

Akron Fire Station No. 4



Akron's former Fire Station No. 4 was outdated and no longer met the operational demands of the city. Administrative functions were spread across multiple downtown locations, leading to inefficiencies in communication, coordination, and response.

AVID Architects was engaged to design a new 38,000 SF facility to bring the fire station and fire administration under one roof. To meet the city's urgent need for improved services, AVID implemented a phased fast-track approach releasing site, shell, and interior packages in stages to allow construction to begin ahead of full documentation.

The project broke ground in August 2018 and was completed in late 2019. The new two-story facility centralizes operations, enhances collaboration, and supports long-term service needs; all delivered on time through smart planning and integrated design.

LOCATION
Akron, OH

GROSS SF
38,000 SF

PROJECT COST
\$9M

YEAR COMPLETE
2019

