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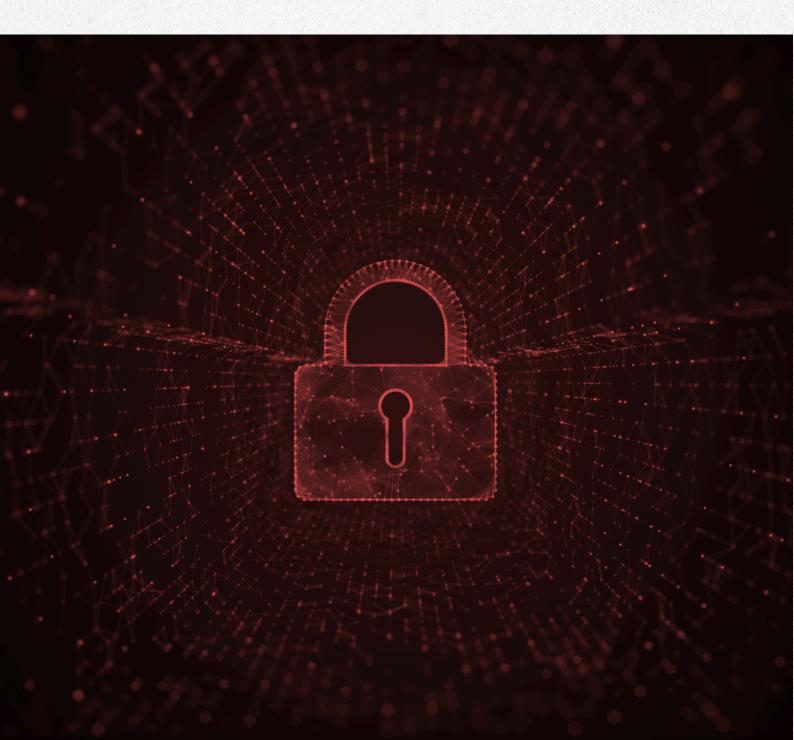**CASE STUDY**

ENHANCING SECURITY AT INDEPENDENCE CITY HALL

WITH VERKADA AC41 DOOR CONTROLLERS AND AD32-HW DEVICES

CLIENT

City of Independence,
Independence City Hall
555 S Main St, Independence, OR

INDUSTRY

Government

THE CHALLENGE

The City of Independence needed to modernize its security at City Hall, a facility that hosts critical government operations and stores sensitive information. The existing access control system was outdated, difficult to manage, and lacked real-time monitoring capabilities. The city required a scalable, cloud-based solution to improve security, streamline access management, and enable quick responses to security incidents.

THE SOLUTION

Our team recommended and implemented a comprehensive access control solution that included Verkada AC41 Door Controllers along with Verkada AD32-HW Smart Readers. This combination provided the flexibility and security needed to safeguard key areas of the building.

Key components of the solution included:

Main Entrance: Controlled access for public entry during office hours, with restricted entry after hours.

Administrative Offices: Ensured only authorized personnel could access areas containing sensitive documentation and information.

Council Chambers: Managed access during meetings and events, restricting entry during closed sessions.

IT and Server Rooms: Protected critical infrastructure from unauthorized access with a combination of AC41 controllers and AD32-HW readers for enhanced security.
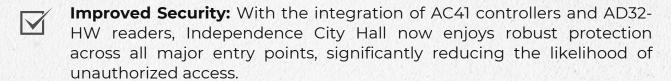
IMPLEMENTATION

The installation was conducted with minimal disruption to daily operations. We collaborated with city officials to assess their security requirements, ensuring the AC41 controllers and AD32-HW readers were installed in locations critical to safeguarding the facility. The AD32-HW devices, equipped with smart card and mobile access capabilities, provided an additional layer of security, particularly in high-traffic and sensitive areas.

RESULTS

☑ **Improved Security:** With the integration of AC41 controllers and AD32-HW readers, Independence City Hall now enjoys robust protection across all major entry points, significantly reducing the likelihood of unauthorized access.

☑ **Enhanced Access Management:** The city now has the ability to centrally manage permissions for various building zones, including assigning temporary access to contractors or guests.

☑ **Advanced Monitoring and Alerts:** Real-time alerts and detailed activity logs provide officials with insights into building usage, allowing for quick responses to potential security threats.

☑ **Future-Ready Scalability:** The system is designed for easy expansion, enabling the city to integrate additional access points or security features as needed.

CONCLUSION

The combination of Verkada AC41 Door Controllers and AD32-HW Smart Readers at Independence City Hall has significantly improved the city's access control capabilities. The project highlights how modern security solutions can address the unique needs of government facilities, offering both enhanced protection and user-friendly management. The City of Independence is now better equipped to safeguard its operations, employees, and visitors, ensuring a secure environment for all.

CONTACT US

If your facility is facing similar security challenges or needs to upgrade its access control system, we're here to help. **Contact us** today to discover how our innovative security solutions can enhance your operations and protect your assets.