike Protection for Facility</u> self-funded immediate open <u>Windows</u>

- Large picture windows and higher lobby glass areas at risk for bird strikes during heavy migration periods
- Applied window films are showing success in reducing bird injuries and kills
- Current estimate for installation of new bird strike protection: \$25,000-\$35,000