

NRM PROJECT SCOPE AND JUSTIFICATION

PROJECT NUMBER: 509-12-106
PROJECT TITLE: Buildings 801 and 110 Security Enhancements
(CONSTRUCTION)

PROJECT SCOPE

This project will provide for the construction renovation for the correction of the Bldg. 801 and Bldg. 110 security assessment deficiencies identified in the Facility Condition Assessment. The design provides a plan to replace the main VA Police Console in each building such that the complete security coverage of each facility location results. Also included will be enhancements to the perimeter security to reduce potential damage to VA staff and patient visitors (i.e., applicable force protection measures).

This construction project will include:

- Renovation of the Bldg. 801 and 110 main police offices, including complete replacement of the main Police Console in each building. Building access control including badge/proximity readers, upgrading camera coverage (including pan, zoom, tilt cameras), building lockdown management, and perimeter security measures will be required.
- Complete campus-wide camera coverage for UD and DD must also provide surveillance of the various parking lots for each campus as well as the planned Parking Deck at the DD facility.
- New electrical duct-bank for complete fiber-optic cabling throughout each campus.

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION

There are numerous security assessment deficiencies that have been pending for many years. Additionally, the current Police mainframe equipment at both campuses is antiquated and minimally functional. Updated police video monitors and camera systems will be needed to ensure complete surveillance. The current Police offices are located in vulnerable areas. Insufficient perimeter security is in place including vehicle barriers into buildings.

This project will address FEMA 452 deficiencies for both the Downtown Division (DD) as well as the Uptown Division (UD) and will correct all pending issues from recent VA Police security assessments. The enhancements will reduce the damage potential to personnel and the facility. The security monitoring and unit response will be improved from implementation of this project.