

# East Wenatchee City Hall

East Wenatchee, Washington



East Wenatchee needed a new home for their city hall and police station. Merritt designed a new building providing 6,000 square feet for city administration, 6,000 square feet for the police headquarters, and a 1,000 square foot library. The joint facilities included a courtroom/council chambers, rotunda/entry, and galleries.

The rotunda is the focal point of the new city hall, which adjoins the administrative and police wings, as well as the courtroom and library. Large expanses of glass along each wing provide an open, public feeling of community. Along the rotunda walls, words representing the City's mission (i.e. service, justice, community...) are featured. Building materials featured weathered granite to complement existing stone walls on the site and colors reflecting the surrounding hillside, providing a seamless transition between old and new.

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