



## William Henry Harrison High School

William Henry Harrison High School, 60 miles north of Indianapolis, Indiana is in Tippecanoe County and opened in 1971 as a consolidation of East Tipp, Klondike, and Battle Ground High Schools. With close to 2,000 students in grades 9-12, the high school is a part of the Tippecanoe School Corporation which serves approximately 13,500 students in grades K-12 and is the second largest geographical district in Indiana.



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### Challenges

The public address and bell system at William Henry Harrison High School is over 15 years old and unreliable. On any given day the system works intermittently causing challenges that affect both internal communication and security. This makes it difficult to plan school activities because the High School never knows when the system will work. Numerous areas in the high school including the cafeteria, gym, and pool do not have direct, immediate access to the main office which presents a security concern.

William Henry Harrison High School needs a cost effective and efficient solution to address safety concerns which is easy for staff to learn and implement in day-to-day operations.

### Solution

After conducting an internal needs assessment starting in May 2017, William Henry Harrison High School worked with its architect, Scholer Corporation, to define and approve specifications for a new Public Address and Bell System.

Through an open bid process and careful review of specification, service and price requirements, Envelop Group was selected to implement a Telecor solution.

Telecor's system provides centralized control for a broad range of functions including intercom, paging, program distribution, built-in master clock, secondary clock correction and time tone signaling for class changes, just to name a few. The project was successfully completed at the end of October 2017.

## Results

Both Telecor and Open Control Systems, a Division of Envelop Group worked diligently with the High School to install the new solution and ensure full user training and system adjustments were completed.

The High School staff expressed their pleasure in working with Open Control Systems and the Communication Solutions Team were very responsive to requests for system adjustments and additional training. Both phone requests and site visits were handled in a very timely and professional manner with Envelop Group making themselves available as necessary to the school.

The new Telecor bell, public address system and call switches are used regularly each day and provide the high school with the reliability, security and functionality missing with the old system. Internal communication is enhanced and classroom/instructional area to main office exchanges are now a breeze.

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